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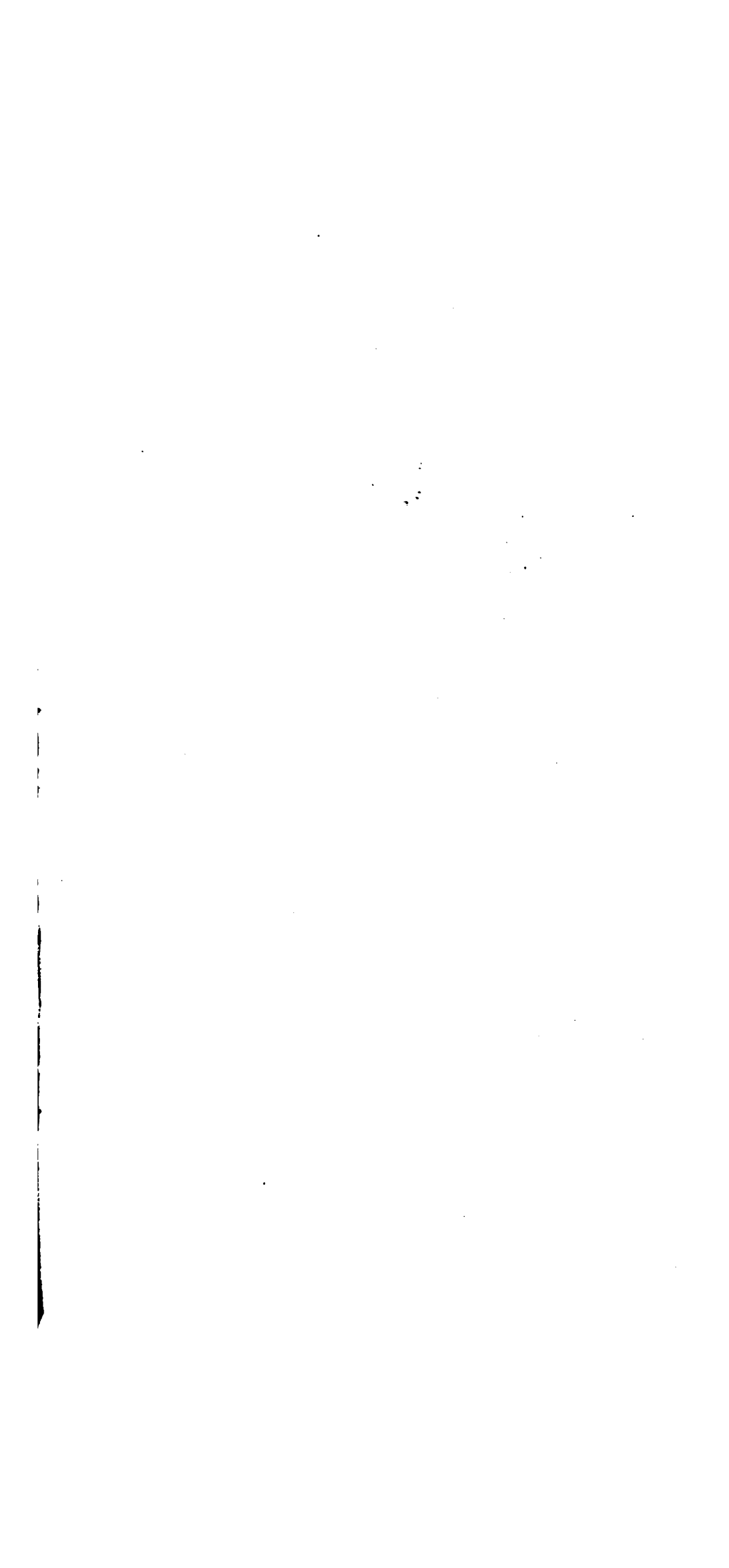
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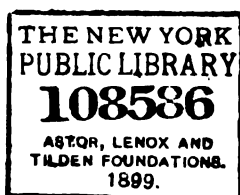
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The Bishop's list of the Clergy, June 8th, 1887.

In the Order of their Present Canonical Connection with the
Diocese.

Bishop.

The Rt. Rev. Henry Benjamin Whipple, D. D., consecrated Thursday,
October 13, 1859.

Assistant Bishop.

The Rt. Rev. Mahlon Norris Gilbert, D. D., consecrated Sunday, October
17th, 1886.

Priests.

- *The Rev. John Johnson, (Enmegahbowh) ordained October 13, 1859.
- *The Rev. Horace Hills, Jr., received June 5, 1865.
- *The Rev. Samuel P. Chandler, received December 22, 1865.
- The Rev. William C. Pope, received November 13, 1866.
- The Rev. James Dobbin, ordained June 16, 1867.
- The Rev. Charles H. Plummer, ordained June 16, 1867.
- *The Rev. Charles J. Adams, M. D., received October 1, 1868.
- *The Rev. Thomas G. Crump, ordained July 3, 1870.
- The Rev. James A. Gilfillan, received October 16, 1880.
- *The Rev. Joseph J. Hillmer, received June 21, 1871.
- The Rev. J. Steinfert Kedney, D. D., received December 22, 1871.
- *The Rev. Israel J. Townsend, received June 22, 1872.
- *The Rev. Chas. E. Byrde, ordained June 22, 1873.
- *The Rev. Daniel T. Booth, ordained June 22, 1873.
- The Rev. Edward C. Bill, ordained June 22, 1873.
- The Rev. Robert Reed Goudy, received June 22, 1873.
- The Rev. George B. Whipple, received October 9, 1873.
- The Rev. Eric L. Peterson, received December 3, 1873.
- The Rev. James Cornell, received June 20, 1875.
- *The Rev. Herbert Root, received January 25, 1877.
- The Rev. Theodore C. Hudson, ordained June 17, 1877.
- *The Rev. Frederick J. Tassell, ordained July 17, 1877.
- The Rev. E. Stuart Wilson, received October 11, 1877.
- *The Rev. Charles Woodward, received May 28, 1878.

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- *The Rev. Charles A. Cummings, ordained June 15, 1879.
 - *The Rev. Edward J. Purdy, received July 5, 1879.
 - *The Rev. Henry W. Kittson, received December 12, 1879.
 - *The Rev. Fletcher J. Hawley, D. D., received May 27, 1880.
 - *The Rev. David G. Gunn, received September 7, 1880.
 - The Rev. Andrew D. Stowe, ordained December 19, 1880.
 - The Rev. Wm. C. Sherman, received December 30, 1880.
 - The Rev. Thomas B. Wells, D. D., received January 18, 1881.
 - *The Rev. Samuel Currie, received March 15, 1881.
 - *The Rev. F. B. Nash, Sr., received May 26, 1882.
 - The Rev. E. Jay Cooke, received July 29, 1882.
 - The Rev. J. McBride Sterrett, D. D., received November 15, 1882.
 - The Rev. Wm. Gardam, received December 2, 1882.
 - The Rev. R. E. Metcalf, received December 24, 1882.
 - *The Rev. J. F. Hamilton, received January 18, 1883.
 - *The Rev. Thomas E. Dickey, received January 18, 1883.
 - *The Rev. Treadwell Walden, received January 24, 1883.
 - The Rev. Anson R. Graves, received September 17, 1883.
 - The Rev. Charles A. Poole, received October 15, 1883.
 - The Rev. T. H. M. V. Appleby, received October 15, 1883.
 - The Rev. John W. Prosser, received November 17, 1883.
 - The Rev. Richard N. Avery, received May 30, 1884.
 - The Rev. P. B. Peabody, ordained June 15, 1884.
 - The Rev. Charles E. Hixon, ordained June 15, 1884.
 - *The Rev. Wm. B. Hamilton, ordained June 15, 1884.
 - *The Rev. A. J. Graham, received January 20, 1885.
 - The Rev. Asa A. Abbott, received November 3, 1884.
 - The Rev. F. D. Hoskins, received January 20, 1885.
 - *The Rev. E. S. Peake, received June 8, 1885.
 - The Rev. Edward H. Clark, ordained June 14, 1885.
 - *The Rev. A. Bailey Hill, ordained June 14, 1885.
 - The Rev. Sydney G. Jeffords, ordained June 14, 1885.
 - The Rev. Frank R. Millspaugh, received February 1, 1886.
 - The Rev. Edward Moyses, received April 2, 1886.
 - *The Rev. Samuel Mills, received February, 1886.
 - The Rev. Geo. H. Yarnall, ordained Nov. 7, 1886.
 - The Rev. Wm. H. Knowlton, received August 16, 1886.
 - The Rev. Chas. D. Andrews, received April 14, 1887.
 - The Rev. Geo. H. Mueller, received 1887.
 - The Rev. Ezra P. Chittenden, ordained June 1, 1887.
 - *The Rev. John Wright, received June 1, 1887.
 - *The Rev. Geo. C. Tanner, received June 1, 1887.
 - *The Rev. T. K. Allen, received

Deacons.

The Rev. Frederick Smith, ordained July 20, 1876.

The Rev. Charles Wright, ordained July 15, 1877.

The Rev. John Coleman, ordained July 14, 1878.

The Rev. Geo. Smith, ordained July 14, 1878.

The Rev. Mark Hart, ordained July 14, 1878.

The Rev. George B. Morgan, ordained July 14, 1878.

*The Rev. Robert Coles, ordained June 14, 1885.

The Rev. Wm. Wilkinson, ordained Oct. 3, 1886.

The Rev. Delbert F. Thompson, ordained Oct. 3, 1886.

The Rev. Lewis Cass Birch, ordained Oct. 3, 1886.

*The Rev. Joseph Wakazoo, ordained Jan. 20, 1887.

The Rev. Percival McIntire, received June 9, 1887.

*The Rev. Charles S. Ware, received May 21, 1887.

*The Rev. J. H. Chandler, ordained May 2, 1886.

Bishops,	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
Priests,	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	67
Deacons,	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	14
Total Clergy,	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	83

*Not present at Council.

Candidates for Holy Orders.

WITH THE DATE OF THEIR ADMISSION.

Edwin Johnson.
Francis Willis.
Dr. C. F. Drake.
Andrew Harper, Jr., March 20, 1886.
Edgar C. Haupt.
Edmund Buckley, March 20, 1886.
Charles C. Rollit.
Willington McVettie.
Stuart B. Purvis.

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Jas. M. Severance,	Frank Tolmau,
Dr. A. F. Kilbourne,	A. Willis,
J. B. Halsen.	Arthur Chard,
Frank M Barton,	E. C. Haupt.
F. W. Sturtevant.	P. B. Nettleton.

Alphabetical list and Address of the Clergy Canonically
Connected with, and Residing in the Diocese
June 9th, 1887.

THE RT. REV. HENRY BENJAMIN WHIPPLE, D. D.,
Bishop of the Diocese, Faribault.

THE RT. REV. MAHLON NORRIS GILBERT, D. D.,
Assistant Bishop, 56 Park Place, St. Paul.

Abbott, Rev. A. A., Vincennes, Ind.
Adams, Rev. J. C. M. D., Lake City.
Allen, Rev. T. K. Missionary La Cresent.
Andrews, Rev. C. D., Rector, Christ's Church, St. Paul.
Appleby, Rev. T. H. M. V., Rector Christ's Church, St. Vincent.
Avery, Rev. R. N., Rector, Calvary Church, Rochester.
Birch, Rev. Lewis C., Rector, Grace Church, Sauk Rapids.
Bill, Rev. Edward C., Dean, Prof. Liturgic's Seabury Hall and Assistant
Cathedral, Faribault.
Booth, Rev. Daniel T., Rector, S. Luke's Church, Wilmar.
Byrde, Rev. C. E., England.
Chandler, Rev. Samuel P., Rector, S. Paul's Church, Belle Creek, (P. O.)
Red Wing.
Chandler, Rev. J. H. St. Paul.
Chittenden, Rev. Ezra P., Principle, Colligate Department, Seabury Di-
vinity School, Faribault.
Clark, Rev. Edward H., Rector, Church of the Nativity, Wells.
Coles, Rev. Robert.
Cooke, Rev. E. Jay, Rector, Church of S. John the Evangelist, St. Paul.

Coleman, Rev. John, Indian Missionary, Prince of Peace Church, Leech Lake.

Cornell, Rev. James, Rector, S. John's Church, Janesville.

Crump, Rev. Thomas G., Rector, Trinity Church, Litchfield.

Cummings, Rev. Chas. A., Rector, S. John's Church, St. Cloud.

Currie, Rev. Samuel, Missionary at Crookston.

Dickey, Rev. Thomas E. Rector, Bishop Whipple School, Moorhead.

Dobbin, Rev. James, Rector, Shattuck School, Faribault.

Gardam, Rev. Wm., Rector, S. Mark's Church, Lake City.

Gillfillan, Rev. James A., Superintendent Indian Missions, White Earth.

Goudy, Rev. Robert R., Rector S. Martin's Church, Fairmont.

Graham, Rev. A. J., Rector, Holy Trinity Church, Minneapolis.

Graves, Rev. Anson R., Rector, Gethsemane Church, Minneapolis.

Gunn, Rev. David G., Missionary on the Sioux City Railroad, (P. O.) Wilder.

Hamilton, Rev. J. F. Rector, Church of the Good Samaritan, Sauk Center.

Hamilton, Rev. Wm. B., Rector, S. Luke's Church, Minneapolis.

Hart, Rev. Mark, Indian Missionary, charge Church of Good Shepherd, Leech Lake.

Hawley, Rev. Fletcher, J. D. D., Dean and Rector, S. Paul's Church, Brainerd.

Hill, Rev. A. Bailey, Rector, Church of the Good Shepherd, Albert Lea.

Hillmer, Rev. Joseph J., charge Trinity Church, St. Charles, (P. O.) Winona.

Hills, Rev. Horace J., Wabasha.

Hixon, Rev. Charles E., Rector, Grace Church, Minneapolis.

Hudson, Rev. Theodore C., Rector, S. John's Church, Mankato.

Hoskins, Rev. F. D., Warden, Seabury Divinity School, Faribault.

Jeffords, Rev. Sydney G., Assistant, Christ's Church, St. Paul.

Johnson (Enmegahbowh), Rev. John, Rector, S. Columba Church, White Earth Reservation.

†Johnson, Rev. R. M., Rector, Zion Church, Reno, P. O. Glenwood.

Kedney, Rev. J. S., D. D., Professor Divinity, Seabury Divinity School, Faribault.

Kittson, Rev. H. W., Canada.

Knowlton, Rev. Wm. H., Rector, S. Paul's Church, Winona.

Metcalf, Rev. Reuben E., Rector, S. Paul's Church, Owatonna.

Millsbaugh, Rev. Frank R., Rector, S. Paul's Church, Minneapolis.

Mills, Rev. Samuel, Rector, S. James Church, Fergus Falls.

Morgan, Rev. George B., Indian Missionary, Church of Holy Spirit, Pembina Settlement, P. O. White Earth.

Moyses, Rev. Edward, Rector, S. Luke's Church, Hastings.

Mueller, Rev. G. H., Rector, Church of The Good Shepherd, Blue Earth City.

- Nash, F. B., Sr.
 Peabody, Rev. P. B., Rector, Christ Church, Austin.
 Peake, Rev. E. S., Missionary, S. Luke's Church, Detroit.
 Peterson, Rev. Eric L., Missionary to Scandinavians, Faribault.
 Plummer, Rev. Charles H., Rector, Christ Church, Red Wing.
 Pope, Rev. Wm. C., Rector, Church of The Good Shepherd, St. Paul.
 Purdy, Rev. E. J., Rector, All Saints' Church, Minneapolis.
 Poole, Rev. Charles A., Rector, S. Paul's Church, Duluth.
 Prosser, Rev. J. W., Rector, S. Andrew's Church, Minneapolis.
 Root, Rev. Herbert, Valley City, Dak.
 Smith, Rev. Frederick W., Indian Missionary, Church S. John in the Wilderness, Red Lake.
 Smith, Rev. Geo., Indian Missionary, Church S. Antipas, Red Lake,
 Sherman, Rev. Wm. C., Rector Gethsemane Church, Appleton.
 Sterrett, Rev. J. McBride, D. D., Professor Seabury Divinity School Faribault.
 Stowe, Rev. Andrew D., Rector, Trinity Church, Anoka.
 Tanner, Rev. George C, Faribault.
 Tassell, Rev. Frederick J., Missionary Mentor.
 Thompson, Rev. Delbert F., Rector, Church of The Holy Communion, St. Peter.
 Townsend, Rev I. Jerome, Fairmont.
 Walden, Rev. Treadwell.
 Wakazoo, Rev. Joseph, Indian Missionary, S. Philip's Church, Lake Winnebegoshish, P. O. Leech Lake.
 Ware, Rev. Chas. S., Wilder
 Wells, Rev. Thomas B. D. D., Dean and Rector S. Mark's Church, Minneapolis.
 Whipple, Rev. George B., Chaplain, S. Mary's School, Faribault.
 Wilkinson, Rev. Wm., Rector, Ascension Church, Kenyon.
 Wilson, Rev. E. Stuart, Professor, Seabury Divinity School, Faribault.
 Woodward, Rev. Charles, residing in Olmsted County, (P. O.) Rochester.
 Wright, Rev. Charles, Indian Missionary, Assistant, S. Columba Church, White Earth Reservation.
 Wright, Rev. John, Rector, S. Paul's Church, St Paul.
 Yarnall, Rev. George H., Rector, Ascension Church, St. Paul.
 *Jones, Rev. J. Wynne, Missionary, Christ's Church, Glencoe.
 *Johnson, Rev. H. M., Assistant S. Paul's Church, Brainerd.
 *McIntire, Rev. Percival, East Minneapolis.
 *Bamford, Rev. W. H., Indiana.
 †Pritchard, Rev. J., Charge, Emmanuel Church, Rushford.

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Appleton.....	Swift.....	Gethsemane.
Anoka.....	Anoka.....	Trinity.
Austin.....	Mower.....	Christ.
Alexandria.....	Douglas.....	Emmanuel.
Becker.....	Sherburne.....	Trinity Chapel.
Belle Plaine.....	Scott.....	Church of the Transfiguration.
Brainerd.....	Crow Wing.....	S. Paul's.
Basswood Grove.....	Washington.....	S. Mary's.
Bellwood.....	Dakota.....	S. Barnabas.
Benson.....	Swift.....	Christ.
Chatfield.....	Fillmore.....	S. Matthew's.
Caledonia.....	Houston.....	Trinity.
Cannon Falls.....	Goodhue.....	Redeemer.
Crookston.....	Polk.....	Christ.
Duluth.....	St. Louis.....	S. Paul's.
Elk River.....	Sherburne.....	Trinity.
Eden Prairie.....	Hennepin.....	S. John's.
Fairmont.....	Martin.....	S. Martin's. [Savior.
Faribault.....	Rice.....	Cathedral of our Merciful
Farmington.....	Dakota.....	Church of the Advent.
Fergus Falls.....	Otter Tail.....	S. James.
Granite Falls.....	Yellow Medicine.....	Trinity.
Hastings.....	Dakota.....	S. Luke's.
Hassan.....	Hennepin.....	S. Peter's.
Janesville.....	Waseca.....	S. John's.
Kenyon.....	Goodhue.....	Ascension.
Lake City.....	Wabasha.....	S. Mark's.
Le Sueur.....	Le Sueur.....	S. John's.
Litchfield.....	Meeker.....	Trinity.
Montevideo.....	Chippewa.....	Grace.
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Minneapolis.....	Hennepin.....	S. Andrew's.

Minneapolis	Hennepin	S. Paul's.
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Mantorville	Dodge	S. John's.
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Point Douglas	Washington	S. Paul's.
Pine Island	Goodhue	Grace.
Red Wing	Goodhue	Christ.
Rushford	Fillmore	Emmanuel.
Rochester	Olmstead	Calvary.
Sauk Center	Stearns	Good Samaritan.
Shakopee	Scott	S. Peter's.
Stockton	Winona'	Trinity.
St. Paul	Ramsey	Christ.
St. Paul	Ramsey	S. John the Evangelist.
St. Paul	Ramsey	S. Paul's.
St. Paul	Ramsey	Good Shepherd.
St. Paul	Ramsey	Ascension.
St. Cloud	Stearns	S. John's.
St. Peter	Nicollet	Holy Communion.
Sauk Rapids	Benton	Grace.
Stillwater	Washington	Ascension.
St. Charles	Winona	Trinity.
St. Vincent	Kittson	Christ.
Wabasha	Wabasha	Grace.
White Bear Lake	Ramsey	S. John's in the Wilderness.
Winona	Winona	S. Paul's.
Waterville	Le Sueur	S. Andrew's.
Wells	Faribault	Nativity.
Willmar	Kandiyohi	S. Luke's.
Wilton	Waseca	Calvary.
White Earth	Becker	S. Columba.
Zumbrota	Goodhue	Trinity.
Total		72

MISSIONS.

Not entitled to Representation in Council June 8, 1887.

PLACE.	COUNTY.	NAME.
Aitkin	Aitkin	
Belle Creek	Goodhue	S. Paul's
Blue Earth City	Faribault	Good Shepherd
Breckenridge	Wilkin	S. Luke's
Brownsville	Houston	Holy Comforter
Brown's Valley	Traverse	S. Luke's
Corinna	Wright	S. Mark's
Cannon City	Rice	Holy Innocents
Cardova	Le Sueur	
Cass Lake	Beltrami	Prince of Peace
Detroit	Becker	S. Luke's
Dundas	Rice	Holy Cross
Delano	Wright	
Dresbach	Winona	
Dakota	Winona	
Excelsior	Hennepin	Trinity
Elysian	Le Sueur	Grace
Frontenac	Goodhue	Christ
Faribault	Rice	Scandinavian Mission
Glencoe	McLeod	Christ
Glenwood	Pope	
Glyndon	Clay	
Houston	Houston	Our Savior
Howard Lake	Wright	All Saints
Henderson	Sibley	S. Jude's
Hallock	Kittson	
Heron Lake	Jackson	
Kasson	Dodge	S. Peter's
Lake Crystal	Blue Earth	All Angels
Little Falls	Morrison	Our Savior
Leech Lake	Cass	Good Shepherd
Madelia	Watanwan	Christ
Melrose	Stearnes	Trinity
Mentor	Polk	
Minneiska	Wabasha	
Minnetonka	Hennepin	S. John's
Morris	Stevens	All Saints
Morristown	Rice	S. John's
Minneapolis	Hennepin	S. Luke's

New York Mills	..	Otter Tail	..
North Branch	.....	Chisago	.....
Ortonville	.....	Big Stone	..... Christ
Perham	.....	Otter Tail	..... Epiphany
Princeton	.....	Mille Lacs	.....
Pembina (settlement)	....	Norman	..... Holy Spirit
Pipe Stone	.....	Pipe Stone	.....
Richwood	.....	Becker	..... Holy Apostles
Redwood Falls	.....	Redwood	.....
Reno	.....	Pope	.....
Rockford	.....	Wright	..... Trinity
Royalton	.....	Morrison	.....
Red Lake Falls	.....	Polk	.....
Red Lake Agency	.....	Beltrami	..... S. John in Wilderness
Red Lake	.....	Beltrami	..... S. Antipas
Rock Creek	.....	Chisago	.....
Rush City	.....	Chisago	..... Grace
South Kenyon	.....	Goodhue	.....
Spring Valley	.....	Fillmore	.....
Stanton	.....	Goodhue	.....
Slayton	.....	Murray	..... S. Paul's
St. Paul (West)	.....	Ramsey	..... Ascension
St. Paul	.....	Ramsey	..... S. Stephen's
St. Paul	.....	Ramsey	..... S. Peter's
St. Paul	.....	Ramsey	..... S. James'
St. Paul	.....	Ramsey	..... Resurrection
St. Paul	.....	Ramsey	..... Nativity
St. James	.....	Watonwan	..... Calvary
Wadena	.....	Wadena	..... Grace
Warsaw	.....	Rice	..... S. Thomas
Waseca	.....	Waseca	..... Calvary
Wells	.....	Rice	..... Emmanuel
Wilder	.....	Jackson	..... Redeemer
Windom	.....	Cottonwood	..... Good Shepherd
Winnibigoshish Lake	.....	Itasca	..... S. Philip's
Wild Rice River	.....	Norman	..... Epiphany
Worthington	.....	Nobles	..... Sioux City R'y Missions
Total	.....		76

Parishes	.....	72
Missions	.....	76
Total	.....	148

Roll of Lay Delegates

Entitled to Seats and Present in the Thirtieth Annual Council, of
the Diocese, June 8-9, 1887.

PLACE.	PARISH.	DELEGATES.
Anoka.....	Trinity.....	O. L. Cutter.* H. C. Loehl.*
Appleton.....	Gethsemane.....	A. W. Lathrop.
Basswood Grove.....	S. Mary's.....	John Wright.* D. B. Gellinger.
Becker.....	Trinity Chapel.....	Israel Johnson.*
Brainerd.....	S. Paul's.....	S. W. Martin. L. P. White.*
Breckenridge.....	S. Luke's.....	E. G. Valentine.*
Cannon Falls.....	Church of the Redeemer	Wm. Tanner. Eli Ellsworth.
Duluth.....	S. Paul's.....	Fred'k W. Paine.* G. V. Quilliard.
Elk River.....	Trinity.....	H. Galley.*
Fairmont.....	S. Martin's.....	J. A. Sinclair. Chas. W. Gamble.*
Faribault.....	Cathedral of Our Merciful Saviour,	Hon. Gordon F. Cole. J. C. N. Cottrell. A. E. Haven. Stephen Jewett. C. L. Lowell.
Farmington.....	Advent.....	Arthur Chard.
Hastings.....	S. Luke's.....	A. W. Gardner.* L. S. Follett.* J. R. Claggett.*
Hassan.....	S. John's.....	A. H. Adams.

Lake City	S. Mark's	L. H. Buck.* J. M. Underwood (alt.) W. R. Murray.*
Litchfield	Trinity	J. H. Morris.* H. Stevens.
Mankato	S. John's	S. D. Parsons.* H. W. Brown.*
Minneapolis	Gethsemane	E. P. Hawthorne.* C. H. Peak.* E. H. Mathes.* A. M. Hillaker. O. T. Tuttle. Wm. Seager.* Hon. I. Atwater. S. A. March.* L. G. Grant. P. V. P. Wiggins. E. A. Fillmore. J. B. Phelps.* E. T. Weitzel. E. H. Holbrook, Jr. Chas. Reese.*
	S. Mark's	Hector Baxter.* C. F. Hatch.* J. C. Reno.* Jas. Langton.* B. C. Hurd.* C. M. Hardenberg.* Wm. B. Folds.
	S. Paul's	M. H. Sessions. C. A. Hall, M. D.* W. P. Howe. G. L. Marshall.* H. T. Wyman.* H. A. Towne.
	Holy Trinity	Jno. G. Hall. Fred. Farrington. Geo. S. Grimes. (alt)
	Grace	A. H. Kittell.* John Parslow. Geo. Bester.*
	S. Andrew's	O. L. Merriam.* Geo. L. Turner

Minneapolis.....	All Saints.....	Thos. Saegar. E. P. Thompson.
Moorhead.....	S. John's.....	A. A. White.* Sam. Partridge.
Northfield.....	All Saints.....	J. R. Sumner. H. L. Crittenden, M. D.
Red Wing.....	Christ.....	Judge E. T. Wilder. S. B. Foote. H. S. Rich. Jesse McIntire.* Hon. W. C. Williston.*
Rochester.....	Calvary.....	J. E. Bowers.* A. W. Blakely.*
Shakopee.....	S. Peter's.....	Wm. A. Cole. (alt.)
St. Cloud.....	S. John's.....	Frank Tolman.* C. F. Lamb.*
St. Paul.....	Christ.....	Ruben Warner. H. P. Hoppin. S. B. McMasters. J. B. Hoxie. W. R. Ladd. W. S. Timberlake. R. Relf.* J. P. Pond.* J. W. White.* D. L. Curtice.* C. E. MacIarth.* Mr. Benedict.*
	Ascension.....	F. L. Bayard.* J. V. I. Dodd.*
	S. John Evangelist.....	J. H. Ames W. H. Vettum, M. D.* F. S. Chapman.*
	S. Paul's.....	Harvey Officer.* Geo. A. Hamilton. Edward Hopper.* Wm. J. Sleppy. W. H. Eaton.* J. M. Smith.* Edward Sumwalt. Wm. P. Reid.* J. S. Jellett. H. L. Gilbert.*

St. Paul.....	Good Shepherd.....	Geo. Bell. Jos. C. Talbot.* W. D. Arnold.
St. Peter	Holy Communion.....	F. M. Donahower. A. F. Kilbourne, M D *
St. Vincent.....	Christ.....	Thos. B. Beck.*
Waterville.....	S. Andrew's	Lewis Stowe.
Wells.....	Nativity	W. F. Myers.* Edwin Eccleston.*
Willmar.....	S. Luke's	F. C. Hardy.*
White Bear.....	S. John in the Wilderness.	C. B. Cobb.* Thomas Fulton.*
Winona.....	S. Paul's.....	W. H. Yale.* Chas. Horton.* A. B. Youmans.*

*Not present at Council.

Number Parishes entitled to representation	71
Number Parishes represented	27
Number Delegates entitled to seats	127
Number Delegates present	57

Journal.

First Day.

Cathedral of Our Merciful Savior, }
FARIBAULT, Wednesday, June 8, 1887. }

This being the day, by Canon appointed, for the meeting of the Thirtieth Annual Council of the Diocese of Minnesota, The Bishop, The Rt. Rev. H. B. Whipple, D. D., The Assistant Bishop, The Rt. Rev. M. N. Gilbert, D. D., and a large number of the Clergy and Laity assembled in the Cathedral Church, Faribault, at 9:30 a. m.

Morning prayer was said by The Rev. C. D. Andrews, of Christ Church, St. Paul, The Rev. Frank R. Mills-paugh took the Litany, The Rev. Edward Moyses the first lesson, The Rev. P. B. Peabody the second lesson. The Assistant Bishop took the Ante-Communion service. The Rev. Wm. Gardham reading the Epistle and the Bishop of the Diocese the Gospel, who also officiated as Celebrant in the Holy Communion.

The offering was for Diocesan Missions.

The Rt. Rev., The Bishop, delivered his Annual Address as follows:

BISHOP'S ADDRESS.

BELoved BRETHREN:—

At our last Diocesan Council you elected the Rev. Mahlon Norris Gilbert, Assistant Bishop of the Diocese of Minnesota. I accepted your choice as the Providence of God. I have given my brother my confidence and love, and ask for him and for myself, your prayers.

I have officiated one or more times in the Cathedral, Shumway Memorial Chapel, Norwegian Chapel, St. Mary's Hall. Faribault, Stillwater,

Basswood Grove, Point Douglas, Duluth, St. Peter, Redwood Falls, Old Sioux Agency, Henderson, LeSueur, Belle Plaine, Glencoe, St. Andrew's St. Paul's, St. Mark's and Church of Holy Trinity, Minneapolis; Fort Snelling, Chatfield, Rushford, Richwood, White Earth, St. John's and St. Antipas, Red Lake; Leech Lake, Lake Winnibigoshish, White Oak Point, Cleveland, New York, Philadelphia, Hinsdale, Elmhurst, Maitland, Winter Park, New Orleans, St. Paul's, St. John's and Church Good Shepherd, St. Paul; Lake City, Red Wing, Frontenac, Rochester. St. Charles, Wabasha, Northfield, Dundas, Winona.

I have delivered 194 sermons and addresses; baptised 15 adults and 46 infants; celebrated the Holy Communion 35 times; confirmed 331 persons; celebrated two marriages and one burial; ordained three deacons and one priest; laid one corner stone, and united with consecrations of three Bishops. Oct. 3, 1886, I ordained in St. Mark's Church, Minneapolis, Wm. Wilkinson, Delbert F. Thompson and Lewis Cass Birch, Deacons; Nov. 7, 1886, I ordained Rev. George Hunter Yarnall, Priest, in the Cathedral, Faribault; the Rev. J. S. Kedney, D. D., Rev. E. S. Wilson, Rev. J. McBride Sterrett, Rev. T. Clark, Rev. James Dobbin, Rev. A. A. Abbott, Rev. G. B. Whipple, united in the imposition of hands.

I have received into the Diocese by letters demissory, Rev. William H. Knowlton, from the Diocese of Chicago, Rev. Charles D. Andrews, from the Diocese of Maryland, Rev. Charles S. Ware, from the Diocese of Mississippi; I have received Rev. G. C. Tanner, from the Diocese of Kansas. The Assistant Bishop has received from Diocese of Iowa, Rev. Geo. H. Mueller; from Diocese of Wisconsin, Rev. T. K. Allen. I have transferred Rev. Charles Booth, to Missionary Jurisdiction of Washington Ty., Rev. George B. Pratt, to the Diocese of Chicago, Rev. Caleb Benham, to Missionary Jurisdiction, Dakota. The Assistant Bishop has transferred Rev. George C. Tanner, to the Diocese of Kansas, and Rev. Geo. E. Swan, to Diocese of Indiana. I have received as candidates for Holy Orders, Edwin Johnson, Wellington McVettie, Stuart B. Purvis, Francis Willis, Charles F. Drake, Edgar C. Haupt, Charles C. Rollit.

The postulants and candidates for orders are:

CANDIDATES:—Herbert M. Johnson, William H. Bamford, J. Wynne Jones, Andrew Harper, Jr., Charles C. Rollit, Edwin Johnson, Wellington McVettie, Stuart B. Purvis, Francis Willis, Charles F. Drake, Edgar C. Haupt—11.

POSTULANTS:—J. W. Graves, D. E. Goodman.

I have licensed as lay readers, William S. Crichmer, Wellington McVettie, Stuart B. Purvis, C. F. Drake, Isaac Holgate, David Gallaher, Andrew Adams.

CONSECRATION OF BISHOPS.

October 17th, 1886, in St. James Church, Chicago, I united in the consecration of Rev. Mahlon Norris Gilbert, D. D., Assistant Bishop of Minnesota. Bishop Alfred Lee, of Delaware, was Presiding Bishop and Consecrator; Bishop D. S. Tuttle, of Missouri, was preacher; Bishop H. C. Potter, of New York, and Bishop D. B. Knickerbacker were presenters; and present and uniting in the Consecration were Bishop Lee, of Delaware, Bishop Bedell, of Ohio, Bishop Whipple, of Minnesota, Bishop Coxe, of Western New York, Bishop Tuttle, of Missouri, Bishop Brewer, of Montana, Bishop H. C. Potter, of New York, and Bishop D. B. Knickerbacker, of Indiana.

May 4, 1887, in St. Paul's Church, St. Paul, I united in the Consecration of Rev. Elisha Smith Thomas, as Assistant Bishop of Kansas. Bishop Vail, of Kansas, was Presiding Bishop and Consecrator. Bishop D. S. Tuttle, of Missouri, and Bishop D. B. Knickerbacker, of Indiana, were the Presenters, and Bishop Vail, of Kansas, Bishop Whipple, of Minnesota, Bishop Tuttle, of Missouri, Bishop Brown, of Fon du Lac, united in the consecration. The departure of the Rev. E. S. Thomas was a loss to myself and Diocese, for he was endeared to us all by long years of faithful work, and honored by all who love Jesus Christ. Our loss is a gain to the Diocese of Kansas and the whole Church of God.

May 27, 1887, in Christ Church, St. Louis, Missouri, I assisted in the consecration of Rev. Ethelbert Talbot, Missionary Bishop, of Wyoming and Idaho. Bishop Whipple was the Presiding Bishop and Consecrator, Bishop Tuttle and Bishop Spaulding were the presenters, Bishop Seymour preached, and Bishop Whipple, Bishop Vail, Bishop Tuttle, Bishop Spaulding, Bishop Seymour and Bishop Perry united in the consecration.

SHUMWAY HALL.

June 17, 1886, I delivered an address at the laying of the corner stone of Shumway Hall, the gift of our benefactor and friend, Mrs. Augusta M. Huntington. The corner stone was placed by her daughter, Miss Clorine Shumway, who is the almoner of her beloved mother.

INDIAN COMMISSION AND WORK.

From August 1st, to October, I served as a member of the Indian Commission appointed by the President, to make an agreement with the scattered bands of the Chippeway Indians which would secure their consolidation at White Earth, provide for their civilization and open portions of their present Reservations to white settlement. I accepted the duty, as a trust from God, to do all in my power to atone for past wrongs, to se-

cure their just rights and provide for their civilization. This is not the place to tell the story. I place on record, for those who come after me, that the present condition of these scattered bands of Chippeways is a disgrace to a Christian government; that their degradation is largely due to our neglect of duty; that the agreement made will commend itself to every patriot and Christian, in that it provides government, personal rights of property, reward for labor, and secures to the Indians and their children their just inheritance, and will, under God, save their race. This agreement will be opposed by all who have used the Indians as a key to unlock the National Treasury, the bad men who have dragged them down to a depth of shame and sorrow which their heathen fathers never knew, and by all who look with a greedy eye upon their possessions. While at Red Lake the Head Chief, Mah-dwah-go-nind, said to me, "My father, since you was here my old wife has gone to sleep in the grave. I shall soon lie down by her side. I have heard that Christians ask the Great Spirit to bless the place where they will sleep until He calls them out of the grave. Will you bless the place where we are to sleep?" We formed a procession of Christian Indians and marched around this acre of God singing "Jesus, Lover of my soul" in Ojibway, and I consecrated it. After the service the aged chief said "My Father, I thank you for telling me of a Savior. I thank you for blessing the place where I shall sleep. I have your face on my heart. Good-bye. I have done." The following day I also consecrated the Indians' burial place near St. John's church.

Last summer I held service on the site of our first mission to the Dacotahs. It awakened many sad memories of the past. My early struggles and conflicts for this poor race, the awful scenes of the Sioux massacre of 1862, the heroism of Christian Indians who rescued white women and children from death, the nameless graves of many who fell victims to savage fury provoked by a nation's neglect and robbery and with these sad memories deep gratitude to God that so many of these wandering souls have been led to Christ. The venerable Indian Scout, Good Thunder, is the Leader of this Christian Indian settlement and at their request the Rev S. D. Hinman has been sent as their teacher. Our deep gratitude is due to God for his blessing upon our work.

PARISHES AND MISSIONS.

Parishes and Missions seem to have put on new life. Calvary Church, Rochester; Church of the Nativity, Wells; Ascension Church, Kenyon; St. Mark's Church, Lake City, all largely due to the faithful women who always are our helpers, have builded beautiful parsonages for their rectors. Christ Church, Benson; St. Paul's Church, Winona; Christ Church, St. Vincent; St. Luke's, Hastings; Ascension, Kenyon, have paid their Church debt. Grace Church, Montevideo; Church of the Good Shepherd, Albert

Lea; Elysian; Lake Reno; Merriam Park; Calvary Church, Minneapolis; Grace Church, Sauk Rapids, have builded Churches. St. Paul's, Duluth; St. Judes, Henderson, and Kasson, have repaired and made beautiful their Houses of God.

The Rev. George H. Mueller at Blue Earth City and Lake Chrystal, the Rev. P. B. Peabody, at Austin; the Rev. T. K. Allen, in Houston county; the venerable Father Chandler, Belle Creek: the Rev. Wm. Wilkinson, Kenyon, Zumbrota and Pine Island, have been able under God, to awaken into life Missions which seemed almost dead. The Church people of Glencoe, St. Peter and Mankato are about to build parsonages. Our older parishes have had large classes for Confirmation, the largest being in Gethsemane and St. Paul's, Minneapolis, the fruit of Missions carefully prepared for, by prayer and self-consecration.

The beautiful Church at Stillwater was destroyed by lightning. We cannot fathom the Providence. We do rejoice that it has called out the devotion of this flock and the Church is being rebuilt. This parish has been bereaved by the death of Mrs. John McKusick, to whom we are all a debtor for her life of devotion to Christ and His Church.

OUR DEPARTED.

Three of our Clergy have entered into rest.

The Rev. Timothy Wilcoxson came to Minnesota as the associate and fellow laborer of Rev. James Lloyd Breck, nearly forty years ago. The record of their Missionary work is like the stories of Apostolic journeys. They walked five thousand miles the first year. It was not unusual for them to walk from St. Paul to La Crosse, Crow Wing, and St. Peter to hold a service, baptize a child or celebrate the Holy Communion. In 1860 I followed Mr. Wilcoxson one week and found he had walked in the worst winter weather one hundred and sixteen miles in holding his weekly services. Our early Pioneers remember that faithful, patient, quiet man who so bravely did his work for God. For a few years his life was clouded by disease, but we owe to his memory a debt of gratitude for his brave, earnest life of devotion to duty. Rev. James Gurley came to us from the Methodists, where he had been an honored minister. He had all the robust character, sprightly wit and common sense which characterized these pioneer itinerant preachers. He came to the church from the clearest convictions of duty. He was a faithful Missionary until infirmities of body and mind compelled him to rest. Rev. H. Langlois was one of our Seabury sons. He was of Huguenot descent and inherited the loyalty of his race to the gospel of Jesus Christ. He was an unobtrusive, quiet man, little heeded by the noisy world, but few of us will have a better rec-

ord of faithful devotion to duty. We have lost by death three bishops. The Right Rev. Alfred Lee, D. D., L. L. D., Presiding Bishop and Bishop of Delaware. He was a ripe scholar, a devout Christian and always faithful to his convictions of duty. The Right Rev. William M. Green, D. D., Bishop of Mississippi, was emphatically the St. John of the House of Bishops. I could pay him no higher meed of praise and I could say no less. Right Rev. Horatio Potter, D. D., came to his Diocese in stirring days. He was a faithful, devoted shepherd of Christ's flock and went to his rest with the love of all who knew him. It seems only as yesterday that I entered the House of Bishops the youngest in years and office of that venerable house. To-day I am the sixth in seniority. The great names of our Church have fallen asleep. "It is toward evening and the day is far spent." Will not you who have so long been my fellow laborers and to whom I owe a debt of grateful love, help me to finish the work Our Master gave me to do?

SCHOOLS.

The year has brought prosperity to our schools. The schools of Fari-bault are among the first of our Church and our country. They are no longer an experiment. They deserve at the hands of our men of wealth a liberal endowment, so that this blessed work may go on forever. We are hampered for room. We need libraries and scientific apparatus. We must secure additional buildings and permanent endowments. The age demands and will have the best facilities for higher education. They will be supplied. If we give up our vantage ground, others will occupy our place, and we who might be foremost in the work of Christian education will be gleaners where others reap the harvest. It is my earnest desire to build a noble hall for our boys' school, to bear the name of him who founded this work, "The James Lloyd Breck Hall."

The Bishop Whipple school, Moorhead, is slowly winning its way as one of the best of our Church schools. It bears the name of your first Bishop and is a monument to the liberality and energy of its founder and the citizens of Moorhead.

The Breck school at Wilder is designed to provide a home school for persons of moderate means. It has an ample glebe of land, the building is nearly finished, and with a few hundred dollars will be ready to enter on its work.

A CHURCH COLLEGE.

We need a Church college, especially for the thorough preparation of our Candidates for Holy Orders. It would require two hundred and fifty thousand dollars. The State University is open to all. It has a liberal endowment. It is winning a fair name for scholarship. It ought to be

the pride of the state. Many of its students are children of the Church. May I not hope that God will put it into some heart to build and endow a noble Hall to bear its founder's name, which shall have its own Warden and where our sons can receive the benefits of the University and be under the care of the Church.

I have not conferred with the Regents of the University, but I believe they will welcome the co-operation of any Christian Church under this or some similar plan. If we can secure this, we shall have a system of Christian education second to none.

CHURCH WORK.

So far as I know our Charities have been faithfully doing their blessed work.

Hospitals.

Our several Hospitals have brought comfort to many sick and suffering ones, and I think are sharing more and more the labor, the alms, the love and the prayers of the Church.

Sheltering Arms.

The Sheltering Arms of Minneapolis is a Diocesan Institute. It supplies a great need in the care of Christ's little ones. Its children come from every portion of the state and it has a just claim on your sympathy, alms and prayers.

Woman's Auxiliary.

In Christ's name I thank the faithful women of our branch of the Woman's Auxiliary, of which Mrs. Mayo is president and Mrs. Folds secretary, for their aid given so freely to the Missionaries of the Cross. A full report of their work will be presented to the council. May God reward them in *that* day for work which we can only give our gratitude.

Questions of the Hour and Aggressive Church Work.

BROTHERS: We have met to confer together about the interests of the Kingdom of God. May I suggest that it would be wise for us to devote more time to the questions of the hour, the care of the lambs of Christ in the Sunday school, the best means for aggressive work among the people, the welfare of our schools and charities, the means to stay the flood of sensuality, intemperance and crime, the better organization of Missions and Parishes for Christian work, and less time for the routine work of assessments, election of officers and amendment of canons. Think how seldom we meet to confer together, how short the time is—surely these

annual gatherings ought to quicken our hearts and inflame our love. I am sure that if we could arrange to have these living questions brought before us, laity and clergy would hail the annual council as a blessed season of Christian fellowship.

GENERAL CONVENTION.

Our last general convention was memorable for its fraternal love, its Missionary spirit and its adaptation of our Book of Common Prayer to our needs as a Missionary Church, and for its earnest plea for the restoration of Christianity. I regretted the long discussion about a change of name. With the mass of irreligion, communism and infidelity in the land, the multitudes as sheep without a shepherd, the gross sensuality which delights in brutal sports, the worldiness which brings Corinth to our door, the divisions among Christians, an Apostolic Church has graver duties than the discussion of her name. Whatever name the Church bears the world will admit our claims as an Apostolic and Catholic Church when they see in us the love, the faith and the works of an Apostolic and Catholic Church.

CHURCH UNITY.

The House of Bishops set forth a declaration to the different Christian communions in this land who, in their several spheres, have contended for the religion of Christ:

1. Our earnest desire that the Savior's prayer "that we may be all one" may in its truest sense be speedily fulfilled.

2. That we believe that all who have been duly baptised with water in the name of the Father and the Son and the Holy Ghost are members of the Holy Catholic Church.

3. That in all things of human ordering or human choice relating to modes of worship and discipline, or to traditional customs, this Church is ready in the spirit of love and humility to forego all preferences of her own.

4. That this Church does not seek to absorb other communions, but rather co-operating with them on the basis of a common faith and order to discountenance schism, to heal the wounds of the body of Christ and to promote the charity which is the chief of Christian graces and the visible manifestation of Christ to the world. * * * * And they further declare their belief, that as parts of the sacred deposit essential to the restoration of unity among the divided branches of Christendom, we account the following:

1. The Old and New Testament as the Revealed Word of God.
2. The Nicene Creed as the sufficient statement of the Christian Faith.

3. The two sacraments, Baptism and the Supper of the Lord, ministered with unfailing use of Christ's words of Institution and of the elements ordained by Him.

4. The Historic Episcopate, locally adopted in the methods of its administration to the varying needs of peoples and nations called of God into union with His Church. * * And they further declared that this Church is ready to enter into brotherly conference with any or all Christian bodies seeking the restoration of the organic unity of the Church.

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No declaration has been made by the Bishops of any branch of the Church of graver importance or which under God may lead to more blessed results. It is no eirenicon to heal the schisms of the body of Christ. It is simply an olive branch of peace and love. It asks for calm, prayerful deliberation. Neither our brethren of other communions nor we ourselves are prepared for such a reunion, but is it too much to hope, nay to believe, that the spirit of God is stirring Christian hearts the world over; to ask for Christian unity and that in God's own good time it will come? Brethren, pray for it, speak no word which will widen the separation, labor for peace, seek for Christ's image on all His children and ever say, "Grace be with all who love our Lord Jesus Christ in sincerity."

SACRAMENTS.

BRETHREN:—I have at all times tried to give you all the liberty which the Church gives and have never given you advice in private or public, upon matters of ritual unless constrained to do so by convictions of duty to Christ and His Church and to further the work of a Missionary Church. We cannot be too careful to follow the mind of Christ and the example of His apostles in celebrating Holy Sacraments. These Sacraments are mysteries of the Kingdom of God. Every direction of our blessed Lord must be fulfilled in order to receive the benefits which He has appointed them to convey. It is not enough to put water in the font, it is not enough to invoke the presence of the Holy Ghost, it is not enough to pour water on the person, it must be applied in the name of the Father and the Son and the Holy Ghost. Then and only then it is Christian Baptism. In the Sacrament of the Holy Communion our Lord made its reception a part of His institution.

All the Evangelists agree that "He took bread, and when He had given thanks, He brake it and gave it to His disciples saying *take, eat*, this is my body which is given for you, do this in remembrance of Me. Likewise after supper He took the cup and when He had given thanks, He gave it to them saying *drink ye all of this*, for this is My blood of the New Testament, which is shed for you and for many for the remission of sins; do this as oft as ye drink it in remembrance of Me." The Apostle

St. Paul, writing under the guidance of the Holy Ghost, repeats our Lord's words and makes the eating and the drinking a part of the Divine Sacrament. St. Paul did not say "Is not the bread we break the body of Christ?" He did say "Is not the bread we break the communion of the body of Christ?" If it is asked *when* are these gifts of bread and wine taken out of the kingdom of nature and made the channels of grace? It is when penitent and believing souls receive them according to our Lord and Saviour's divine institution, in remembrance of His death and passion, and then, when the entire prescription is observed and fulfilled is the Lord's promise fulfilled, then Eternal life is fed and they are indeed partakers of His Body and Bread. To attempt to define the mode and manner of Christ's presence, or to predicate benefits of this Sacrament other than those our Lord expressly appointed it to convey will, I fear, bring peril to souls.

I dare not say more. Others defining the mode and manner of Christ's presence have withheld from the faithful "the cup of blessing" which St. Paul said was the communion of the Blood of Christ, of which our Lord's command was "Drink ye all of this." We cannot urge our people to too careful preparation for the Lord's table. As penitent sinners humbly looking to Him alone for pardon we must come. We come in the way He provided. We come to receive the grace He promised. But we must remember that the Holy Ghost is His Representative, that He ascended into Heaven to send to us "the Comforter." We are made Sons of God by the Holy Ghost by Whom the Son of God became the Son of Man. The Holy Ghost keeps up the life current between disciples on earth and their ascended Lord in Heaven. It may be that some of you are able to philosophise about mysteries which our branch of the Church has never defined, but to the people, it brings the peril of a violation of the second commandment. Our dear Church has never defined what God has not defined. She calls her children to the Lord's guest Chamber. She tells them how to come and they who heed and receive His word do receive "the Communion of His body and His blood."

MISSIONS.

Brethren: A few words about Missions. There is much to cheer our hearts, much more to humble our pride and send us to our closets. There are few religious bodies in our state which have a larger share in the intelligence and wealth of the state. We are behind others in occupying new fields. Our Clerical force ought to be doubled in St. Paul and Minneapolis. We need ten Missionaries in fields white for the harvest. I am over bold. It may be the last plea of your old bishop. Will you not for His sake who died for you, make generous individual gifts for this work, as God has blessed you.

October 28, Mrs. Whipple and myself were mercifully saved from an awful death in the wreck of the limited express of Chicago & Milwaukee Ry. at Rio, Wisconsin, where over twenty human beings were burned to death. Our deep gratitude is due to God and to the brave hero, Engineer Thomas Little, who perilled his life to save others from death. Such acts of loyalty to duty, which are not unfrequent among these railway men ought not to be forgotten in a day when so much is said about human rights and so little about human duties. My life has been a strangely chequered one of joy and sorrow, of perils and deliverance. I wonder at God's goodness — I count next to His grace and love, the love of clergy and laity to sustain and hold up my hands. If care, sickness and sorrow have chiselled some lines on these cheeks, I am sure that when we reach the other home we shall know the reason why the way has been rough, and know that it was our best road home.

Divine service being ended, the Rt. Rev. The President took the chair and called the Council to order. The Secretary called the roll of the Clergy, furnished by the Rt. Rev. The Bishop, when forty-eight answered to their names, took seats, and a quorum of Clergy found present.

The list of Parishes was then called and the Credentials of Lay Delegates placed in the hands of the Secretary.

The Rt. Rev. The President, appointed The Rev. J. A. Gilfillan and The Rev. T. C. Hudson to act, with the Secretary, as a Committee on Lay Credentials, which reported immediately, forty-three Parishes and Missions as entitled to representation. The roll of Lay Delegates being called, fifty-eight answered to their names, representing twenty-eight Parishes, took seats, and a quorum found present, and the Rt. Rev. The President, declared the Council open for business.

On motion of the Rev. J. Steinfert Kidney, D. D., The Rev. Andrew D. Stowe was re-elected Secretary, who appointed the Rev. T. C. Hudson, Assistant Secretary.

On motion Mr. H. P. Hoppin was re-elected Treasurer of the Diocese.

On motion Mr. E. H. Holbrook, jr., was re-elected Treasurer of the Episcopate Fund.

On motion visiting Clergy and Divinity Students were invited to seats in this Council.

On motion a recess was taken until 2:30 P. M.

CATHEDRAL OF OUR MERCIFUL SAVIOR, }
Wednesday, June 8, 2:30 P. M. }

Council reassembled, the Rt. Rev. The President in the chair. Council called to order. The President announced the following standing committees:

ON LEGISLATION—The Rev. J. Steinfort Kidney, D. D., The Rev. Thos. B. Wells, D. D., Judge E. T. Wilder, Hon. Gordon E. Cole.

ON FINANCE—The Rev. J. A. Gilfillan, W. P. Folds, J. H. Ames.

ON STATE OF THE CHURCH—The Rev. E. C. Bill, The Rev. Wm. H. Knowlton, The Rev. C. H. Plummer, Sam Partridge, Lewis Stowe, Reuben Warner, A. E. Haven.

ON INCORPORATION OF PARISHES—The Rev. A. R. Graves, Hon. I. Atwater, Hon. M. H. Sessions.

ON UNFINISHED BUSINESS—The Rev. W. C. Pope, The Rev. T. C. Hudson.

On motion The Rt. Rev. The President was authorized by the Council to appoint the Committee on Assessments, and he accordingly announced the following:

COMMITTEE ON ASSESSMENTS—The Rev. Thos. B. Wells, D. D., The Rev. C. D. Andrews, The Rev. C. H. Plummer, Reuben Warner, E. H. Holbrook, jr., H. P. Hoppin.

The Rt. Rev. The Bishop read the report of the Minnesota Church Foundation, as follows:

REPORT.

Rt. Rev. H. B. Whipple.

My dear Bishop:

I enclose consolidated statement of account of Gordon E. Cole, Treasurer of Board of Trustees of Minnesota Church Foundation, from May 21, 1886, to June 4, 1887, for the information of the Council.

The resolution of the Council for 1886, directing the Treasurer of Episcopate Fund to pay over to the corporation certain monies of that fund, contains no instruction or authority as to its investment. The Treasurer has received \$10,105.50 from E. H. Holbrook, Treasurer, and has invested it in certificates of deposit of the First National Bank, drawing 4 per cent per annum. The Council should by resolution give definite and certain instructions to our Board, in relation to this fund, and covering any further funds it may receive from the same source.

The income of the corporation from its own property (based on present rentals), will probably be as follows:

One mortgage of \$500 at 8 per cent.....	\$40.00
Leases of 5 lots in Park Place.....	701.40
One store on Rice street at \$25 per month.....	300.00
Second floor of Rice street stores, \$40 per month ...	480.00
No. 92 Park place, \$40.00 per month.....	480.00
No. 94 " 40.00 "	480.00
No. 58 " 41.66 "	500.00
No. 54 " 41.66 "	500.00
No. 56 " 41.66 "	500.00

\$3,981.40

The two stores on Rice street have been vacant since June 1st, 1886, until May 1, when one of them was rented. The other is still vacant. The rent of Nos. 54 and 56 will commence from June 6th.

There should be an early meeting of our Board, to fill vacancies, and to provide for building another dwelling house, or otherwise investing the balance of principal which will remain on hand after existing building contracts are paid. It will be about \$4,000.

Sincerely your friend,

HARVEY OFFICER, *Secretary.*

St. Paul, Minn., June 4, 1887.

The Board of Trustees of the Minnesota Church Foundation in Account with Gordon E. Cole, Treasurer (for Diocesan Council of 1887.)

1886.	CR.		
May 21,	Balances, per annual statement to Diocesan Council of 1886....		\$2,227.12
1887.			
June 1,	By mortgages collected (principal)....	10,300 00	
" 1,	" interest on mortgages.....	598.62	
" 1,	" rents collected.....	2,461.34	
" 1,	" city of St. Paul, damages for 10 feet of lot on Summit av. condemned to widen alley in Park Place.....	1,351.00	
" 1,	" cash from E. H. Holbrook, jr., Treas. paid to this Board under resolution of Diocesan Council of 1886 for Cr. of Episcopate fund.....	10,105.50	
			<u>\$27,043.58</u>
1886.	DR.		
Sept. 20,	Cost of construction of dwelling No. 58 Park place, rented at \$500 per yr..	\$3,923.69	
1887.			
June 1,	Paid on acct. of construction of double dwelling house Nos. 54-56 Park place, not completed, but rent'd from June 6 at \$500 per year, each.....	3,374.11	7,297.80
" 1,	Repairs on stores and dwellings to date	83.60	
" 1,	Insurance on " " "	77.80	
" 1,	Taxes and assessments to date.....	778.33	
" 1,	Abstract title to 80 acres, Ramsey co..	3.20	
" 1,	Advertising stores to rent.....	1.89	944.82
" 4,	E. H. Holbrook, jr., Treas. Episcopate Fund, net income from May 21, 1886, to June 4, 1887.....		2,115.14
" 4,	Invested in certificates of deposit of Fst. Nat. Bk. St. Paul, to order Gordon E. Cole, treas. for acct. Episcopate fund, under res. of Diocesan Council, 1886		10,105.50
" 4,	Balance on deposit belonging to Excelsior Church fund.....	81.23	
" 4,	B.l. on deposit belonging to Gen. Fund	6,499.09	6,580.32
			<u>\$27,043.58</u>

GORDON E. COLE, *Treasurer.*

St. Paul, June 4, 1887.

By HARVEY OFFICER, *Sec'y.*

On motion of Hon. M. H. Sessions the following, offered by Hon. G. E. Cole, was adopted.

Resolved: That the Board of Trustees of the Minnesota Church Foundation be, and they are hereby authorized in their discretion to invest the funds which have been, or may be paid over to them, pursuant to a resolution of the last Diocesan Convention, designed for a fund for the support of the Episcopate, in building upon and improving the Park Place property located in the city of St. Paul, or in such other manner as may to them seem most beneficial to the Diocese.

On motion of the Rev. J. Steinfort Kidney, D. D. it was

Resolved: That, that part of the address of the Bishop of the Diocese, suggesting that the attention of the Council be more largely occupied by topics other than its merely routine business, be referred to a special committee of three, and that their report be made the order of the day for to-morrow (Thursday) at eleven o'clock A. M.

The Rt. Rev. The President then appointed such committee as follows:

The Rev. J. Steinfort Kidney, D. D., Judge E. T. Wilder, J. H. Ames

The Rev. Edward Moyses offered the following resolution, which on motion was referred to the Committee on Legislation.

Resolved, That Canon XIII. be amended as follows:

Add to title, "and offerings."

Add to Canon, "Offerings shall be received systematically in the Parishes of the Diocese as follows:

"For the Communion Alms, on the first Sunday in the month. For Domestic and Foreign Missions, on the second Sunday in Advent, or on the second Sunday after the Epiphany. For Church Hospitals, on Thanksgiving. For Disabled Clergy, on Christmas. For Diocesan Education, on Sunday in the September Ember week. For Bibles and Prayer Books, on Whitsunday. For American Church Building Fund, Diocesan Missions, Bishop's Salary and Council Fund, on the third Sunday in every month in the year, when one of the above named Sundays is not the third in the month. And at every Episcopal visitation, for such object as shall be selected by the Bishop.

The Rt. Rev. The Bishop read the following:

REPORT.

Report of the Work Done by the Minnesota Branch of the
"Woman's Auxilliary to the Board of Mission," 1886-87.

Cash collection at annual meeting in Christ Church, St. Paul,

Oct. 1st, 1886, sent to Rev. Mr. Appleby, St. Vincent, Minn...	\$ 32 00
S. Paul's Church, St. Paul.....	987 45
Christ Church, St. Paul.....	872 50
Church of the Good Shepherd, St. Paul....	145 10
S. Mark's Church, Minneapolis.....	849 10
Gethsemane Church, Minneapolis.....	36 90
Holy Trinity, Minneapolis.....	50 00
S. Paul's, Minneapolis.....	149 50
Christ Church, Red Wing.....	35 00
S. Luke's, Hastings.....	70 00
Cathedral, Faribault.....	124 87
Church of the Nativity, Wells.....	107 80
S. John's, Janesville.....	40 00

Total.....\$3,500 22

MARY D. FOLDS,
Secretary.

Mr. E. H. Holbrook, Jr., Treasurer of the Episcopate Fund, submitted his report which on motion, was referred to Finance Committee (See Appendix A.)

On motion of E. H. Holbrook, Jr., Treas., it was—

Resolved, That the arrearages in assessments for the Episcopate Fund be remitted as follows: Good cause for such action having been shown to the Treasurer:

Fairmont.....\$ 8 00	Howard Lake.....\$ 4 00
Granite Falls..... 6 00	Kasson..... 7 00
Shakopee..... 25 00	St. Charles..... 10 00
Waseca..... 12 00	White Earth..... 18 29
Rev. Chas. Booth's Stations 6 00	

On Motion of The Rev. C. A. Poole it was—

Resolved, That the Council proceed to the election of a Standing Committee.

The Rev. C. H. Plummer offered the following resolution, which on motion was adopted:

Resolved, That the ballot be suspended and that the old Standing Committee be re-elected, except that The Rev. Wm. C. Pope of St. Paul is elected to the vacancy caused by the removal of The Rev. E. S. Thomas (now Bishop) from the Diocese.

On motion of Mr. E. H. Holbrook, jr., it was—

Resolved, That the balance of the bill, amounting to \$17.50, paid by The Assistant Bishop, The Rt. Rev. M. N. Gilbert, D. D., for printing the sermon delivered by The Rt. Rev. D. S. Tuttle, D. D., Bishop of Missouri, at his consecration, the same having been done at the request of the Minnesota Delegation to the General Convention, be repaid to him by the Diocesan Treasurer.

On motion Mr. Wm. B. Folds was re-elected a member of the Board of Trustees of the Diocese of Minnesota for the term of six years.

Mr. H. P. Hoppin, Diocesan Treasurer, submitted his report, which was, on motion, referred to the Committee on Finance. (Appendix B.)

Mr. E. H. Holbrook, jr., treasurer of the Episcopate Fund, submitted to the Council a bill presented to him by the Assistant Bishop for traveling expenses, amounting to \$159.15, which on motion was referred to the Committee on Finance.

The Rt. Rev. The President called the Assistant Bishop to the chair.

On motion The Rt. Rev. The President was authorized by the Council to appoint a committee to nominate a Diocesan Board of Missions, whereupon he appointed the following as such Committee: The Rev. A. R. Graves The Rev. C. H. Plummer, H. P. Hoppin.

On motion council adjourned until 7:45 p. m.

CATHEDRAL OF OUR MERCIFUL SAVIOR, }
 Wednesday, June 8, 7:45 P. M. }

Council re-assembled and called to order by The Rt. Rev. The President. Prayers being said by the Rev. E. Jay Cooke, the Council listened to the address of The Assistant Bishop, The Rt. Rev. M. N. Gilbert, D. D., as follows:

ASSISTANT BISHOP'S ADDRESS.

Before reaching my report I desire to humbly and devoutly return my thanks to the Great Head of the Church for his watchful and preserving care over me and for the many manifestations of His loving providence.

I desire also to express my heartfelt appreciation to the Bishop of this Diocese for the warm and generous heart welcome he has from the first given me, and for his wise and fatherly counsels in the prosecution of my work. May our Heavenly Father, long preserve him to the Church he honors, and to the Diocese, in which, he is so lovingly and tenderly revered.

Moreover, I cannot refrain from thanking my brethren of Clergy and Laity for their cordial greetings, always and everywhere given, and for their unfailing and sympathetic co-operation. May God reward them for their kindness.

I was consecrated, as Assistant Bishop of Minnesota in St. James' Church, Chicago, on the seventeenth Sunday after Trinity, Oct. 17, 1886, The Right Rev. Alfred Lee, Presiding Bishop, being Consecrator.

My resignation as Rector of Christ Church, St. Paul, took effect on Sunday, Nov. 14th, where at the evening services I began my work as Assistant Bishop, by confirming a class of seventeen persons and addressing them. The following Thursday, at the request of the Bishop of the Diocese, I started northward for a visitation of the Parishes and Missions, in certain portions of the Northern Convocation.

Sunday, Nov. 21st, I held services in the school house at Hallock, Kittson county, confirmed four persons and addressed them. I desire to say here, to avoid constant repetition, that I have always, except in two or three instances, made an address to the candidates for confirmation.

At Hallock I organized a Mission, named it St. John's, and appointed a Church committee. Arrangements were made for The Rev. Mr. Appleby to give them one Sunday service a month. Steps have since been taken looking toward building a Church, which it is hoped will be completed before winter. At 3 P. M. I consecrated Christ church, St. Vincent, and confirmed twelve persons. The arduous and self-denying

work Mr. Appleby is doing in this vast region is of untold value to the Church, and the cheerful, self-denying spirit he displays is worthy of all praise.

In the evening, held services in the Presbyterian Church at Pembina, Dakota.

Tuesday, November 23d, I held services, assisted by the Missionary in charge, Rev. S. Currie, and confirmed four persons, one in private, in Red Lake Falls, Polk county. I appointed a Church committee, organized St. Andrew's Mission and arranged for regular services. This is a promising point, and a Church will probably be built this year.

Thursday, November 24th, Thanksgiving Day, held services and baptised one child in the little rural Church at Mentor, Polk county. I appointed a Church committee and placed the work under the charge of the Rev. Mr. Currie, of Crookston.

Friday, November 25th, held services in the Methodist church at Fisher's Landing.

Sunday, November 27th, the first Sunday in Advent, I preached morning and evening in Christ Church, Crookston, and confirmed in the evening a class of nine persons, presented by the Rector, Rev. Mr. Currie. Mr. Currie has done a good work in Crookston, and although he has now resigned the parish, he will give his valuable services to the missionary work in Polk county and points adjacent.

Tuesday, November 30th, held services in the Baptist Church at Breckenridge, assisted by Rev. Mr. Pinkham, of Wahpeton, Dakota. I organized St. Luke's Mission, appointed a Church committee and made arrangements for Mr. Pinkham to take charge of the work. It is a field of much promise, but we must have a Church of our own, before we can make real progress.

Wednesday, December 1st, held services in the Church at Brown's Valley. I was assisted by Rev. Mr. Ashley, of Sisseton Agency, Dakota, who is able and willing to give the few Church folks here an occasional service.

Thursday, Dec. 2d, held services in the Methodist church in Morris, our own Church being out of repair. The work here is at a standstill, but occasional services by some neighboring missionary ought to be given.

Friday, Dec. 3d, 10:30 a. m., I consecrated Zion Church, Reno, Pope Co., under the charge of Rev. R. M. Johnson. This is a neat edifice, beautifully situated in a thriving farming community. On the evening of the same day preached and confirmed one person in the Baptist Church, Glenwood. Mr. Johnson hopes to build, during the summer, a Chapel, which is much needed.

Sunday evening, Dec. 5th, I held services in St. James Church, Fergus Falls. This parish is prospering under the faithful ministration of Rev. Samuel Mills.

Monday, Dec. 6th, held services in Emmanuel Church, Alexandria. This Parish is at present without a Rector.

Tuesday, Dec. 7th, preached in the Church of the Good Samaritan, Sauk Centre, under the charge of the much loved Rector, Rev. J. F. Hamilton.

Thursday, Dec. 7th, I held services in the new Church at Sauk Rapids. This Church is erected upon the ruins of one destroyed in the spring by the Cyclone, and built almost entirely by means of funds contributed by the Parishes of this Diocese.

Friday at 3 p. m. I held services in the Church at Royalton, and in the evening preached and confirmed one person at Little Falls. These three places are under the charge of Rev. L. C. Birch.

Saturday, Dec. 11th, lectured in Moorhead for the benefit of the Library Fund of the Bishop Whipple School.

Sunday, Dec. 12th, 10:30 a. m. I preached and confirmed three persons in St. John's Church, Moorhead, and in the evening preached to a large congregation in the Opera House. Mr. Swan, for several years in charge of this important Parish, has gone to the Diocese of Indiana. He is greatly missed. The Bishop Whipple School, fittingly named after the venerable and beloved Bishop of this Diocese, is accomplishing much good in the cause of Christian education, and should receive the hearty sympathy and support of the Church men of all this northwestern country.

Tuesday evening, Dec. 14th, held services in the Methodist Church, Barnesville.

Wednesday evening, Dec. 15th, in St. Luke's Church, Detroit, I preached and confirmed one person.

Thursday evening, Dec. 16th, preached in the Congregational Church, Perham. The money has been secured and a Church will be erected this year. The Mission has sustained a severe loss in the death of one of its chief resident supporters, Mr. R. Demmison, who entered into rest on the day preceding my visitation.

Friday evening, Dec. 18th, I preached in the Rectory at Wadena, two rooms having been transformed into a very comfortable Chapel. These three stations, Detroit, Perham and Wadena, are fortunate in having the services of the Rev. E. Steele Peake.

Sunday, Dec. 19th, held services and preached morning and evening, in Ascension Church, Stillwater. This Parish has suffered a serious disaster by the destruction of the Church by fire on the morning of Easter Monday last. Immediate steps looking towards rebuilding have been taken, and it is hoped that the Church will be completed before winter. This important Parish is at present without a Clergyman. The recent death of Mrs. John McKusick has taken from the Church in Stillwater one who has been identified with all its interests from the very beginning.

She was a noble, christian woman. Her life was a benediction, her death a triumph.

Christmas Day I preached in Christ Church, St. Paul, and during Christmas week addressed the Sunday Schools in Christ, St. Stephens and Ascension Churches, St. Paul. Sunday, Jan. 2, 1887, preached morning and evening in Christ Church, St. Paul. At 3 p. m., consecrated St. Stephen's Church, Randolph St., one of the Missions of Christ Church.

Tuesday, Jan. 4th, in the evening I preached in St. John's Church, Worthington, in the southwestern portion of the Diocese.

Wednesday evening, Jan. 5th, preached in the Presbyterian Church, Luverne.

Thursday evening, Jan. 6th, preached in the Methodist Church, Pipe Stone. Flourishing congregations could be gathered in both Pipe Stone and Luverne, if a Missionary could be placed in charge. The people are asking for the Church. Would that we could find the right man for them.

Friday evening, Jan. 7th, preached and confirmed three persons in the Chapel at Slayton, Murry Co. I appointed a Church committee and directed Rev. Mr. Gunn to hold services there once in a month. In all these services I was assisted by the Rev. Mr. Gunn, of Wilder, our only Missionary in southwestern Minnesota.

Sunday, Jan. 9th, preached morning and evening in the Church at Albert Lea, then under charge of Rev. R. R. Goudy.

Wednesday, Jan. 12th, I consecrated All Angels Memorial Church, Lake Crystal, preached and confirmed four persons. The church here for the year past has been under the charge of Rev. Mr. Hudson, of Mankato, but is now united with Blue Earth City and is served by the Missionary at that parish.

Thursday, Jan. 13th, preached in Christ Church, Madelia.

Friday, Jan. 14th, consecrated Calvary Church, St. James, preached and confirmed one person.

Sunday, Jan. 16th, consecrated the Church of the Good Shepherd, Windom, Cottonwood Co. These three places are under the charge of the Rev. D. G. Gunn. A resident Missionary ought to be stationed at Windom. He could do a good work there. Monday and Tuesday following I was blockaded in Windom by a blizzard, and improved the time by addressing the people on the subject of temperance each evening. The detention caused me to miss appointments at Wilder, Heron Lake, Le Sueur and Henderson.

Thursday morning, Jan. 20th, I was able to reach Minneapolis and take part in the second days proceedings of the Central Convocation.

I also ordained to the Diaconate Joseph Wakazoo, a well educated and devoted Chippewa Indian, who is in charge of the Indian Mission field at Lake Winnibigoshish.

Sunday, Jan. 23d, preached morning and evening in St. John's Church, Mankato, and confirmed seven persons.

Mr. Hudson is doing a good work at Mankato. A Rectory much needed, is to be built this year.

Monday evening Jan. 24th, preached in the Church of the Holy Communion, St. Peter, which is under the efficient care of Rev. D. F. Thompson.

Tuesday, Jan. 25th, Mr. Thompson and I started for Red Wood Falls, but were turned back by snow blockade.

Wednesday, Jan. 26th, preached and confirmed eleven persons in St. Luke's Church, Minneapolis. This is a flourishing Mission with a very attractive new Church in a growing part of the city. Rev. W. B. Hamilton is the Missionary in charge.

Sunday, Jan. 30th, preached morning and evening in Grace Church, Wabasha, and confirmed two persons.

Monday, Jan. 31st, preached and confirmed one person in the Church of the Holy Comforter, Brownsville.

Tuesday, Feb. 1st, preached and confirmed four persons in Trinity Church, Caledonia. The full services of the Church are given here one Sunday in the month by the Rev. Mr. Allen, and on the other Sundays the Sunday School is sustained under the Superintendence of the Senior Warden.

Wednesday, Feb. 2d, preached in St. John's Church, Houston. The work here has taken on new life and the outlook is more cheering. Mr. Allen gives this Mission one Sunday in the month. This venerable and devoted Missionary is demonstrating in Southeastern Minnesota the success of itinerant work, where it is faithfully and conscientiously performed.

Monday, Feb. 3d, I preached in Emmanuel Church, Rushford, Rev. J. A. Pritchard Rector.

Thursday, Feb. 4th, preached and confirmed five persons in Christ Church, Austin, Rev. P. B. Peabody, Missionary in charge. After many years of depression Church life is being re-enkindled here under Mr. Peabody's wise and judicious management.

Sunday, Feb. 6th, preached morning and evening and confirmed eight persons in the Church of the Nativity, Wells. Our Missionary, Rev. E. H. Clark, has a model Parish and is much beloved. A new Rectory has been built and paid for within the year.

Monday, Feb. 7th, I preached and confirmed one person in the Church of the Good Shepherd, Blue Earth City. After a protracted vacancy the Mission has been fortunate in securing the services of Rev. Geo. H. Mueller, who also cares for the work at Lake Crystal.

Tuesday, Feb. 8, preached and confirmed four persons in St. Martin's Church, Fairmount. Since my visitation, the Rev. R. R. Goudy has taken charge of this interesting field.

Thursday, Feb. 10th, I preached in the new Grace Church, Elysian, and confirmed seven persons. Mr. W. McVettie, Lay Reader, has charge of this Mission.

Friday, Feb. 11th, preached in St. Andrew's Church, Waterville, and made arrangements for Mr. McVettie to give the people a service every Sunday morning.

Sunday, Feb. 13th, at 10:30 A. M. held services in the Church at Waseca. Rev. Mr. Metcalf, of Owatonna, will hereafter take charge of this Mission, giving regular Sunday evening services and pastoral care. I look for a revival of interest.

Sunday evening preached and confirmed one person in St. John's Church, Janesville. The Rev. Jas. Cornell, for ten years past at Wabasha, has just entered upon the charge of this Parish.

Tuesday, Feb. 15th, preached and confirmed three persons in the Church of the Ascension, Kenyon, Goodhue county. Rev. Mr. Wilkin-son has given here most successful and acceptable services; a new Rectory has been built and the Church improved.

Wednesday, Feb. 16th, preached twice in Trinity Church, Zumbrota, and appointed a Church Committee of three gentlemen to arrange for regular services.

Thursday, Feb. 17th, preached twice in Grace Church, Pine Island. This place and Zumbrota are under the charge of Rev. Mr. Wilkinson, of Kenyon.

Sunday, Feb. 20th, in Grace Church, Montevideo, I preached twice and confirmed ten persons. The Church has taken deep root in Montevideo. A new and beautiful Church has been built within the year, and with a resident pastor the work will, under God's blessing, go on prosperously.

Monday, Feb. 21st, preached and confirmed one person in Gethsemane Church, Appleton.

Ash Wednesday, Feb. 23d, preached in Christ Church, St. Paul; and during the Lenten season I frequently officiated in this Church.

Monday, Feb. 28th, preached in St. John's Church, Le Sueur.

Tuesday, Feb. 29th, preached in the Church at Henderson. These two places have been vacant, but will soon, I trust, have the services of a pastor.

Thursday, March 3d, consecrated, Christ Church, Albert Lea, erected through the munificent generosity of Mr. H. W. Arey.

Thursday, March 10th, preached and confirmed nine persons in St. Paul's Church, Belle Creek, Goodhue Co. This little rural Parish has been for many years blessed with the devoted ministrations of The Rev. S. P. Chandler.

Friday, March 11th, I lectured on temperance in Christ Church, Red Wing.

Saturday and Sunday, March 12th and 13th, preached Mission sermons in St. Mark's Church, Lake City.

Sunday Evening, March 20th, in St. Luke's Church, Hastings, I preached and confirmed twenty persons. This excellent Parish is going forward vigorously under the most acceptable ministrations of the Rev. Mr. Moysee.

Monday, March 21st, preached and confirmed four persons in Grace Church, Wabasha.

Tuesday, March 22d, I spent in Winona, engaged in matters connected with the parish.

Thursday evening, March 24th, lectured before the students at Seabury Divinity School.

Friday evening, March 25th, addressed the young ladies of St. Mary's Hall.

Tuesday, March 29th, preached and confirmed eight persons in Trinity Church, Elk River.

Thursday, March 31st, held services in All Saints Church, Northfield.

Sunday, April 3d, at 4. p. m., I preached and confirmed fifteen persons in Grace Church, Minneapolis, Rev. C. E. Hixon, Rector. The Church during the past year has been removed to a more eligible location and the future seems bright.

Sunday, April 3d, 7:30 p. m., in Gethsemane Church, Minneapolis, preached and confirmed fifty-nine persons, the largest class ever presented in the Diocese.

Saturday, April 9th, at 7:30 p. m., preached and confirmed eight persons in the Church of the Ascension, W. St. Paul. Rev. Geo. H. Yarnall has had successful charge of this important field since October last.

Easter day I officiated in Christ Church, St. Paul; in the afternoon confirming twenty-eight persons.

Monday, April 11th, held services in St. Peter's Church, Shakopee.

Tuesday, April 12th, preached and confirmed five persons in Christ Church, Glencoe. This mission has received, for several months, the services of Mr. J. W. Jones of Seabury Divinity School, who will enter upon full charge, after his ordination in June.

Thursday, April 15th, preached and confirmed five persons in the Church of the Redeemer, Cannon Falls, Rev. W. C. Sherman, Rector. The town has recently suffered greatly from a disastrous fire, which has somewhat crippled the financial strength of the Church people. They have, however, the interests of the Church too closely in their hearts to permit the Parish to suffer.

Sunday, April 17th, at 10:30 a. m., held services and confirmed five persons in St. Andrews Church, Minneapolis, Rev. J. W. Prosser, Rector, at 4 P. M., in St., Lukes' Church, I confirmed six, Rev. W. B. Hamilton Missionary, and in the evening in All Saints, Rev. E. J. Purdy, Rector, preached and confirmed six.

Tuesday, April 19th, in St. Pauls Church, Brainerd, I preached and confirmed four persons. The venerable Rector of this Parish, who is also Dean of the Northern Convocation, has been suffering from illness for some months. The prayers of the whole Diocese will be given earnestly for his recovery.

The Northern Convocation which was to convene in Brainerd at this time, was prevented, by the withdrawal of half-fare rates on the railroads. This new law, passed by the last legislature, is inflicting great hardships upon our Missionaries and sadly interfering with the aggressive work of the Church. It is to be hoped that its manifest injustice may be seen, and the law repealed at the next session of the legislature.

Thursday, April 21st, preached and confirmed five persons in the Union Church at Aitkin.

Friday, April 22d, held services in the Methodist Church, Princeton.

Monday, April 25th, preached and confirmed eight persons in the Church of the Advent Farmington.

Wednesday, April 27th, attended meeting of the Southern Convocation in Christ Church, Red Wing,

Thursday, April 28th, preached in St. Paul's Church, Point Douglass.

Friday, April 29th, preached and confirmed one person in St. Mary's Church, Basswood Grove. These two stations together with Farmington, were under the charge of our beloved brother and faithful Missionary Rev. Henry Langlois, so recently called to the rest of Paradise.

Sunday, May 1st, at 11 A. M. I instituted the Rev. Charles D. Andrews, as Rector of Christ Church, St. Paul. At 3:30 P. M. preached and confirmed three persons at St. Mary's Church, Merriam Park, and at 7:30 P. M. preached and confirmed eleven persons in St. John the Evangelist Church, St. Paul, Rev. E. J. Cooke, Rector.

Monday evening, May 2d, I held services in the Methodist Church, Beaver Falls, Renville Co.

Tuesday, May 3d, preached and confirmed seven persons in the Church at Red Wood Falls. I appointed a Church committee and continued Rev. Mr. Thompson in charge of the Mission. He will give one Sunday a month to this work.

Wednesday, May 4th, I assisted in the consecration services of the Assistant Bishop of Kansas in St. Paul's Church, St. Paul.

Thursday, May 5th, preached and confirmed twelve persons in the

Methodist Church, Presbach. This work has been successfully developed by Rev. T. K. Allen, who gives to it frequent week day services. A Church committee was appointed who will provide for the services.

Friday, May 6, preached and confirmed two persons in the Congregational Church, Spring Valley. This station is also looked after by Mr. Allen. I appointed a Church committee and arranged for a continuance of the work.

During the greater portion of the two weeks following the above date, I was engaged in making visitations in the Diocese of Wisconsin.

Friday, May 13th, preached and confirmed a supplementary class of six persons in Gethsemane Church, Minneapolis.

Sunday, May 15th, preached and confirmed at 10:30 A. M. five persons in Trinity Church, Anoka.

At half past three preached in the Church at Elk river and in the evening preached and confirmed three persons in Trinity Church, Becker, and consecrated the Church. Rev. A. D. Stowe, the Missionary in charge of these places, has done a noble and successful work in the midst of great personal hardships and difficulties.

Sunday, May 22d, preached twice and confirmed three persons in St. Paul's Church, Duluth, Rev. Chas. A. Poole, Rector.

Monday, May 23d, held service and confirmed two persons in Grace Church, Rush City.

Tuesday, May 24th, held service and confirmed three persons in St. Thomas Church, North Branch.

Wednesday, May 25th, preached and confirmed six persons in St. Luke's Church, Willmar, Rev. D. T. Booth, Rector. Efforts are being made to free this Church property from an indebtedness, which will doubtless be successful. Mr. Booth is much loved and respected by all.

Thursday, May 26th, I preached in Christ Church, Benson. This little Parish has been without a Rector for a year, but one has been called who will enter upon the work in June. Benson and Appleton will be served conjointly.

Friday, May 27th, preached and confirmed eighteen persons in Trinity Church, Litchfield. Mr. Crump's long and faithful Rectorship is producing a bountiful return.

Sunday, May 30th, preached morning and evening in St. John's Church, St. Cloud, Rev. C. A. Cummings, Rector, and confirmed six persons.

Wednesday, June 2d, preached and confirmed three persons, in St. John's Church, Hassan, and in the Presbyterian Church, Rockford. These missions are looked after by Rev. Frank R. Millsbaugh, Rector of St. Paul's Church, Minneapolis.

Friday, June 4th, visited St. Stephen's Church, St. Paul, preached and confirmed three persons. This is one of the Missions of Christ Church

Saturday, June 5th, confirmed four persons in St. Paul's Church, Minneapolis.

Sunday, June 6th, at 10:30 preached in the Methodist Church, Le Sueur Centre. In Christ Church, Cardova, in the afternoon preached and confirmed eight persons. Mr. Crickmer, of Seabury Divinity School, has had charge of the work in these places.

Monday, June 7th, preached in St. Paul's Church, Owatonna, Rev. R. E. Metcalf, Rector.

Summary:—Baptisms, not included in parochial reports, 7; marriages 1; burials 2; confirmations 427; Churches consecrated 8; Lay Readers licensed, 10; viz: Jas. M. Severance, Frank Tolman, Dr. A. F. Kilborne, A. Miller, C. F. Drake, E. S. Crickmer, J. B. Halsey, C. E. Haupt, Arthur Chard, Frank H. Barton; Clergy received 2; viz.: Rev. Geo. H. Mueller, from the Diocese of Iowa, Rev. T. K. Allen, from the Diocese of Wisconsin; Clergy transferred 2: Rev. Geo. C. Tanner to the Diocese of Kansas, Rev. Geo. E. Swan to the Diocese of Indiana.

I have ordained Deacon, Rev. Joseph Wakazoo, in St. Mark's Church, Minneapolis, Jan. 20th, 1887, and have advanced to the Priesthood Rev. Ezra P. Chittenden, in Gethsemane Church, Minneapolis, June 1st, 1887.

I have delivered 237 sermons and addresses, celebrated the Holy Communion 44 times, visited 99 different Parishes and Missions and consecrated one Church Cemetery.

In the Diocese of Wisconsin I have visited fifteen Parishes and Missions and confirmed 158 persons.

This completes the record since Nov. 16, 1887. Dec. 1st, 1887, the Bishop of the Diocese, having been compelled by the state of his health to seek a milder climate, committed the Diocese to my care. This trust continued until April 20, 1887, when the Bishop returned.

My heart goes out in thankfulness to the Great Father for his watchful and preserving care. I have been mercifully preserved in every way in the midst of many exposures and some hardships. I have felt daily my inexperience, but have tried prayerfully to do my duty as best I could. Many blessings have surrounded and followed me, for which the Lord be praised. If in any way I have aided toward the upbuilding of Christ's Kingdom in this Diocese, I am content. My heart rejoices to know that I have been enabled to relieve our honored and unselfish Bishop in his arduous work. I am filled with wonder and admiration when I realize, as never before, the remarkable work he has been able to perform in the years gone by. My own labors are made ten-fold lighter by the path he has so clearly marked out. The blessed help of such a wise leader and overseer impresses itself upon me daily.

Now in conclusion, brethern beloved, for what ought we to specially work and pray? I can only very briefly touch upon a few of the needs. In the first place, we ought to pray more earnestly for laborers in the Lord's Vineyard. Promising fields to day, white for the harvest, are languishing because of the lack of laborers. We need earnest, self-sacrificing men, men who will cheerfully endure hardships for the Master; men with the spirit which animated Breck, Wilcoxson and Livermore. We have, thank God, many such men, but we need more. We want men who realize the blessedness of self-sacrifice. If, in these vacant fields of this Diocese we can place such stewards of the Master, the work will grow and thrive. People everywhere are ready to welcome the Church. Readily will they receive her ministration, if they be offered to them in all their sacred attractiveness. Not only ought the Clergy who minister, be men of consecration, but they need to be well furnished mentally, with sterling common sense, with a knowledge of affairs, and able to grapple with the problems of the day. Better by far that a field should remain vacant than to have it occupied by a clergyman who cannot win souls to Christ, through the Church.

Secondly, we must never lose sight of the importance and blessedness of simple ministrations. In our natural anxiety to see immediate results, we are apt to minimize this great duty. Throughout this great state there are hundreds of families who have not the privileges of the Church. They are scattered over our broad prairies or gathered in little hamlets. To look after these people pastorally, to preach to them the Word, to administer the Sacrament, to give them from time to time the services of our dear Church, is a Christly work. Let the Rectors and the Missionaries hesitate not, to seek out these hungering ones, even if a congregation cannot be formed or a Church erected. Church building should be the natural outgrowth of a real need, the second or the third step in Church work, never the first.

Third. The Missionary spirit needs to be cultivated more in our Parishes. Episcopal though we are in our government, yet too often, I fear, there is practical Congregationalism. This narrow Parochialism should be always discouraged. Present the claims of the Church Catholic *first*; provide for her just demands; *then* press Parochial claims. Gifts for the *former* will never diminish, but rather increase the *latter*. This truth has been demonstrated by manifold experiences. We ought to provide for more frequent general meetings at different important points for the purpose of stimulating interest in the Missionary work of the Church, general and Diocesan. This subject I commend to the consideration of this Council.

Fourth, There should be more certain provision for our aged and infirm Clergy than is to be derived from spasmodic and irregular offerings. No

cause appeals more strongly to the heart of our laymen than this. Let it be definitely and personally presented, and I am confident that in a few years this fund will be generously endowed.

In conclusion, let us give ourselves more entirely to the Master's service, cheerfully doing the work committed into our hands, and more and more filling ourselves with enthusiasm for the dear Lord and for the Church which He has purchased with His Blood.

"The work to be performed is ours.
The strength is all His own."

On motion Council adjourned till 9:30 A. M. Thursday, June 9th.

SECOND DAY.

CATHEDRAL OF OUR MERCIFUL SAVIOR, }
FARIBAULT. Thursday, June 9, 9:30 A. M. }

Pursuant to adjournment, the Council assembled at 9:30 A. M.

After Morning Prayer, conducted by The Rev. Edward Moyses, The Rev. E. H. Clark, The Rev. E. P. Chittenden, The Bishop pronouncing the benediction. The Rt. Rev. The President called the Council to order. The Secretary called the roll of Clerical and Lay Delegates, when the Rev. J. Steinfort Kidney, D. D., Chairman, submitted the following

REPORT.

The Committee on Legislation, to whom was referred the Canon, prepared in the stead of the existing Canon XI, report that they have considered and amended the same, and recommend its adoption by the Council.

J. S. KEDNEY, *Chairman*.

On motion of Judge E. T. Wilder, the report of the Committee, and the Canon XI, as amended (after considerable discussion) was adopted, to-wit:

Resolved, That Canon XI. of the Canons of the Diocese of Minnesota be and the same hereby is amended so as to read as follows:

CANON XI.

ON THE PRESENTATION AND TRIAL OF CLERGYMEN.

SECTION 1. There is hereby established within and for the Diocese of Minnesota a Court to be known as "The Ecclesiastical Court," and a Court to be known as "The Appellate Court," each to consist of five Judges, to be appointed as hereinafter provided, all of whom shall be Presbyters canonically resident within said Diocese.

SEC. 2. The Bishop of the Diocese, at the session of the Council at which this Canon may be adopted, shall appoint five Judges of each of said Courts, whose respective terms of office shall be as follows, viz.: one for one, one for two, one for three, one for four and one for five years.

At each annual session of the Council it shall be the duty of the Bishop to appoint a Judge of each of said Courts in place of each out-going member thereof, who shall hold his office for the term of five years, and it shall be the further duty of the Bishop thus to fill any vacancy that may have occurred in either of said Courts, such appointee to hold his office for the unexpired portion of the term of him whose place he is appointed to fill. All of said Judges, however, to hold over until their respective successors are appointed.

SEC. 3. An accusation may be made against a Clergyman for violation of any Canon of the General Convention or of the Diocese of Minnesota, or for any offence specified in such Canon, to his Bishop by any three communicants of this Church, in writing, over their respective signatures. If the Bishop, assuming for this purpose the accusation to be true, shall think the charge demands investigation, he shall appoint two Presbyters—not members of either of said Courts—to investigate said accusation and report to him in writing, the results in detail of such investigation.

Should this report be such as, in the judgment of the Bishop, to render probable the truth of the accusation, he shall place before the Standing Committee a certified copy thereof. The Standing Committee shall thereupon carefully examine said report and if satisfied of the probable guilt of the accused shall present him for trial to the Bishop, stating distinctly in the presentment the charges and specifications with which he is thus presented with reasonable certainty as to time, place and circumstances; which presentment must be signed by not less than two-thirds of the members of the Committee.

The Bishop shall thereupon order the Ecclesiastical Court to convene at a time and place to be specified for the trial of the accused, to whom notice thereof shall be given in writing, of not less than thirty days, which notice shall be accompanied with a certified copy of the presentment and with a list of the names of the witnesses for the prosecution, so far as then known.

SEC. 4. At the time of issuing the above order and as a part thereof, the Bishop shall appoint some learned and judicious Presbyterian Church Advocate, whose duty it shall be to conduct the trial on the part of the Diocese; and the accused Clergyman may also employ as Counsel any communicant of this Church.

SEC. 5. At any time before the day so named for said trial the accused may peremptorily challenge any two of the judges of said Court, giving notice thereof to the Bishop. Three of said Judges shall constitute a quorum. Concurrence of all the Judges participating in the trial shall be necessary to secure a conviction.

SEC. 6. The Court, after it is organized, upon its motion may, and upon the application of the accused or of the Church Advocate shall, appoint from the profession of the law an Assessor, who may be present at all the sessions and deliberations of the Court. It shall be his duty to give the Court an opinion upon any question that may arise in the course of the trial upon which the Court or any member thereof, or the accused or the Church Advocate may request, but he shall have no vote in the decision of any question.

SEC. 7. The law of evidence in the State of Minnesota at the time of such trial shall be the law of evidence of this Diocese and of its Courts but no charge shall be considered as proven except upon the testimony of two credible witnesses, or of one such witness corroborated by pregnant circumstances.

SEC. 8. If within ten days before the meeting of the Court the accused shall make to the Bishop, in writing over his signature, a confession of the crime or offense with which he is charged, the Bishop with the concurrence of two-thirds of the Clerical members of the Standing Committee, shall proceed to inflict such punishment as he may deem just and proper.

SEC. 9. In case the accused shall fail to appear before the Court at the time and place appointed, and give no reason for the same satisfactory to the Court, it shall proceed at once to the trial, or at its discretion adjourn to a day certain, for such proceeding.

SEC. 10. The trial of any case before said Court having been concluded, the Court shall proceed to pass upon the guilt or innocence of the accused; and if found guilty, shall recommend the punishment which, in its judgment, ought to be inflicted.

A correct copy of the record of proceedings and findings of said Court, embodying a statement of the evidence submitted in the case, shall be promptly forwarded to the Bishop by the Court, and if approved by him he shall give the accused due notice thereof.

In case no appeal be taken as hereinafter provided, the Bishop shall proceed to carry the sentence into execution.

SEC. 11. If the Bishop disapprove of the proceedings or findings or

recommendations of the Court, he may in his discretion remit or modify the punishment.

SEC. 12. The accused within sixty days after notice to him of the decision of the Court, and of the approval in whole or in part thereof by the Bishop, as provided for in sections 10 and 11 of this Canon, may, by giving notice in writing to the Bishop and to the Church Advocate of his election so to do, appeal the case to the Court of Appeals.

Upon receiving such notice the Bishop shall file with some member of the Court of Appeals a copy of the record of proceedings aforesaid so certified to him, and shall issue his order convening said Court of Appeals at a time and place by him named therefor, and give the accused and the Church Advocate notice thereof not less than thirty days before the day thus named.

At the time and place thus named the Court of Appeals shall assemble (any three of whom shall constitute a quorum), and proceed to an examination and review of the case thus presented. The Court shall have power to affirm the proceedings and recommendations of the Court below, to set aside or modify the proceedings and recommendations in whole or in part; if in part, to determine the punishment to be inflicted; and if set aside and reversed in its entirety, then to dismiss the whole proceedings and discharge the accused, or remand the case to the Court below for a new trial; in which latter event the Court below will resume jurisdiction of the case and proceed to a re-trial thereof at a time and place to be named therefor by the Bishop, not less than thirty days' notice thereof to be given to the accused and the Church Advocate.

Any order or judgment of said Appellate Court in the premises must have the concurrence of at least three of the Judges thereof.

SEC. 13. The expenses accruing in the trial of a Clergyman, except his own, shall be paid by the Treasurer of the Diocese upon the order of the Bishop.

SEC. 14. In the absence of the Bishop or in case of his inability to act, all the duties of the Bishop under this Canon shall be performed by the Assistant Bishop if there be one, and if not, by the Standing Committee, save only that the sentence of deposition may be pronounced only by a Bishop.

On motion of Hon. M. H. Sessions it was--

Resolved, That Canon XII. be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as it provides for "An Appellate Court."

The hour having arrived for the Report of the Special Committee appointed to take into consideration a certain portion of The Bishop's address, The Chairman submitted the following, which on motion was adopted.

REPORT.

The Committee to whom was committed that part of the Bishop's address suggesting that the time of the Diocesan Council be more largely occupied with other than its routine work, report that, in the brief time allotted to them, they have considered the subject, and recommend the passage of the following resolutions, viz.

1. *Resolved*, That four Committees, each to consist of three members, be appointed by the Bishop, each of them to take into consideration one of the following topics, and to report measures for consideration to the ensuing Diocesan Council, viz: 1. The Catechetical Work of the Church. 2. The Educational Work. 3. Measures Aimed at Prevailing Vices and Crimes. 4. Missions and Charities.

2. *Resolved*, That the Secretary of the Council, The Treasurers of the different funds, and the Chairmen of Committees be urged and requested to do all possible work in their several functions before the meeting of the Council, in order to diminish the time now spent in organization and routine business.

3. *Resolved*, That the entire routine business of the Council shall, if possible, be done upon the first day of the session, in order to leave the succeeding day or days free for the discussion of the measures recommended in the Bishop's address and the reports of the several Committees to whom these topics shall have been submitted.

4. *Resolved*, That it is desirable, if practicable, that the session of the Council should be extended over the space of three days, and that the several Parishes of the Diocese be recommended to elect their Lay Delegates with reference to such prolonged session.


5. *Resolved*, That this Committee, regarding these suggestions as hastily made, and possibly crude, be extended, with power to mature a more definite plan for the economizing of time and the facilitating the accomplishment of the routine business.

J. S. KEDNEY, *Chairman*.

The Rev. T. B. Wells, D. D., Chairman, submitted the report of the the Committee on Assessments for the year ending May 31, 1888, which on motion was adopted, (Appendix C.)

The Rt. Rev. The President appointed Deans of Convocations, as follows:

The Rev. F. J. Hawley, D. D., Brainerd, Dean of Northern Convocation; The Rev. Thos. B. Wells, D. D., Minneapolis, Dean of Central Convocation; The Rev. E. C. Bill, Faribault, Dean of Southern Convocation.



Examining Chaplains as follows:

The Rev. Wm. C. Pope, The Rev. T. B. Wells, D. D., The Rev. A. R. Graves, The Rev. C. D. Andrews, The Rev. C. H. Plummer, The Rev. C. A. Poole, The Rev. Wm. Gardham.

Ecclesiastical Court as follows:

The Rev. Wm. H. Knowlton, The Rev. C. A. Poole, The Rev. Wm. C. Pope, The Rev. Wm. Gardham, The Rev. E. Steele Peake.

Appellate Court as follows:

The Rev. A. R. Graves, The Rev. Thos. B. Wells, D. D., The Rev. C. D. Andrews, The Rev. C. H. Plummer, The Rev. J. Steinfort Kedney, D. D.

The Rev. J. A. Gilfillan, Chairman of the Committee on Finance, submitted the following report, which was adopted:

REPORT.

The undersigned, to whom was referred the report of the Treasurer of the Diocese and the report of the Treasurer of the Episcopate Fund, respectfully report them correct in all respects, and the bill of the Assistant Bishop for traveling expenses is referred back to the Council with the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Treasurer of the Episcopate Fund be and is hereby authorized to pay the traveling expenses of the Bishop and Assistant Bishop when the same are incurred on official business within this Diocese.

J. A. GILFILLAN,

W. B. FOLDS,

J. H. AMES,

Committee on Finance.

On motion, the bill of the Assistant Bishop for traveling expenses, amounting to one hundred, fifty-nine and 15-100 dollars, was allowed and the Treasurer of the Episcopate Fund authorized to pay the same.

On motion of The Rev. A. R. Graves, Chairman of the Committee on Incorporation of Parishes, the following report was adopted:

REPORT.

The Committee on the Incorporation of Parishes has received the application of St. Mary's Church, Merriam Park, to be received into union with the Council, but the necessary papers, required by canon not having been presented to the Committee, it is unable to report on the application at the present Council. The Committee recommends that the delegates from St. Mary's, Merriam Park, be accorded honorary seats in this Council.

A. R. GRAVES, *Chairman*.

The Rt. Rev. The Bishop read the following report of the Secretary of the "Diocese of Minnesota," which was adopted:

REPORT.

First Annual Report of the Board of Trustees of the Diocese of Minnesota.

The first meeting of the Board was held Wednesday, July 7, 1886, in St. Paul.

Twenty-three deeds of lots and parts of lots in twenty-three different towns or villages, held in trust by Rt. Rev. H. B. Whipple, were transferred to this Board July 9, 1886.

February 9, 1887, Alman C. Brown and wife and L. Z. Rogers and wife deeded one lot in town site of Elysian.

March 28, 1887, Benjamin Pringle, of the city of Hastings, Minn., deeded one lot in the village of Houston, Minn.

WM. B. FOLDS, *Secretary*.

The Rev. Geo. B. Whipple read the report of the Standing Committee, which on motion was adopted.

REPORT.

The Standing Committee was organized July 26th, by the election of Rev. E. S. Thomas, President, and Rev. Geo. B. Whipple, Secretary. Ten meetings were held during the year. Owing to the absence of The Bishop, on the Indian Committee, the Ecclesiastical Authority of the Diocese was placed in the hands of the Standing Committee, from August 1 to November 1, 1886.

During the time that the Diocese was thus in the keeping of the Standing Committee, the following official acts were performed.

September 13, The Rev. C. H. Beaulieu was transferred to the Diocese of Iowa, and the Rev. James Foster to the Diocese of Illinois. License as lay reader was granted to Raymond H. Moore, of Lake City.

The following persons have been recommended as candidates for Holy Orders: Edwin Johnson, Charles C. Rollit, E. C. Haupt, W. Mc-

Vettie, Jas. Biddle Halsey, C. F. Drake, F. Willis, M. D. Wakazoo, S. B. Purvis.

For Deacon's Orders: D. F. Thompson, Wm. Wilkinson, L. C. Birch, J. W. Jones, H. M. Johnson, W. H. Bamford.

For Priests' Orders: Geo. H. Yarnall, E. P. Chittenden.

The Committee have given consent to the consecration of the following Bishops:

July 26, Rev. Edwin Gardner Weed as Bishop of Florida.

Rt. Rev. D. S. Tuttle as Bishop of Missouri.

Rt. Rev. O. W. Whittaker as Assistant Bishop of Pennsylvania.

Rev. E. S. Thomas as Assistant Bishop of Kansas.

The following appropriations were made from the fund for Aged and Infirm Clergymen:

Rev. T. Wilcoxson.....	\$150
Rev. Cha. Woodward.....	100
Rev. J. Townsend	200
S. P. Chandler.....	75

Total.....\$525

The following resolutions were offered by Judge Atwater, unanimously adopted and ordered spread upon the minutes of the Standing Committee, viz :

WHEREAS, The Standing Committee has received the resignation of Rev. E. S. Thomas as a member of this Committee and President of the same, in consequence of his removal to the Diocese of Kansas, of which he has been elected Assistant Bishop; therefore

Resolved, That we desire to express the deep obligation which this Committee and the Church in this Diocese are under to the Rev. Dr. Thomas, for the valuable services which he has rendered for many years as a member of this Committee and President thereof. By his wise counsel, his earnest zeal and unceasing labors for the welfare of the Church, his name will always be remembered with affection by the Churchmen of the Diocese, and we deeply regret the loss the Diocese will sustain by his removal therefrom.

Resolved, That our earnest prayers and best wishes will attend Dr. Thomas to the larger field of usefulness to which he has been called, and we rejoice in the knowledge, that if his life is spared the loss sustained by the Church in Minnesota by his removal therefrom, will be more than made up by the gain to a sister Diocese.

Resolved, That these resolutions be spread on the minutes, and the Secretary be requested to send a copy of the same to Dr. Thomas.

Copy of Letter Presented to Standing Committee, Saturday, April 30, 1887.

To the Standing Committee of the Diocese of Minnesota:

Our good brother, Rev. E. S. Thomas, will to-day resign as a member of the Standing Committee. We shall all miss one whom we dearly love and who has so long been our fellow laborer.

In accordance with the provisions of the Canon, I hereby appoint the Rev. Wm. C. Pope to fill the vacancy.

Your friend and brother,

H. B. WHIPPLE, *Bishop of Minnesota.*

Respectfully submitted,

GEO. B. WHIPPLE, *Secretary.*

On motion of The Rev. F. D. Hoskins it was—

Resolved, That this Council has learned with great pleasure of the large and important work done by the Minnesota branch of the Woman's Auxiliary, and would hereby express its appreciation of the generous offerings made by this branch to the necessities of Missionaries and their household.

The Secretary of the Council submitted the following

REPORT.

The Secretary would respectfully report, that through the kindness of Judge E. T. Wildler, of Red Wing, the Diocese is now in possession of a complete set of Journals of her Councils from the first until the 29th inclusive, neatly bound in sheep, in two volumes, for which the grateful thanks of this Council are due; and he would further report the following files of Journals of the various Dioceses in his possession at the present time. Received as exchanges, and from his predecessor in office:

One copy Clergy List of American Church for 1884.

Diocese Albany, Journals for 1877, '78, '84, '85 and '86—5.

" Alabama, " 1878, '79, '80, '81, '82, '84, '85, '86—8.

" Arkansas, " 1878, '79, '80, '81, '83, '84, '86—7.

" California, " 1877, '78, '79, '80, '81, '82, '84, '85, '86—9.

" Central N. Y., " 1871, '77, '79, '80, '81, '82, '85, '86—8.

" " Penn., " 1878, '80, '81, '82, '84, '85, '86—7.

" Chicago, " 1877, '78, '80, '81, '82, '83, '84, '85, '86—9.

" Connecticut, " 1878, '79, '80, '81, '82, '84, '85, '86—8.

" Delaware, " 1878, '79, '80, '81, '83, '84, '85, '86—8.

" East Carolina, " 1885, '86—2.

Diocese Easton,	"	1877, '78, '79, '80, '81, '82, '84, '85, '86—9.
" Florida,	"	1880, '81, '82, '84, '85, '86—6.
" Fond du Lac,	"	1878, '79, '80, '81, '82, '84, '85, '86—8.
" Georgia,	"	1877, '78, '79, '80, '86—5.
" Indiana,	"	1875, '77, '78, '79, '80, '81, '82, '83, '84, '85, '86—11.
" Iowa,	"	1876, '77, '78, '79, '80, '81, '82, '84, '85, '86—10.
" Kansas,	"	1878, '80, '82, '84, '85, '86—6.
" Kentucky,	"	1877, '78, '79, '80, '81, '82, '83, '84, '85, '86—10.
" Long Island,	"	1877, '78, '79, '80, '82, '84—6.
" Louisiana,	"	1877, '78, '79, '80, '81, '82, '84, '86—8.
" Maine,	"	1877, '78, '79, '80, '81, '82, '84, '85—8.
" Maryland,	"	1878, '79, '80, '81, '82, '83, '84, '85, '86—9.
" Massachusetts,	"	1878, '79, '80, '81, '82, '83, '84, '85, '86—9.
" Michigan,	"	1878, '79, '80, '81, '82, '84, '85, '86—8.
" Minnesota,	"	1 complete set, and besides as follows: 1873, '76, '77, '79 (25), '80, '82, '83 (134), '84 (74), '85 (80), '86 (2)—320.
" Mississippi,	"	1878, '79, '80, '81, '82, '84, '85, '86—8.
" Missouri,	"	1876, '77, '79, '80, '81, '82, '85, '86—8.
" Nebraska,	"	1879, '80, '82, '85, '86—5.
" N. Hampshire,	"	1877, '78, '79, '80, '81, '82, '83, '84, '85, '86—10.
" New Jersey,	"	1878, '79, '80, '82, '84, '85—6.
" New York,	"	1877, '78, '80, '81, '82, '83, '84—7.
" N. Carolina,	"	1878, '79, '80, '81, '82, '84, '85, '86—8.
" North'e'n N. J.,	"	1877, '78, '79, '80, '81, '82, '84, '85, '86—9.
" Ohio,	"	1880, '82, '83, '85, '86—5.
" Pennsylvania,	"	1878, '80, '82, '84, '85—5.
" Pittsburgh,	"	1877, '80, '81, '82, '84, '85, '86—7.
" Quincy,	"	1879, '80, '81, '82, '84, '85, '86—7.
" Rhode Island,	"	1864, '78, '79, '80, '81, '84, '85, '86—8.
" S. Carolina,	"	1878, '79, '80, '81, '82, '83, '84, '85, '86—9.
" Southe'n Ohio,	"	1877, '78, '79, '80, '81, '82, '83, '84, '85, '86—10.
" Springfield,	"	1877, '78, '80, '82, '84, '85, '86—7.
" Tennessee,	"	1877, '78, '79, '80, '81, '84, '85, '86—8.
" Texas,	"	1878, '79, '80, '81, '84, '85, '86—7.
" Vermont,	"	1877, '78, '79, '80, '81, '82, '83, '84, '85, '86—10.
" Virginia,	"	1878, '79, '80, '81, '82, '83, '84, '85, '86—9.
" Western Mich.,	"	1877, '78, '79, '81, '83, '86—6.
" Western N. Y.,	"	1877, '78, '79, '80, '81, '82, '83, '84, '85, '86—10.
" Western Va.	"	1879, '80, '81, '82, '83, '84, '85, '86—8.
" Wisconsin,	"	1876, '77, '78, '79, '80, '81, '82, '86—8.

MISSIONARY JURISDICTION.

- " Colorado, Journals 1884—1.
 " Montana, " 1881, '83, '84, '85, '86—5.

Diocese Nevada,	" None.
" North Dakota,"	1884—1.
" New Mexico and Arizona, Journals	1880, '84, '85, '86—4.
" Northern California, Journal	1877, '80, '81, '82, '84, '85, '86--7.
" Northern Tex.,	1876, '77, '78, '79, '80, '81, '84, '85—8.
" Oregon,	" 1881, '82, '83, '84, '85—5.
" South Dakota,"	1885—1.
" Col. and Wyo.,"	1877, '78, '79, '81, '82—5.
" Idaho, Montana and Utah,	1877, '78, '79, '80—4.
" Ore. & Wash., Journals	1878, '80—2.
" Utah & Idaho,"	1883, '84, '85, '86—4.
" Washington,	" 1881, '82, '84, '86—4.
" West. Texas,	" 1877, '78, '84, '85, '86—5.
" Wyoming,	" 1884, '85—2.
Total No. of Diocesan Journals.....	815
Reports of General Convention, Journals and Digest, 1884..	3
Constitution and Canons Diocese Minn., reprint of 1886.....	56

SUMMARY.

Diocesan Journals.....	815
Clergy List, 1884.....	1
Journals and Digest, 1884.....	3
Constitution and Canons, Diocese Minnesota.....	56
Total.....	875

Complete set Journals, Diocese of Minnesota, 1.

Respectfully submitted,

ANDREW D. STOWE, *Secretary.*

The Committee appointed to nominate a' Diocesan Board of Missions, made the following nominations, which on motion were unanimously elected:

The Rev. A. R. Graves,	Hon. Isaac Atwater,
The Rev. C. H. Plummer,	Mr. W. B. Folds,
The Rev. F. R. Millspaugh,	Mr. R. Warner,
The Rev. C. D. Andrews,	Mr. J. H. Ames.

The Secretary of the Diocesan Board of Missions read the following report which was ordered printed:

REPORT.

The Diocesan Board of Missions has met twice during the past year. Eighteen Missionaries were appointed by the Board on the nomination of the Bishop, and the appointment of eighteen others, aided by the Domes-

tic Board of Missions, was approved. Most of the Missionaries have remained faithfully at their work during the year and general progress in the work is observed by the Assistant Bishop. An active Missionary of the Diocese, Rev. Henry Langlois, died after a sudden and fearful illness. His work had always been in the Mission field, and he had proved himself a faithful and successful Missionary. There is an urgent demand upon the Board for more men and strong men to look after the scattered Mission stations, many of which are now vacant, while new places are calling for services. Under the energetic leadership of the Assistant Bishop in the Mission field, there should be rapid advance along the whole line of Mission work in the Diocese. More strong, active men, and much more money to sustain them, will be constantly needed, and the stronger parishes ought to make large voluntary offerings for the purpose in addition to the regular apportionments. A notable offering of this kind amounting to \$1,500 was made during Lent by Christ Church, St. Paul. This noble example should be emulated by other parishes.

The obligations of the Board for the past year have been fully met, there is no deficiency to be reported and no piteous claim of unpaid Missionaries to be laid before you. But we do ask that this Council and the Church in this Diocese, realize the unprecedented opportunities for Mission work now before us, and rise to the emergency with more active interest and more generous offerings.

A. R. GRAVES, *Secretary.*

On motion of The Rev. Thos. B. Wells, D. D., it was—

Resolved, That the usual sum of one hundred dollars be paid the Secretary for preparing and getting the Journal printed. That he be, and is hereby authorized to have six hundred copies published. That he be allowed to provide a suitable chest or receptacle for the preservation of the Diocesan papers and Journals.

On motion of The Rev. A. R. Graves it was—

Resolved, That the Assistant Bishop be requested to inquire *particularly* into the titles of the Church property in the various parts of the Diocese, and report on the subject at the next annual Council.

The Rev. Thos. B. Wells, D. D., submitted the following

REPORT.

Your Committee on Legislation, to whom was referred the proposed amendment of Canon XIII, respectfully report back the proposed amendment without action.

On motion of The Rev. Chas. A. Poole, it was—

Resolved, That a Committee consisting of five Clergymen and three lay-

men be appointed by the Chair to take into consideration the proposed Canon for regular offerings for various objects within and without the Diocese.

The Council adjourned until 2 p. m.

CATHEDRAL OF OUR MERCIFUL SAVIOR, }
Thursday, June 9, 2 p. m. }

The Council re-assembled and called to order by the Rt. Rev. the President.

The Rev. E. C. Bill, chairman of the Committee on the State of the Church, submitted the following

REPORT.

Your Committee would respectfully report that no business has been referred to them nor have they the statistics from which to present a tabulated statement of the state of the Church in the Diocese. This will all appear in the Journal in due time.

Your Committee find in the large number of confirmations (the number reported by the the Bishops aggregating 758) reason for congratulation and thanksgiving to the great Head of the Church.

Especially would your Committee recommend to the careful consideration of the Council the statements of the Bishop that 10 more Missionaries should be sent as soon as possible into the rural portions of the State.

They are convinced that this need is felt by the people from the frequent requests for the Services of a Clergyman made to the Bishop and the Missionary Board.

Once more your Committee would suggest to the Parishes and Missions, through the Council, the desirability of taking action immediately upon the adjournment of the Council for the raising of the Missionary apportionments in regular installments in order that the Treasurer and Missionary Board may be constantly ready to meet their engagements.

In conclusion your Committee would congratulate the Bishop and the Diocese upon the continued and increasing prosperity of the Schools at Faribault, and affectionately commend them to the cordial patronage of the Clergy and Laity of the Diocese.

EDW. C. BILL,
Chairman.

The Rt. Rev. The President appointed the Committee on the proposed Canon for special offerings, as follows:

The Rev. C. A. Poole,	Mr. J. H. Ames,
The Rev. Edward Moyses,	Mr. G. A. Hamilton,
The Rev. Frank B. Millspaugh,	Capt. J. C. Reno,
The Rev. A. R. Graves,	
The Rev. C. H. Plummer.	

On motion of E. H. Holbrook jr., it was—

Resolved, That the Council hereby tender its thanks for, and cordial appreciation of the hospitality of the citizens of Faribault, to its Delegates.

On motion of Judge I. Atwater it was—

Resolved, That the Secretary be instructed to call the list of no Parishes hereafter unless they have paid their assessments.

The Rev. T. C. Hudson offered the following resolution, which, on motion, was referred to the Committee on Legislation:

Resolved, That the word "Wednesday" in Canon XIX "of the Conventional Year" be stricken out and the word "Tuesday" be inserted in its stead.

The Rev. C. D. Andrews extended a cordial invitation to the Council to hold its next annual session in Christ Church, St. Paul, which invitation, on motion of the Rev. Edward Moyses, was duly accepted.

On motion of The Rev. T. C. Hudson it was—

Resolved, That the thanks of this Council be, and hereby are tendered to the several Railroad Companies for favors extended to members and Delegates to this Council.

On motion the reading of the minutes was dispensed with and the Secretary was instructed to prepare and publish the Journal.

On motion of The Rev. F. D. Hoskins it was—

Resolved, That, after the usual religious exercises, this Council adjourn.

The Rt. Rev. The Bishop of the Diocese, then spoke a few words of farewell with great force and feeling; invoked the grace and blessing of the Heavenly Father upon the great work of the Diocese; pronounced the Benediction and the Thirtieth Annual Council of the Diocese of Minnesota adjourned *sine die*.

H. B. Achille

Bishop of Minnesota

Mahlon N. Gibbons

Assistant Bishop
Minnesota

Andrew D. Stowe

Secretary.

APPENDIX.

APPENDIX A.

DIOCESE OF MINNESOTA.

E. H. HOLBROOK, JR., TREASURER, IN ACCOUNT WITH THE EPISCOPATE ENDOWMENT FUND.

Am't. subscriptions at last Council.....	15,045	
Add Clearwater, new subscription.....	30	
		15,075
Deduct Fergus Falls, error, claim subscription 100.00, not 150.00.....		50
		15,025
	Nett.	
Am't. collected in Cash, remitted to Minnesota Church Foundation.....	11,075	
Am't. collected in Notes, bearing int.	2,250	
Total paid.....		13,325
Balance unpaid.....		1,700
as follows:		
St. Paul—St. Pauls'.....	4,500—4,000.....	500
" Christ.....	3,300—3,200.....	100
Minneapolis—St. Marks.....	1,350—700.....	650
Duluth—Interest paid.....		200
Sauk Rapids.....		100
Moorhead.....		50
Alexandria.....		50
St. Peter.....		25
Sauk Center.....		25
Also rec'd on account Interest on Notes.....	105.50	
And remitted to Minnesota Church Foun- dation on Income account.....		105.50
E. & O. E.		

Minneapolis, June 7th, 1887.

E. H. HOLBROOK, JR., Treas.

Examined and found correct:

J. A. GILFILLAN, Chairman,	} Finance Committee.
WM. B. FOLDS.	
J. H. AMES.	

**E. H. HOLBROOK JR., TREASURER, IN ACCOUNT WITH THE
EPISCOPATE FUND.**

1886.			
June 9.	Balance as per account.....	2,854.25	
Sept. 29.	Rec'd from Minn. Ch. Foundation....	1,000.00	
1887.			
June 7.	Rec'd from Minn. Ch. Foundation....	1,115.14	
	" on account arrears.....	171.83	
	" " assessments.....	1,971.26	
	" " interest.....	112.50	
		<u> </u>	7,224.98

Cr.

Paid the Bishop—12 mos. to June 16	3,000.00
" Asst. " 7 " " 16	1,750.00
" for printing.....	8.00
" " postage... ..	8.62
	<u> </u>
	4,766.62

Balance in hand--

Certificate on int.....	1,000.00
Cash in bank.....	1,345.14
Checks, &c.....	113.22
	<u> </u>
	2,458.36

7,224.98

E. & O. E.

Minneapolis, June 7th, 1887,

E. H. HOLBROOK, JR.,

Treas.

ASSETS.

Balance in hand.....	2,458.36	
Arrears—current year.....	336.24	
" previous years.....	142.07	
	<u> </u>	2,936.67

Examined and found correct,

J. A. GILFILLAN, Chairman,	} Finance Committee.
WM. B. FOLDS,	
J. H. AMES.	

EPISCOPATE FUND. TREASURER'S STATEMENT IN DETAIL.

JUNE 1st, 1887.

PARISH.	Current Year.			Arrears.			Rebate.	Balance Due.
	Assess-ment.	Paid.	Due.	Amnt.	Paid.	Due.		
Appleton.....	4 00	4 00						
Albert Lea.....	7 00	7 00						
Anoka.....	10 00		10 00					10 00*
Austin.....	8 00	8 00						
Basewood Grove.....	9 00		9 00					9 00*
Belle Creek.....	9 00	9 00						
Benson.....	6 00	6 00						
Blue Earth.....	7 00		7 00					7 00*
Brainerd.....	20 00	20 00						
Caledonia.....	5 00	5 00						
Crookston.....	5 00		5 00	5 00		5 00		10 00*
Clear Water.....	5 00	5 00						
Cannon Falls.....	20 00	20 00						
Chatfield.....	8 00	8 00		8 00	8 00			
Detroit.....	8 00		8 00					8 00*
Duluth.....	35 00	35 00		15 00	15 00			
Elk River.....	8 00		8 00					8 00*
Elysian.....	2 00	2 00						
Faribault—								
Good Shepherd.....	150 00	28 12	121 88					121 88*
Shumway Memorial—	75 00	75 00						
St. Mary's Hall.....	37 50	37 50						
Farmington.....	7 00	7 00						
Fergus Falls.....	10 00		10 00					10 00
Fairmount.....	8 00	8 00		8 00		8 00	8 00	
Frontenac.....	2 00	2 00						
Glencoe.....	5 00	5 00						
Granite Falls.....	2 00		2 00	4 00		4 00	6 00	
Haasan.....	5 00		5 00	12 50	12 50			5 00
Hastings.....	26 00	26 00						
Howard Lake.....	2 00		2 00	2 00		2 00	4 00	
Janesville.....	8 00	8 00						
Kaseon.....	3 00	3 00		18 00	6 00	7 00	7 00	
Kenyon.....	5 00	5 00		5 00	5 00			
Lake City.....	30 00	30 00		20 00	20 00			
Le Sueur.....	10 00		10 00	15 00		15 00		25 00
Little Falls.....	8 00		8 00	8 00		8 00		16 00†
Litchfield.....	15 00		15 00	15 00	15 00			15 00*
Mankato.....	20 00		20 00					20 00*
Melrose.....	2 00	2 00						
Minneapolis—								
All Saints.....	7 00	7 00		7 00		7 00		7 00
Gethsemane.....	150 00	150 00						
Grace.....	5 00		5 00					5 00*
Holy Trinity.....	35 00	35 00						
St. Andrew's.....	7 00		7 00	10 00		10 00		17 00
St. Mark's.....	250 00	250 00						
St. Paul's.....	35 00	35 00						

EPISCOPATE FUND—CONTINUED.

PARISH.	Current Year.			Arrears.			Rebate.	Balance
	Assesment.	Paid.	Due.	Amnt.	Paid.	Due.		
Montevideo	2 00	2 00						
Moorhead	10 00	20 00						
Northfield	80 00	80 00						
Owatonna	20 00	15 00	5 00					5 00
Point Douglas	5 00	4 00	1 00					1 00
Pine Island	3 00	3 00		3 00	3 00			
Red Wing	100 00	50 00		45 00	45 00			
Rochester	15 00	15 00						
Rushford	10 00	10 00						
Shakopee	20 00	20 00		25 00		25 00	25 00	
St. Charles	5 00		5 00	5 00		5 00	10 00	
St. Cloud	20 00	20 00		11 40	11 40			
St. Paul—								
Christ	300 00	300 00						
Good Shepherd	20 00	20 00		5 00	5 00			
St. Paul's	300 00	300 00						
St. John's	27 00	27 00						
St. Vincent	4 00	4 00						
St. Peter	15 00	15 00						
Stillwater	60 00	60 00		60 00	25 98	34 07		34 07*
Sank Rapids	10 00		10 00					10 00*
Sank Center	12 00	12 00						
Waterville	5 00	5 00						
Wabasha	15 00	15 00						
Waseca	7 00	7 00		12 00		12 00	12 00	
Wells	8 00		8 00					8 00
White Bear Lake	10 00	10 00						
Willmar	12 00	12 00						
Winona	94 00	94 00						
White Earth	36 00	17 71	18 29				18 29	
Zumbrota	2 00	2 00						
Stations—								
Rev. D. G. Gunn	80 00	5 00	25 00					25 00†
Rev. E. C. Bill	15 00	15 00						
Rev. C. Booth	6 00		6 00				6 00	
Rev. W. C. Sherman	4 00	4 00						
Indian Clergy	20 00	14 98	5 07					5 07*
Red Wing excess 1886	2,357 50							
	50 00							
	2,307 50	1,971 26	336 24	313 90	171 83	142 07	96 29	382 02

*Paid at and since Council, \$233.02. †Paid since Council \$8.00 each, \$16.00.

APPENDIX B.

DIOCESE OF MINNESOTA.

TREASURER'S ACCOUNT, 1886-7, OF DIOCESAN MISSIONS, COUNCIL FUND
AND AGED AND INFIRM CLERGY FUND.

DIOCESAN MISSIONS.

1886.	<i>Dr.</i>		
June 9,	Balance from last account.....	\$247.39	
1887.			
June 7.	Receipts during the year on apportionment of 1886-7.....	2,780.86	
" 7.	Receipts during the year of arrears and special offerings.....	1,579.76	
" 7.	Receipts during the year from Bishop Whipple.....	559.71	\$5,167.22
1887.	<i>Cr.</i>		
June 7.	Stipends paid during the year—		
	Rev. T. K. Allen.....	\$300.00	
	Rev. D. T. Booth....	300.00	
	Rev. L. C. Birch, arrears.....	50.00	
	" " ".....	300.00	
	Rev. E. H. Clark.....	200.00	
	Rev. James Cornell.....	250.00	
	Rev. S. Currie.....	250.00	
	Rev. James Foster.....	12.50	
	Rev. R. R. Goudy.....	200.00	
	Rev. J. F. Hamilton.....	300.00	
	Rev. C. E. Hixon.....	100.00	
	Rev. R. E. Metcalf.....	100.00	
	Rev. S. Pritchard.....	250.00	
	Rev. J. W. Prosser.....	100.00	
	Rev. W. C. Sherman.....	240.00	
	Rev. A. D. Stowe.....	300.00	
	Rev. D. F. Thompson.....	187.50	
	Rev. Geo. C. Tanner.....	125.00	
	Rev. W. Wilkinson.....	250.00	
	Rev. G. H. Yarnall.....	225.00	
	Mission at Breckenridge.....	30.00	\$4,070.00
	Expense account (discounts).....		26.66
	Balance in Merchants Nat'l Bank.....		1,070.56
			<u>\$5,167.22</u>

COUNCIL FUND.

Dr.

1886,		
June 8.	Balance from last account.....	\$ 71 15
1887,		
June 7.	Receipts during the year on assessments and arrearages.....	358 50 \$429 65

Cr.

1887,		
June 7.	Payments during the year—	
	Rev. A. D. Stowe, Secretary, services.....	\$100 00
	McCalla & Staveley, old account.....	98 61
	Blank books and stationery, postage, &c....	16 00
	Paid printing journal.....	176 50
	Paid Rev. A. D. Stowe, Sec'y, expense act..	32 54
	Paid Rev. Geo. B. Whipple, expense act....	6 00 \$429 65

AGED AND INFIRM CLERGY FUND.

Dr.

1886,		
June 8.	Balance from last account.....	\$150 66
Aug. 9.	Rec'd from W. H. Merriam, Treasurer of the Diocese of Minnesota, as interest on Sav- ings Bank deposit.....	82 55
1887,		
June 7.	Receipts during the year from parishes, etc.	920 35 \$1,153 56

Cr.

1887,		
June 7.	Payments during the year, viz:	
	Rev. S. P. Chandler.....	\$ 75 00
	Rev. I. J. Townsend	200 00
	Rev. T. Wilcoxson, deceased.....	150 00
	Rev. C. Woodward.....	100 00 \$525 00
	Balance in Merchants Nat'l Bank.....	628 56
		\$1,153 56

H. P. HOPPIN, *Treasurer.*

Examined and found correct.

J. A. GILFILLAN, <i>Chairman.</i>	} <i>Finance Committee.</i>
WM. B. FOLDS,	
J. H. AMES.	

TREASURER'S STATEMENT IN DETAIL.

Receipts during the year for Diocesan Missions, Council Fund, and Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund. (June 9, 1886, to June 7, 1887.)

PARISH.	DIOCESAN MISSIONS			COUNCIL FUND.			Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund Receipts.
	Apportionment 1886-87.	Paid on Apportionment '86-87.	Other Payments or Excess	Assessment 1886-87.	Payments, Including Arrears Paid.	Council Fund Still due, Including Arrears	
Appleton	6 00	6 00		1 00	1 00	1 00	
Albert Lea	10 00	10 00	3 45	1 00	1 00		17 05
Alexandria							
Anoka	14 00	14 00		2 00	2 00		
Austin	10 00	10 00	8 48	2 00	2 00		4 85
Basswood Grove	12 00	12 00	12 00	2 00	2 00		
Belle Creek	12 00	12 00		2 00	2 00		
Belle Plaine							
Becker			2 65				
Benson	6 00	6 00		2 00	2 00		
Blue Earth	0 00	*7 00 (S. S.)	2 75	1 00	1 00	1 00	
Brainerd	50 00	50 00		6 00	6 00		
Caledonia	7 00	7 00		1 00	1 00		
Crookston	7 00	6 24		1 00	1 00	1 00	7 50
Cannon Falls	25 00	25 00	10 20	2 00	2 00		5 50
Chatfield	10 00			2 00	4 00		
Corinna	7 00	7 00		1 00	1 00		
Detroit	10 00			2 00		*2 00	80
Dundas							
Duluth	55 00	55 00	44	10 00	10 00		18 42
Elk River	10 00	10 00		2 00	2 00		
Elysian	3 00	3 00		1 00	1 00		
FARIBAULT—							
Cathedral	250 00	*135 31		20 00	20 00		70 42
Shattuck School	100 00	100 00					36
S. Mary's Hall	50 00	50 00					
Cathedral Missions Canon City Morristown and Warsaw	22 00	22 00		3 00	3 00		
Farmington	10 00	10 00		2 00	2 00	2 00	
Fergus Falls				4 00		4 00	
Fairmont	10 00	10 00		2 00	2 00	2 00	
Frontenac	3 00	1 00		1 00		2 00	
Glencoe	7 00	7 00	5 55	1 00	2 00		
Granite Falls	3 00			1 00		3 00	
Haasan	7 00			1 00		4 00	
Hastings	36 00	27 00		6 00	6 00		
Howard Lake	3 00			1 00		2 00	
Indian Clergy	30 00	30 00					
Janesville	10 00	10 00		2 00	2 00		
Kasson	4 00	4 00		1 00		1 00	
Kenyon	7 00	7 00	30	1 00	1 00		

TREASURER'S STATEMENT—Continued.

PARISH.	DIOCESAN MISSIONS.			COUNCIL FUND.			Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund Receipts.
	Apportionment 1886-87.	Paid on Apportionment 1886-87.	Other Payments or Excess.	Assessment 1886-87.	Payments, In- cluding Arrears Paid.	Council Fund Still due, including Arrears.	
Lake City.....	65 00	37 89	(85-8) 25 00	9 00	10 00	8 00	13 88
Le Sueur.....	13 00	13 00	(85-8) 2 00	3 00	.....	12 00	.....
Little Falls.....	12 00	(S. S.) 5 00	.....	2 00	.....	4 00	.....
Litchfield.....	25 00	.....	.....	5 00	15 00	15 00	5 50
Mankato.....	28 00	28 00	(E.) 8 60	4 00	.....	4 00	5 00
Melrose.....	3 00	3 00	.....	1 00	1 00	.....	.....
MINNEAPOLIS—							
All Saints.....	10 00	6 00	.....	2 00	.....	4 00	.....
Gethsemane.....	260 00	260 00	5 74	80 00	30 00	.....	24 20
Grace.....	7 00	.....	.....	1 00	.....	1 00	.....
St. Andrew's.....	10 00	10 00	(85-8) 10 00	2 00	4 00	.....	2 50
St. Luke's.....	.....	.....	3 80	.....	.....	.....	7 00
St. Mark's.....	420 00	*315 00	(85-8) 100 00	30 00	30 00	.....	80 08
St. Paul's.....	75 00	*50 00	.....	10 00	.....	10 00	.....
Holy Trinity.....	35 00	35 00	10 00	5 00	5 00	.....	14 50
Montevideo.....	3 00	3 00	.....	1 00	1 00	.....	5 00
Moorhead.....	28 00	28 00	(S. S.) 7 80	4 00	8 00	.....	.....
.....	.....	.....	9 00	.....	.....	.....	.....
Morris.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Northfield.....	45 00	*20 00	(85-8) 75	8 00	6 00	*8 00	5 00
Ortonville.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Owatonna.....	28 00	28 00	.....	4 00	8 00	.....	6 00
Point Douglas.....	7 00	5 60	.....	1 00	1 00	.....	.....
Pine Island.....	5 00	1 50	(85-8) 5 00	2 00	2 00	2 00	.....
Red Wing.....	150 00	150 00	.....	20 00	20 00	.....	48 89
Rochester.....	25 00	3 48	.....	3 00	.....	6 00	.....
Rockford.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rushford.....	14 00	14 00	16 82	2 00	2 50	.....	3 25
Shakopee.....	30 00	.....	(85-8) 15 00	5 00	10 00	5 00	10 61
St. Charles.....	7 00	5 72	.....	1 00	.....	2 00	.....
St. Cloud.....	28 00	28 00	.....	4 00	4 00	.....	9 61
ST. PAUL—							
Ascension.....	.....	.....	19 40	.....	.....	.....	.....
Christ Church.....	500 00	375 00	(S. S.) 177 85	30 00	30 00	.....	325 21
.....	.....	.....	(E.) 1000 00	.....	.....	.....	.....
Good Shepherd.....	28 00	28 00	.....	4 00	4 00	.....	.....
St. John's.....	38 00	15 00	.....	5 00	5 00	.....	44 22
St. Paul's.....	550 00	445 33	.....	30 00	30 00	.....	35 12
St. Peter.....	30 00	30 00	(S. S.) 2 50	5 00	5 00	.....	3 50
St. Vincent.....	6 00	6 00	.....	1 00	.....	*1 00	6 00

TREASURER'S STATEMENT—Concluded.

PARISH.	DIOCESAN MISSIONS.			COUNCIL FUND.			Aged and Unfirm Clergy Fund Receipts.
	Apportionment 1896-'97.	Paid on Apportionment, '96-'97.	Other Payments, or Excess.	Assessment, 1896-'97.	Payments Including Arrears Paid.	Council Fund still due, including Arrears.	
Stillwater.....	85 00		(S. S.) 12 33	12 00	12 00		
Sank Centre.....	18 00	18 00	10 00	12 00	12 00		6 10
Sank Rapids.....	14 00			12 00		*2 00	
Waterville.....	8 00	*2 00		12 00		12 00	
Wabasha.....	22 00	22 00	1 76	3 00	3 00		3 33
			(S. S.) 10 69				
Waseca.....	8 00			2 00		4 00	
Wells.....	10 00	10 00	(85-6) 3 00	2 00	4 00	2 00	5 00
			(S. S.) 31 75				
White Bear.....	18 00	18 00		3 00	3 00		
White Earth.....	50 00	232 05		4 00		*4 00	
Willmar.....	20 00	20 00	(S. S.) 5 00	3 00	3 00		1 52
Wionna.....	136 00	48 39	(85-6) 7 50	20 00	20 00	46 70	19 40
Zumbrota.....	3 00			1 00		1 00	
STATIONS—							
Rev. C. Booth.....	10 00			2 00		2 00	
Rev. D. G. Gunn.....	40 00			5 00		10 00	
Rev. W. C. Sherman.....	6 00	6 00		1 00	1 00		
Offering Centr'l Convocat'n			20 25				
Reno.....							83
Mentor.....							4 00
Perham.....							2 00
Diocesan Council of 1896...							69 66
F. M. Thornton.....							25 00
Rev. L. Walton.....							3 00
Int't W. R. Merriam, Treas							82 55
Total Apportionment....	3 749 00			385 00			
Total Paid on same.....		2,780 36			358 50		
Total Other Payments by							
Parishes.....		1,579 76	1,579 76				1,002 90
Receipts from Bishop							
Whippleas Spec'l Fund.....		559 71					
Balance from Last Acct'.		247 39			71 15		150 66
Total Receipts.....		5167 22			429 65		1,153 56

*Balance paid since opening of Council.

†Paid \$3.75 since opening of Council.

‡Paid \$5.00 arrears since opening of Council.

§Balance on Missions, also \$163.95 remainder of Easter offerings paid since opening of Council.

°\$2.00 paid since opening of Council.

zPaid \$9.75 since opening of Council.

APPENDIX C.

Assessments and Apportionments for Year Ending May 31, 1888.

PLACE.	Missions.	Bishop's Salary.	Council Fund.	PLACE.	Missions.	Bishop's Salary.	Council Fund.
Appleton.....	6 00	4 00	1 50	MINNEAPOLIS—CON.			
Albert Lea.....	12 00	7 00	1 50	S. Mark's.....	420 00	250 00	45 00
Anoka.....	14 00	10 00	3 00	S. Paul's.....	100 00	35 00	15 00
Austin.....	10 00	8 00	3 00	Northfield.....	85 05	20 00	12 00
Alexandria.....	5 00	3 00	2 00	North Branch.....	5 00	3 00	1 00
Basewood Grove.....	12 00	9 00	3 00	Owatonna.....	28 00	20 00	6 00
Belle Creek.....	12 00	9 10	3 00	Point Douglass.....	7 00	5 00	1 50
Benson.....	8 00	6 00	3 00	Pine Island.....	5 00	3 00	3 00
Blue Earth.....	10 00	7 00	1 50	Red Wing.....	150 00	100 00	30 00
Brainerd.....	50 00	20 00	9 00	Red Lake Falls.....	3 00	2 00	1 00
Brown's Valley.....	3 00	2 00	1 00	Red Wood Falls.....	5 00	3 00	2 00
Breckenridge.....	3 00	2 00	1 50	Reno.....	5 00	2 00	1 50
Caledonia.....	7 00	5 00	1 50	Rochester.....	25 00	15 00	4 50
Crookston.....	10 00	6 00	1 50	Royalton.....	3 00	2 00	1 00
Cannon Falls.....	25 00	20 00	3 00	Rushford.....	15 00	10 00	3 00
Chatfield.....	10 00	8 00	3 00	Rush City.....	5 00	3 00	1 00
Clearwater.....	7 00	5 00	1 50	Shakopee.....	15 00	10 00	5 00
Detroit.....	5 00	2 00	1 00	St. Charles.....	7 00	5 00	1 50
Duluth.....	75 00	40 00	15 00	St. Cloud.....	30 00	20 00	6 00
Dressbach.....	3 00	2 00	1 00	ST. PAUL—			
Elk River.....	10 00	8 00	3 00	Christ Church.....	550 00	300 00	45 00
Elysian.....	3 00	2 00	1 50	Good Shepherd.....	28 00	20 00	6 00
FARIBAULT—				S. Paul's.....	550 00	300 00	45 00
Cathedral.....	250 00	150 00	30 00	S. John The Evangelist.....	40 00	30 00	7 50
Shumway Chapel.....	100 00	75 00	.....	St. Peter.....	30 00	15 00	7 50
S. Mary's Hall.....	50 00	37 50	.....	St. Vincent.....	6 00	4 00	1 50
Farmington.....	10 00	7 00	3 00	Stillwater.....	85 00	60 00	18 00
Fergus Falls.....	15 00	10 00	6 00	Sauk Rapids.....	10 00	5 00	3 00
Fairmont.....	10 00	8 00	3 00	Sauk Center.....	18 00	12 00	3 00
Frontenac.....	3 00	2 00	1 50	Waterville.....	8 00	5 00	3 00
Glencoe.....	10 00	5 00	1 50	Wabasha.....	22 00	15 00	4 50
Granite Falls.....	3 00	2 00	1 50	Waseca.....	8 00	7 00	3 00
Hassan.....	7 00	5 00	1 50	Wells.....	15 00	8 00	3 00
Hastings.....	36 00	26 00	9 00	West St. Paul.....	15 00	10 00	5 00
Houston.....	3 00	2 00	1 00	White Bear.....	18 00	10 00	4 50
Henderson.....	5 00	3 00	2 00	Wilmar.....	20 00	12 00	4 50
Hallock.....	3 00	2 00	1 00	Winona.....	100 00	100 00	25 00
Janeville.....	10 00	8 00	3 00	Zumbrota.....	3 00	2 00	1 50
Kasson.....	1 00	3 00	1 50	Stations of Rev. E. C. Bill.....	22 00	15 00	4 50
Kenyon.....	10 00	5 00	5 00	INDIAN STATIONS.			
Lake City.....	65 00	30 00	13 50	Red Lake—			
Le Sueur.....	15 00	10 00	4 50	S. John's.....	8 00	4 00	1 00
Little Falls.....	12 00	8 00	3 00	S. Antipas.....	8 00	3 00	1 00
Litchfield.....	25 00	15 00	7 50	Winnibigoshish.....	3 00	1 00	1 00
Lake Crystal.....	5 00	3 00	2 00	Cass Lake.....	3 00	1 00	1 00
Mankato.....	24 00	20 00	6 00	Wild Rice River.....	8 00	5 00	2 00
Melrose.....	3 00	2 00	1 50	Leech Lake.....	15 00	10 00	5 00
Merriam Park.....	15 00	10 00	5 00	White Earth—			
Montevideo.....	5 00	3 00	1 50	S. Columba.....	35 00	20 00	5 00
Moorhead.....	22 00	20 00	6 00	Stati's of Rev. D. G. Gunn.....			
MINNEAPOLIS—				Windom.....	5 00	3 00	1 50
All Saints.....	10 00	7 00	3 00	Worthington.....	5 00	3 00	1 50
Gethsemane.....	300 00	150 00	45 00	Wilder.....	3 00	2 00	1 00
Grace.....	7 00	5 00	1 50	St. James.....	3 00	2 00	1 00
Trinity.....	60 00	35 00	10 00	Slayton.....	3 00	2 00	1 00
S. Andrew's.....	12 00	8 00	4 00	Madelia.....	3 00	2 00	1 00
S. Luke's.....	10 00	5 00	3 00				

SUMMARY OF EPISCOPAL ADDRESSES.

	BISHOP.	ASSISTANT BISHOP.	TOTAL.
Sermons and Addresses	194.....	237	431
Baptisms, (Inf. 46. Ad. 15)	61.....	7†.....	68
Confirmations.....	331.....	427*.....	758
Holy Communion Celebrated.....	35	44.....	79
Marriages	2.....	1.....	3
Burials	1.....	2.....	3
Corner Stones Laid	1.....	.....	1
Churches Consecrated.....	.....	8.....	8
Ordinations, (P. 1., D. 3).....	4	(P. 1, D. 1.) 2.....	6
Visitations.....	50.....	99†.....	149
Cemeteries Consecrated.....	2.....	1.....	3
Clergy Transferred	3.....	2.....	5
Clergy Received	4.....	2.....	6
Candidates for Holy Orders Rec'd..	7 .....	.....	7
Lay Readers Licensed	7.....	10.....	17

†Not in Parish Report.

*158 Confirmations, besides above, for Diocese of Milwaukee.

†15 Visits, besides above, for Diocese of Milwaukee.

Parochial Reports.

Anoka, Population 4,700. Anoka County; Trinity Church, Vested in Rector, Church Wardens and Vestrymen; The Rev. ANDREW D. STOWE, Rector. JAMES O'KEEFFE, OSCAR L. CUTTER, Wardens.

Families, 83. Individuals, 148. Baptisms (inf. 5, ad. 2), 7. Confirmations (f. 5). Communicants, last report, 56, present number (m. 13, f. 40) 53. Communicating during year (m. 6, f. 24) 30. Marriages, 3. Burials, 7. Public Services (Sundays 47, other days, 24) 71. Holy Communion (public 16, private 2) 18. Sunday School, Teachers 6, Scholars (m. 45, f. 57) 102. Total, 108. Children catechised, 102. Times catechised, 28.

Value Church building and lots, \$2,000; Rectory \$1,200. Total, \$3,200.

Receipts—Subscriptions, \$116.80. Donations, \$80.40. Offerings, \$66.99. Sunday School, \$24.01. Total, \$288.20.

Expenditures—Incidentals, \$40.50. Insurance, \$10.80. Taxes, \$24.36. Rector's salary, \$152.59. Other expenses, \$5.59. Sunday School, \$24.01. Council Fund, \$2.00. Diocesan Missions, \$14.00. Bishop's salary, \$10.00. Bishop Gilbert's special needs' Fund, \$4.35. Total, \$288.20.

My Dear Bishop: The following is a summary of the work done in the Mission for the year ending to-day: Families, 85; Individuals, 349; Baptisms, 18; Confirmations, 16; Communicants, 124; Marriages, 5; Burials, 10; Public services, 146; Holy Communions, 39; Sunday Schools, 2; Teachers, 10; scholars, 126; Value Church Property, \$5,200; Receipts, \$631.94 Received on salary, \$377.33; over 4,500 miles traveled to do church work; forty miles across the Mission.

Anoka, May 31, 1887.

Faithfully yours, &c.

ANDREW D. STOWE.

Albert Lea, Population 3,400, Freeborn County; Christ Church. The Rev. AMBLER BAILEY HILL, Rector.

No report.

Austin, Population 3,600. Mower County; Christ Church; Property vested in the Bishop. The Rev. P. B. PEABODY, Rector. Wardens.

Families, 33. Individuals, 129. Baptisms (inf. 1). Confirmations (f. 5). Communicants, present number (m. 10, f. 32) 42. Communicating during year, (m. 2, f. 23) 25. Marriages, 1. Burials, 1. Public Services (Sundays, 80; other days, 42) 122. Holy Communion, 32. Sunday School, Teachers (m. 2, f. 3) 5. Scholars (m. 12, f. 23) 35. Total, 40. Children times catechised, 10.

Value Church building, \$1,500; Rectory, \$450. Total, \$1,950.

Receipts—Subscriptions, \$302.24; Donations, \$33.10; Investments, \$56.00; Offerings, \$185.17; Guilds, etc., \$58.32; Sunday School, \$13.59. Total, \$658.72.

Expenditures—Incidentals, \$7.08; Repairs, \$50.46; Insurance, \$24.65; Rector's salary, \$450.00; Sunday School, \$8.81; Poor, \$3.00; Council Fund, \$2.00; Diocesan Missions, \$41.23; Bishop's salary, \$8.00; Disabled Clergy Fund, \$4.85; Clergy widows and orphans, \$3.00; Foreign Missions, \$9.08; Miscellaneous, \$11.00. Total, \$623.14.

Above report begins with September 12, 1886.

P. B. P.

Basswood Grove, Washington County; S. Mary's Church, Vested in Wardens and Vestry. JOHN WRIGHT, HENRY GALLINGER, Wardens. Reported by the Wardens. P. O., Hastings.

Families, 16. Individuals, 80. Baptisms, (inf. 6). Confirmations (m. 3, f. 2) 5. Communicants (m. 20, f. 23) 43. Communicating during year (m. 13, f. 18) 31. Marriages, 2. Burials, 6. Public Services (Sundays, 37; other days, 2) 39. Holy Communion, 6. Value Church building, \$1,500; other property, \$100.00. Total, \$1,600.
Receipts—Subscriptions, \$270; Offerings, \$28.95. Total, \$298.95.
Expenditures—Rector's salary, \$270.00; Council Fund, \$2.00; Diocesan Missions, \$17.50; Bishop's salary, \$9.00. Total, \$298.50.

Becker, Population, 100, Sherburne County; Trinity Chapel, Vested in Parish. The Rev. ANDREW D. STOWE, Rector, P. O., Anoka. SAM'L S. THORNE, S. A. JOHNSON, Wardens.

Families, 15. Individuals, 87. Baptisms (inf. 4, ad. 1) 5. Confirmations (m. 1, f. 2) 3. Communicants, last report, 23; present number, (m. 13, f. 13) 26. Communicating during year (m. 6, f. 11) 17. Burials, 2. Public Services (Sundays, 24; other days, by Lay Reader, 6) 30. Holy Communion, 10. Sunday School, Teachers, 4; Scholars (m. 6, f. 15) 21; other officers, 3. Total, 28.
 Value Church building, \$1,000.
Receipts—\$359.86.
Expenditures—Incidentals, \$4.88; Repairs, etc., \$55.00; New bell, etc., \$128.79; Rector's salary, \$100.00; other expenses, \$71.69. Total, \$359.86.

Belle Creek, Goodhue County, S. Paul's Church; Vested in Bishop. The Rev. SAM'L P. CHANDLER, (P. O., Red Wing,) Missionary. JNO. M. JAMES, GEORGE COOK, Wardens.

Families, 12. Individuals, 53. Baptisms, inf. 1. Confirmations, 9. Communicants (m. 15, f. 13) 28. Communicating during the year (m. 12, f. 21) 23. Marriages, 1. Burials, 3. Public Services (Sundays, 54; other days, 10) 64. Holy Communion, 7. Sunday School, Teachers, 3; Scholars (m. 22, f. 19) 41; other officers, 2. Total, 46. Children Catechised, 41.
 Value Church building, \$1,000.
Receipts—Subscriptions, \$87.55; Donations, \$4.75; Offerings, \$35.30; Guilds, etc., \$29.00. Total, \$156.60.
Expenditures—Repairs, \$87.55; Sunday School, \$4.25; Council Fund, \$2; Diocesan Missions, \$12.00; Bishop's salary, \$9.00; Domestic Missions, \$3.80, Foreign Missions, \$2.00; Jewish Missions, \$3.00. Total, \$124.60.

SORELIENS MILL, June 4th, 1887.

My Dear Bishop:—I am now at this place, and hope to do something at Granite Falls. I have had \$75.00 the past year from the Clergy fund, for which I am thankful. Everything at Belle Creek is looking better. The wind damaged our church badly. Every one gave a helping hand to repair all the damages. Remember us in your prayers.

Yours in Christ,

S. P. CHANDLER.

Blue Earth City, Population 1,400, Faribault County, Church of the Good Shepherd; The Rev. GEO. H. MUELLER, Rector.

Families, 35. Individuals, 87. Baptisms, (inf. 2). Communicants, present No. (m. 9, f. 25) 34. Communicating during the year (m. 4, f. 13) 17. Marriages, 1. Public services (Sundays, 13; other days, 26) 39. Holy Communion, 4. Sunday School, Teachers (m. 1, f. 6), 7. Scholars (m. 15, f. 20), 35. Total, 42. Children Catechised, 35. Times Catechised, 3.
 Value of Church building, \$3,500. Rectory, \$1,200. Total, \$4,700.
Receipts—Offerings, \$27.19; Sunday School, \$2.75. Total, \$29.96.
Expenditures—Incidentals, \$10.30; Diocesan Missions, \$17.75; Diocesan Education, \$4.85; Bible and Prayer Book society, \$4.00. Total, \$31.96.

BLUE EARTH CITY, MINN., May 31st, 1887.

Rt. Rev. and Dear Bishop:—Enclosed I send my reports of the Blue Earth City and Lake Crystal Missions. The report is, I know, very meagre, but it covers only my short ministration since the middle of February last, when I took charge of this field.

The work here at Blue Earth City was entirely run down, and little prospect of growth but with faith in Him who is able to strengthen us, I began my work and have since then continued working here. A new spirit has entered into the people and all are now anxious and ready to help, and full of confidence that the parish can be resurrected. It is much to be regretted that I am obliged to be away so much, as there is no one to carry on the services at present. Still, this too, will in time be overcome. The services both on Sundays and during the week are well attended.

At Lake Crystal I found a small but very earnest congregation, anxious and eager for regular ministrations, thanks to the faithful Missionary, Rev. T. C. Hudson. The ladies have taken hold to improve both the exterior and interior of the Church. A new prayer desk and lectern and an altar railing have lately been added, through their efforts, as well as a very fine set of vestments for the rector. Through God's grace we hope to make this an organized Mission before the coming of the next Diocesan Council.

I am faithfully yours,

GEO. H. MUELLER.

Brainerd, Population 8,000. Crow Wing County; S. Paul's Church:

The Rev. FLETCHER J. HAWLEY, D. D., Dean, Rector. No. 70, Second Street, N., W. P. SPAULDING, L. P. WHITE, Wardens.

Families, 70, Individuals, 325. Baptisms (inf., 19, ad. 3), 22. Confirmations (m. 1, f. 3.) 4. Communicants, last report, 78. Present number, (m. 47, f. 94), 141. Communicating during year, (m. 21, f. 42) 63. Marriages, 13. Burials, 5. Public services, (Sundays, 105; other days, 36), 141. Holy Communion, (pub., 20; private, 6), 26. Sunday School Teachers, (m. 5, f. 6), 11. Other officers, 3. Scholars, (m. 48, f. 71), 119. Total, 133. Children catechised, 67. Times catechised, 20.

Value Church building, \$1,000. Rectory, \$2,000. Total, \$3,000.

Receipts.—Communion alms, \$19.78; Subscriptions, \$346.83; Offerings, \$370.41; Guilds etc., \$186; Sunday School, \$182.50. Total, \$1685.74.

Expenditures: Incidentals, \$42.20; Repairs, \$35; Church building, \$75; Rector's salary, (amt. pledged, \$1,200), paid, \$1,252.24. Other expenses, \$91; Sunday School, \$148.75; Poor, \$19.78; Council fund, \$6; Diocesan Missions, \$30; Bishop's salary, \$20. Total, \$1739.97.

Breckenridge, Population, 1,000. Wilkin County, S. Luke's Church:

Vested in Diocese Minnesota: The Rev. ALFRED G. PINKHAM in charge.

(P. O. Wapeton, D. T.,) C. F. FALLEY, M. D., Warden.

Families, 25; Individuals, 100. Baptisms, Inf., 2; Confirmations, (m. 1, f. 2), 3. Communicants, (m. 6, f. 14), 20. Communicating during year, (m. 3, f. 10), 13. Burials, 1. Public services, 23. Holy Communion, 8. Sunday School Teachers, 3. Scholars (m. 13, f. 14), 27. Total, 30.

Value Church property, \$440; Indebtedness, \$11.

Receipts.—Subscription, \$100; Offerings, \$15.70; Guilds, etc., \$14; Sunday school, \$2.39. Total \$132.09.

Expenditures.—Incidentals, \$30.96. Rector's salary, \$100; Sunday school, \$2.30. Total, \$133.16.

A donation of land valued at \$400 has been received during the year.

Brownsville, Population 500, Houston County, Church of the Holy Comforter, Vested in Diocese of Minnesota; The Rev. THOS. K. ALLEN

Missionary; P. O., La Crescent; M. M. WOODIN, Treasurer.

Families, 9. Individuals, 23. Baptisms (inf. 1, ad. 1), 2. Confirmations, f. 1. Communicants (m. 1, f. 7), 8. Communicating during year (m. 1, f. 7), 8. Burials, 1. Public services, 10; Holy communion, 2.

Value Church building, \$500.

Receipts—Subscriptions, \$10; Offerings, \$7.07; Guilds, etc., \$8. Total, \$25.07.

Expenditures—Repairs, \$10; Rector's salary, \$ 08; Bishop Gilbert's special needs fund, \$1.53; Other expenses, \$12.86. Total \$25 07.

Caledonia, Population 1,200, Houston County, Trinity Church, Vested in Diocese of Minnesota; The REV. THOS. K. ALLEN, Rector; (P. O., La Crescent) D. C. SPRAGUE, THOS. ABBOTTS, Wardens.

Families, 18. Individuals, 70. Baptisms (inf. 3, ad. 2), 5. Confirmations (m. 2, f. 2), 4. Communicants, last report, 21. Present number, 25. Communicating during year, (m. 26, f. 46), 72. Public Services (Sundays 24, other days 3), 27. Holy Communion, 6. Sunday School, Teachers (m. 2, f. 5), 7. Scholars (m. 20, f. 30), 50. Total, 57. Children Catechised, 190. Times Catechised, 6.

Value Church Building, \$2,000.

Receipts—Offerings, \$39.64; Sunday School, \$25.42. Total, \$231.06.

Expenditures—Rector's salary, \$123.80; Diocesan Missions, \$11.50; Bishop's Salary, \$10; Bishop Gilbert's Special Needs Fund, \$5.42. Total, \$159.92.

Cannon Falls, Population 1,200, Goodhue County, Church of The Redeemer, Vested in Vestry; The REV. W. C. SHERMAN, Rector (until June 1); ELI ELLSWORTH, J. H. ABBOT, Wardens.

Families, 30. Individuals, 155. Baptisms (inf. 4, ad. 3.), 7. Confirmations (m. 1, f. 4.), 5. Communicants last report, 79. Present No. 68. Communicating during year (m. 15, f. 34), 49. Marriages 7. Burials 4. Public services (Sundays 45, other days 12), 97. Holy Communion (pub 18, private 6), 24. Sunday School Teachers (m. 1, f. 7), 8. Other officers 2. Scholars, 70. Total, 80. Children catechised, 70. Times catechised, 12.

Value Church building, \$4,550. Rectory, \$1,350. Total, \$5,900.

Receipts: Communion alms, \$14.50. Subscriptions, \$350. Donations, \$72. Offerings \$225.81. Guilds, &c., \$25.50; Sunday School, \$51.17; Total, \$734.98.

Expenditures: Incidentals, \$18; Repairs, \$94.50; Rector's salary, (pledged \$500). Paid \$500; Sunday School, \$53.73; Council Fund \$2; Diocesan Missions, \$25; Bishop's salary, \$20; Diocesan Education \$6; Domestic and Foreign Missions, \$15; Education Ministry, \$4.75. Total, \$734.98.

Corinna, Population about 650, Wright County, S. Mark's Church, Vested in Bishop Seabury Mission. Reported by OCTAVIUS LONGWORTH, Lay Reader (P. O., Clearwater).

Families, 7. No. Communicating during year, 23. Holy Communion, 2.

Value Church building and lot, \$1,060.

Receipts: \$32.41.

Expenditures: Council Fund, \$1; Diocesan Missions, \$7; Bishop's salary, \$5; Episcopal Endowment Fund, \$30. Total, \$33.07.

Detroit, Population, 1,200, Becker County, S. Luke's Church, The REV. E. STEELE PEAKE, Rector.

Families, 13. Individuals, 35. Confirmations, m. 1. Marriages, 1. Burials, 2. Public services, (Sundays, 36, other days, 15), 51. Holy Communion, (pub. 6, private, 1), 7. Sunday School, Teachers (m. 4, f. 4), 8. Scholars (m. 12, f. 18), 30. Total, 35. Children catechised, 20. Times catechised, 4.

Value Church building, \$2000.

Receipts: Communion alms, \$8; Subscriptions, \$250.00. Total, \$258.00.

Expenditures: Rector's salary, \$200; Other expenses, \$50; Council Fund, \$2; Bishop's salary, \$4; Am. Bible Society, \$2.50; Domestic Missions, \$4.27; Foreign Missions, \$4.27; Education Ministry, \$1.50. Total, \$203.54.

Duluth, Population 30,000, St. Louis County, S. Paul's Church, Vested in Vestry, pews rented and free, The Rev. CHARLES A. POOLE, Rector, No. 213 Lake Ave. F. W. PAINE, G. V. QUILLIARD, Wardens.

Families, 193. Individuals, 745. Baptisms (inf. 34, ad. 2), 36. Confirmations (m. 3, f. 14), 17. Communicants, last report, 151. Present No. (m. 43, f. 142), 185. Communicating during year (m. 36, f. 78), 114. Marriages, 11. Burials, 14. Public services, (Sundays 85, other days 45), 130. Holy communion (pub. 22, private 2), 24. Sunday School, Teachers (m. 2, f. 8), 10. Other officers, 3. Scholars (m. 48, f. 85), 133. Total, 146. Children catechised, 69. Times catechised, 8.

Value Church building, \$10,000. Rectory, \$3,500. Other property, \$10,000. Total \$23,000.

Indebtedness, \$4,400.

Receipts—Pew rents, \$2,400; Communion alms, \$61.36; Subscriptions, \$1,646; Donations (loans), \$3,500; Offerings, \$304.64; Guilds &c., \$803.34; Sunday School, \$40.48. Total \$8,775.82.

Expenditures—Incidentals, \$887.71; Payments on organ, \$733.34; Church buildings, \$4,646.07; Rector's salary, \$1,600; Other expenses, \$604.30; Sunday School, \$31.32; Poor, \$69.50; Council fund, \$10; Diocesan Miss., \$55.44; Bishop's salary, \$54; Disabled Clergy fund, \$18.42; Domestic and Foreign Missions, \$15.72. Total, \$8,775.82.

Dresbach and Dakota Missions, Population 300, Winona County, The Rev. THOS. K. ALLEN, Priest in charge (P. O. LaCrescent).

Families, 20. Individuals, 61. Baptisms (inf. 3, ad. 3), 6. Confirmations (m. 3, f. 9), 12. Communicants, 25. Communicating during the year, 14. Burials, 1. Public services, 12. Holy communion, 2. Children catechised, 50. Times catechised, 8.

Receipts—Rector's salary, \$11.

Monthly and semi-monthly services began in October, 1886.

Elk River, Population 1,100, Sherburne County, Trinity Church, Vested in Bishop, Rector, Church, Wardens and Vestry: The Rev. ANDREW D. STOWE, Rector (P. O., Anoka); G. B. Upham, J. F. Baltzell, Wardens.

Families, 37. Individuals, 131. Baptisms (inf. 3, ad. 3), 6. Confirmations, (m. 1, f. 7), 8. Communicants, last report, 43. Present number (m. 3, f. 42), 45. Communicating during year (m. 2, f. 26), 24. Marriages 2. Burials 1. Public Services (Sundays 45, other days, 6), 51. Holy Communion, 11.

Value Church Building, \$500.

Receipts—Subscriptions, \$30; Offerings, \$128.88; Sunday School, \$25. Total, \$183.88.

Expenditures—Rector's Salary, \$121.74; Other Expenses, \$10; Council Fund, \$2; Diocesan Missions, \$10; Bishop's Salary, \$8; Miscellaneous, \$4.14. Total, \$158.88.

Elysian, Population 400, Le Sueur County, Grace Church, Vested in Diocese of Minnesota; WELLINGTON McVETTIE, Lay Reader (P. O., Fari-bault).

Families, 10. Individuals, 36. Confirmations (m. 1, f. 6), 7. Communicants, last report, 35. Present number, (m. 10, f. 25), 35. Communicating during year (m. 7, f. 13), 20. Burials, 3. Public Services (Sundays 50 other days 12), 62. Holy Communion, 1. Sunday School, Teachers (m. 3, f. 5), 8. Other Officers, 2. Scholars (m. 20, f. 40), 60. Total, 70 Children Catechised, 60.

Value Church Building and Lot, \$2,400.

Indebtedness, \$100.

Receipts: Subscriptions, \$893; Donations, \$630; Offerings, \$50; Guilds, etc., \$100; Sunday School, \$20. Total, \$1,693.

Expenditures: Church building, \$1,600; Rector's salary, \$73; Other expenses, \$2; Sunday School, \$18; Council fund, \$1; Diocesan Missions, 3; Bishop's salary, \$2. Total, \$1,699.

Fairmont, Population, 1,100, Martin County, S. Martin's Church: The Rev. R. R. GOUDY, Rector. J. ALFRED SINCLAIR, F. A. PETERSON, Wardens.

Baptisms, (inf., 8). Confirmations, (m. 1, f. 8), 4. Communicants, last report, 56. Present number, 46. Communicating during year (m. 15, f. 20), 35. Marriages, 2. Public Services (Sunday, 22; other days, 7), 29. Holy Communion, 9. Sunday School Teachers, 6. Scholars (m. 7, f. 23), 30. Total, 36.

Value of Church building, \$2,125.

Receipts: Donations, \$20; Offerings, \$109.75; Guilds &c., \$69. Total, \$197.75.

Expenditures: Incidentals, \$11.17; Repairs, \$30; Insurance, \$25.50; Rector's salary, \$71.45; Bishop Gilbert's Special Needs Fund, \$10.76; Council Fund, \$2; Diocesan Missions, \$10; Bishop's salary, \$8; Domestic Missions, \$1.42; Charleston sufferers, \$8.15. Total, \$211.85.

Farmington, Population 1,000, Dakota County, Church of the Advent. DANIEL UNDERWOOD, F. W. THORNE, Wardens.

Families, 18. Individuals, 45. Baptisms, (inf. 1, ad. 1), 2. Confirmations, (m; 2, f. 6), 8. Communicants, (m 11, f. 23), 34. Public services, 8. Holy Communion, 3. Sunday School, Teachers, 7, Scholars, (m. 14, f. 16), 30. Total, 37. Children catechised, 30. Times catechised, 5.

Value Church building and lot, \$1,200.

Receipts: Subscriptions, \$48.79; Offerings, \$35.17; Guilds &c., \$61.95. Total, \$145.91.

Expenditures: Incidentals, \$33.01; Repairs, \$4.80; Rector's salary, \$77.29; Council Fund, \$2; Diocesan Missions, \$10; Bishop's salary, \$7; Disabled Clergy Fund, \$1.20. Total, \$138.30.

Faribault, Population 7,000, Rice County, Cathedral of Our Merciful Saviour, Vested in Bishop Seabury Mission, The Rev. A. A. ABBOTT, Assistant Rector, A. E. HAVEN, S. L. CROCKER, Wardens.

Families, 156, Individuals, 721. Baptisms, (inf. 13, ad. 8), 21. Confirmations, (m. 8, f. 33), 41. Communicants, last report, 236. Present No. (m. 150, f. 117), 297. Communicating during year, (m. 72, f. 95), 167. Marriages, 14. Burials, 19. Public services, (Sunday, 10, other days, 180), 286. Holy Communion, (pub. 74, private, 3), 77. Sunday School, Teachers, (m. 1, f. 10, 11, Other Officers, 3, Scholars, (m. 45, f. 114), 199, Total 213. Children catechised, 199. Times catechised, 12.

Value Church property, \$60,000.

Receipts: Communion alms, \$99.60; Subscriptions, \$2,832.13; Offerings, \$970.54; Guilds &c., \$394.85; Sunday School, \$218.52. Total, \$4,517.74.

Expenditures—Incidentals, \$956.26; Rector's Salary (amount pledged, \$1,000, amount paid \$970.88; Other Expenses, \$101.74; Sunday School, \$203.55; Choir, \$100; Council Fund, \$29; Diocesan Missions, \$135.31; Bishop's Salary, \$25.31; Disabled Clergy Fund, \$20; Miscellaneous, \$1,539; Domestic Missions, \$12.50; Foreign Missions, \$12.50; Miscellaneous, \$3.40. Total, \$4,153.26.

Faribault, S. Mary's Hall; The Rev. GEORGE B. WHIPPLE, Chaplain.

Baptisms, ad. 6. Confirmations, f. 15. Communicating during year, f. 42. Sunday School Teachers, f. 10. Scholars, f. 96. Total, 106.

Receipts—Offerings, \$357.66.

Expenditures—Salary Chaplain, \$125; Diocesan Missions, \$50; Bishop's Salary, \$37.50; Miscellaneous, \$40; Scholarship, \$40; Miscellaneous (out of Diocese), \$25.16. Total, \$357.66.

Faribault, Memorial Chapel, Shattuck School; The Rev. JAMES DOBBIN, Rector.

Individuals, 170. Baptisms (inf. 1, ad. 4), 5. Confirmations, 8. Communicants, last report, 46. Present number, (m. 47, f. 6), 53. Communicating during year (m. 47, f. 6),

Fergus Falls, Population, 4,000, Otter Tail County, S. James' Church:
The Rev. SAMUEL MILLS, Rector. JAMES A. BROWN, GEORGE COWING,
Wardens.

Families, 76. Individuals, 239. Baptisms, (inf., 6). Communicants (m. 30, f. 51), 81. Communicating during year (m. 17, f. 42), 59. Burials, 4. Public Services (Sunday, 66, other days, 32), 128. Holy Communion (pub. 18, private, 2), 20. Sunday School Teachers (m. 2, f. 7), 9. Scholars (m. 38 f. 54), 92. Total, 101. Children catechised, 92. Times catechised, 1.

Value Church building, \$1,500. Other property, \$1,000. Total, \$3,500.

Indebtedness, \$1,200.

Receipts: Subscriptions, \$315.26; Donations, \$363.50; Offerings, \$555.28; Guilds, \$341.23; Sunday School, \$40. Total, \$1615.27.

Expenditures: Rector's salary (amt. pledged \$1,000); Paid, \$1,000.

Owing to loss of books a full or complete return cannot be made. Our debt has been consolidated and very much reduced. Floating debts about the parish have in many cases been paid off. Prospects are brightening and a feeling of confidence being established.

S. M.

Frontenac, Goodhue County, Christ's Church: The Rev. WILLIAM GARDHAM, Priest in charge (P. O., Lake City.)

Baptisms included in report of Lake City. Confirmations, 3. Communicants, last report, 31. Present No., 34. Sunday School Teachers, 8. Scholars, 60. Total, 68.

Receipts: Offerings, \$43.10; Sunday School, \$33.35; Subscriptions, \$144.15. Total, \$320.60.

Expenditures: Repairs on Church, \$188.15; Other expenses, \$40.10; Diocesan Missions, \$2; Bishop's salary, \$1; Sunday School, \$33.35. Total, \$264.60.

Granite Falls, Population 1,200, Yellow Medicine County, Trinity Church:
O. J. FOSS, Jr., Wardel, by whom Report is made.

Families, 11. Individuals, 50. Communicants (m. 5, f. 11), 16. Public Services, 3. Sunday School Scholars (m. 5, f. 10), 15.

Value Church Property, \$50.

Hussan, Hennepin County, S. John Evangelist Church, Vested in Parish: The Rev. FRANK R. MILLSPAUGH, Priest in charge; (P. O. Add., No. 1212 Yale Place, Minneapolis;) SEPTIMUS PARSLAW, JOHN TUCKER, Wardens; ANDREW ADAMS, Lay Reader.

Families, 10. Individuals, 53. Baptisms (inf. 5, ad. 1), 6. Confirmations, m. 3. Communicants (m. 13, f. 15), 28. Communicating during year (m. 8, f. 13), 21. Burials, 2. Public Services (Sundays 4, other days 12), 16. Holy Communion, 6. Sunday School, Teachers (m. 1, f. 2), 3. Scholars (m. 4, f. 9), 13. Total, 16. Children Catechised, 13. Times Catechised, 26.

Value Church Building, \$500.

Receipts—\$192.32.

Expenditures—Church Repairs, \$150; Rector's Salary (amount pledged \$40), paid \$21.99; Council Fund, \$1; Diocesan Missions, \$9.43; Bishop's Salary, \$5; Domestic Missions, \$5. Total, \$192.32.

Hastings, Population 4,000, Dakota County, S. Luke's Church, The Rev. EDWARD MOYSES, Rector J. R. CLAGGETT, L. S. FOLLETT, Wardens.

Families, 71. Individuals, 300. Baptisms, (inf. 13, ad. 3), 16. Confirmations, (m. 5, f. 15), 20. Communicants, last report 115, Present No. 129. Communicating during year (m. 27, f. 89), 116. Indians, 10, total, 126. Marriages, 8. Burials, 13. Public services, (Sundays,

103, other days, 122), 225, Holy Communion, (pub. 36, private 4), 40. Sunday School Teachers, (m. 2 f. 9), 11, Other officers, 2, Scholars, (m. 30. f. 50), 80. Total, 93. Catechised 25 times.

Value Church property. *-----

Receipts: Communion alms, \$50; Offerings, \$51.15; Guilds &c., \$488; Sunday School, \$65.30. Total, \$1,554.45.

Expenditures: Incidentals, \$165.50; Insurance, \$36; Payment on debt, \$400; Rector's salary, (amt. pledged \$1000); paid \$1000; Other expenses, \$40; Council Fund, \$6; Diocesan Missions, \$3; Bishop's salary, \$23; Domestic and Foreign Missions, \$3; Jewish Missions, \$5. Total, \$1,719.50.

*No Report.

Heron Lake, Population 350, Jackson County, Mission; The Rev. D. GRIFFIN GUNN, Priest in charge, (P. O., Wilder).

Families, 8. Individuals, 40. Communicants, (m. 3, f. 6), 9. Public services, 7. Holy Communion, 1. Sunday School, Teachers, 3, Scholars (m. 10, f. 12), 22. Children Catechised 22. Times Catechised, 3.

Receipts: Offerings, \$25.

Expenditures: Rector's salary, \$25.

Houston, Population 500, Houston County, Church of Our Saviour, Vested in Diocese Minnesota; The Rev. THOS. K. ALLEN, Rector; (P. O., La Crescent).

Families, 12. Individuals, 40. Baptisms, inf. 1. Communicants, (m. 2, f. 8), 10. Communicating during year (m. 3, f. 13), 16. Marriages, 1. Public Services (Sundays 10, other days 2), 12. Holy Communion, 5.

Value Church Building, \$900.

Receipts—Offerings, \$25.80.

Expenditures—Rector's Salary, \$21; Bishop Gilbert's Special Needs Fund, \$2.25. Total, \$23.25.

Howard Lake, Population 600, Wright County, All Saints Church, Vested in Gethsemane Church Brotherhood; The Rev. A. R. GRAVES, Priest in Charge; (P. O., Minneapolis).

Families, 9. Individuals, 46. Communicants, 9. Communicating during year, 5. Marriages, 2. Public Services, 6. Holy Communion, 2.

Value Church Building, \$1,500.

Receipts—Offerings, \$11.90.

Expenditures—Rector's Salary, \$1.94; Rector's Traveling Expenses, \$9.96. Total, \$11.90.

Janesville, Population 1,100, Waseca County, St. John's Church, Vested in Bishop, The Rev. R. R. GORDY, Late Rector, (P. O. Fairmont,) A. W. JENNISON; D. J. DODGE, Wardens.

Families, 24. Individuals, 75. Baptisms (inf. 7, ad. 1), 8. Communicants, last report, 33. Present No. (m. 8, f. 29), 37. Marriages, 2. Burials, 3. Public services (Sundays 25, other days 3), 28. Holy Communion (pub. 6, private 4), 10.

Value Church building, \$2,000. Rectory, \$300. Other Church property, \$300. Total, \$2,600.

Receipts—\$300.

Expenditures—Payment of debts, \$110. Rector's salary, \$112.55. Other expenses, \$10. Council fund, \$2. Diocesan Mission, \$10. Bishop's salary, \$8. Disabled clergy fund, \$17.15. Total, \$300.

Lake City, Population 2,500, Wabasha County, S. Mark's Church, Vested in Vestry, The Rev. WILLIAM GARDHAM, Rector. W. E. PERKINS, L. H. BUCK, Wardens.

Families, 120. Individuals, 400. Baptisms (inf. 15, ad. 4), 19. Confirmations, (m. 9, f. 10), 19. Communicants, last report, 154. Present No. 185. Marriages, 8. Burials, 14. Public services (Sundays 208, other days 98), 306. Holy Communion (pub. 28, private 1), 29. Sunday School Teachers (m. 6, f. 11), 17. Other officers, 5. Scholars, 150. Total, 172. Children catechised, 20 times.

Value of Church building, \$3,500. Rectory, \$2,500. Total, \$6,000.

Receipts: Subscriptions (for Rectory), \$1,124.80; (for Rector's salary), \$830; Donations, \$30; Offerings, \$381.22; Guilds, &c., \$672.54; Sunday School, \$190.53. Total, \$3029.89.

Expenditures: Incidentals, \$217.52; Building Rectory, \$1657.60; Insurance, \$30, Rector's salary (amt. pledged, \$400). Paid, \$800; Sunday School, \$190.53; Council Fund, \$9; Diocesan Missions, \$37.89; Bishop's salary, \$100; Disabled Clergy Fund, \$13.06; Bishop Gilbert's Special Needs fund, \$8.36. Total, \$3034.56.

Lake Crystal, Population, 800, Blue Earth County, All Angels' Memorial Church: The Rev. GEO. H. MUELLER, Priest in charge, (P. O., Blue Earth City.)

Families, 19. Individuals, 42. Baptisms, (inf., 1). Communicants (m. 7, f. 11), 18. Communicating during year (m. 3, f. 7), 10. Burials, 1. Public Services (Sunday, 14, Other days, 2), 16. Holy Communion (pub., 3, private, 1), 4. Sunday School Teachers (m. 1, f. 3), 4. Other officers, 1. Scholars (m. 7, f. 12), 19. Total, 24. Children catechised, 13. Times catechised, 1.

Value of Church building, \$900.

Receipts: Offerings, \$23.90; Guilds, &c., \$71.95. Total, \$98.85.

Expenditures: Incidentals, \$2.25; Repairs, \$25.25; Payment, debts, \$15; Council funds, \$1. Bishop's salary, \$7. Total, \$51.50.

Little Falls, Population 1,000, Morrison County, Church of Our Saviour Vested in Vestry: The Rev. LEWIS CASS BIRCH, Rector; E. ROTHWELL, Mr. RESIGNOD, Wardens.

Families, 9. Individuals, 27. Baptisms, inf. 5. Confirmations, f. 1. Communicants (m. 3, f. 16), 19. Communicating during year (m. 1, f. 15), 16. Public Services (Sundays 26, other days 18), 44. Holy Communion (pub. 5, private 1), 6. Sunday School, Teachers, 6. Scholars (m. 6, f. 14), 20. Total, 26. Children catechised, 16. Times catechised, 12.

Value Church Building and Lots, \$500. Rectory, \$600. Total, \$1,100.

Receipts—Subscriptions, \$220; Guilds, etc., \$150; Sunday School, \$12. Total, \$412.

Expenditures—Incidentals, \$12; Repairs, \$100; Rector's Salary, \$250; Sunday School, \$8; Council Fund, \$2; Diocesan Missions, \$5; Bishop's Salary, \$8; Domestic Missions, \$12; Total, \$397.

Litchfield, Meeker County, Trinity Church; The Rev. THOMAS G. CRUMP, Rector; C. H. STROBECK, J. H. MORRIS, Wardens.

Families, 75. Individuals, 375. Baptisms (inf. 22, ad. 11), 33. Confirmations (m. 8, f. 9), 17. Communicants, 100. Marriages, 7. Burials, 25. Public Services (Sunday 140, other days 26), 166. Holy Communion (pub. 12, private 4), 16. Sunday School Teachers, 5. Scholars (m. 30, f. 45), 75. Total, 100.

Value Church property, \$7,000.

Receipts—Total, \$772.50.

Expenditures—Incidental, \$100.00; Insurance, \$40.00; Rector's salary, \$540.00; Sunday School, \$30.00; Poor, \$10.00; Mission work in parish, \$15.00; Council Fund (arrears, &c.) \$15.00; Bishop's salary, \$15.00; Domestic Missions, \$5.00; Foreign Missions, \$2.50. Total, \$772.50.

Madelia, Population, 800, Watonwan County; Christ Church, Vested in Bishop. The Rev. D. GRIFFIN GUNN, Priest in Charge. (P. O., Wilder.)

Families, 8. Individuals, 20. Communicants (m. 9, f. 7) 16. Communicating during year (m. 6, f. 7) 13. Marriages, 1. Public Services, 24. Holy Communion, 1.

Value Church building, \$1,500.

Receipts—\$10.00.

Expenditures—Rector's salary, \$10.00

Mankato, Population 9,700, Blue Earth County; S. John's Church, Vested in Vestry. The Rev. T. C. HUDSON, Rector. A. M. SMITH, GEO. W. SLADE, Wardens.

Families, 63. Individuals, 225. Baptisms, inf. 9. Confirmations, (m. 5, f. 2) 7. Communicants, last report, 87; present number, (m. 28, f. 60) 88. Communicating during year, (m. 20, f. 50) 79. Marriages, 5. Burials, 1. Public Services (Sundays, 106; other days, 60) 166. Holy Communion, 25. Sunday School, Teachers (m. 3, f. 4) 7; Scholars (m. 20, f. 36) 56. Total, 63.

Value Church building, \$5,000; other Church property, \$650.00. Total, \$5,650.00.

Receipts—Subscriptions, \$933.55; Offerings, \$363.27; Guilds, &c., \$423.70; Sunday School, \$37.18. Total, \$1,757.70.

Expenditures—Incidental, \$133.08; Repairs, \$15.00; Payment of debts, \$114.20; Rector's salary (pledged, \$1,000) paid, \$933.65; Other expenses, \$75.00; Sunday School, \$18.18; Diocesan Missions, \$36.60; Bishop's salary, \$18.50; Disabled Clergy Fund, \$5.00; Clergy Widows and Orphans Society, \$2 45; Miscellaneous, \$11.68; Domestic Missions, \$5.60; Foreign Missions, \$4.78. Total, \$1,374.17.

Melrose, Population 1,000. Stearnes County; Trinity Mission. The Rev. J. F. HAMILTON, Priest in Charge. (P. O., Sank Center.)

Families, 5. Individuals, 21. Communicants, last report, 10; present number, (m. 1, f. 7) 8. Communicating during year, f. 4. Public Services, 22. Holy Communion, 3. Sunday School, Teachers, 2; Scholars (m. 7, f. 9) 16. Total, 18.

Value Church building, \$1,000.

Receipts—\$81.05.

Expenditures—Incidental, \$4.05; Rector's salary (pledged, \$100.00) paid, \$71.00. Council Fund, \$1.00; Diocesan Missions, \$3.00; Bishop's salary, \$2.00. Total, \$81.05.

Minneiska, Population 300, Wabasha County; Mission. The Rev. J. J. HILLMER, Priest in Charge, (P. O., No. 203 East King st., Winona.)

Families, 5. Individuals, 16. Communicants, 1. Burials, 1. Public Services, 24.

Receipts—Offerings, \$76.00.

Expenditures—Rector's salary, \$76.00

Monterideo, Population 1,350, Chippewa County, Grace Church, Vested in vestry; Reported by Rev. R. E. METCALF, Late Rector. (P. O. Owatonna.) F. W. STURTEVANT, J. A. CASE, Wardens.

Families, 36. Individuals, 116. Baptisms, (inf. 4, ad. 4), 8. Confirmations (m. 14, f. 19), 33. Communicants, last report, 39. Present No. (m. 20, f. 37), 57. Communicating during the year (m. 19, f. 37), 56. Burials, 40. Public services (Sundays 26, other days, 16), 42. Holy Communion, 22. Sunday School Teachers (m. 2, f. 5), 7. Other officers, 5. Scholars (m. 24, f. 28), 52. Total, 64. Children catechised, 52. Times catechised, 23.

Value Church building, \$3,500. Other property, \$500. Total, \$4,000.

Indebtedness, \$800.

Receipts—Subscriptions, \$260; Donations, \$2,000; Offerings, \$50; Guilds &c., \$500; Sunday School, \$100. Total, 2,910.

Expenditures—Incidental, \$100.81; Insurance, \$6; Church buildings, \$2,300; Rector's salary (amt pledged, \$250), paid \$254; Sunday School, \$34.53; Charitable, \$30; Council fund, \$1.00; Diocesan Missions, \$6.00; Bishop's salary, \$2.00; Disabled clergy, \$5.00; Bishop Gilbert's special needs fund, \$6.00; Clergy widows and orphans' fund, \$5.00; Domestic Missions, \$13; Miscellaneous, \$10. Total, \$2,782.24.

Moorhead, Population, 3000, Clay County, S. Johns' Church, Vested Diocese Minnesota; The Rev. THOS. E. DICKEY, Rector Bishop Whipple School, officiating. SAM. PARTRIDGE, A. A. WHITE, Wardens.

Families 14, Individuals, 200, Baptisms, inf, 8. Confirmations, (m. 2, f. 1), 3. Communicants, last report, 62 present, number (m. 14, f. 22), 36. Communicating during year, (part strangers), (m. 20, f. 31), 51, Marriages, 2, Burials, 1. Public services, (Sundays, 78, other days, 42), 120. Holy Communion, 13. Sunday School, Teachers, (m. 2, f. 7), 9, Other officers, 2, Scholars (m. 42, f. 50), 92. Total, 163. Children Catechised, 83. Times Catechised, 12.

Value Church building, \$1,200. Rectory, \$1,500. Other Church property, \$3,000. Total, \$7,700.

Receipts: Communion alms, \$30.08; Subscriptions, \$1,121.54; Donations, \$150; Offerings \$205.74. Total, \$1,516.36.

Expenditures: Incidental, \$117.24; Repairs, \$15; Payment debts, \$472.54; Church building, \$4.30; Rector's salary, (amt. pledged, \$1,000), paid (Rector left January 1, 1897), \$810; Poor, \$2; Council Fund, \$2; Diocesan Missions, \$14; Bishop's salary, \$20; Bishop Gilbert's special needs Fund, \$33.30. Total, \$1,516.36.

MOOREHEAD, MINN., June 1st, 1897.

My Dear Bishop:—I am sorry not to be able to go to the Council this year. The truth is I cannot afford the expense. The Parish report was made out by the Senior Warden. Between 60 and 70 communicants have been reported for the past two years. I think the present report is correct. I do not know how, or why, such a mistake has been made in the past. The assessments on the Parish are too large. Can they be reduced? No Parish in the Diocese of equal size and means attempts to pay its own expenses. I have given them services for the past five months for \$20. per month, to help them to pay off their late Rector.

THOS. E. DICKEY.

Minneapolis, Population 150,000, Hennepin County, All Saints Church: The Rev. E. J. PURDY, Rector; LE ROY ROBERTSON, THOMAS SEGAR, Wardens.

Families, 51. Individual, 200. Baptisms (inf. 24, ad. 3), 27. Confirmations (m., 4, f. 2), 6. Communicants last Report, 40. Present Number 91. Communicating During Year, 50. Marriages, 6. Burials, 12; Sunday School, Teachers, (m. 2, f. 7), 9; Other Officers, 3; Scholars, 155; Total, 169.

Value Church property, \$7,500.00.

Indebtedness—\$1,400.00.

Receipts—Communion Alms, \$21.48; Subscriptions, \$228.00; Donations, \$500.00; Offerings, \$144.76; Guilds, Etc., \$100.00; Sunday School, \$45.00. Total, \$1,449.24.

Expenditures—Incidentals, \$83.20; Insurance, \$21.00; Payment Debt, \$200.00; Purchase of Church Lot, \$500.00; Rector's Salary, \$519.00; Sunday School, \$64.00; Poor, \$21.00; Diocesan Missions, \$7.00. Total, \$1,405.20.

The Church Property was sold June 1, 1897, for \$1,000.00. Bridge, Interest, Taxes and Commissions paid about \$2,000.00.

E. J. PURDY, Rector.

Minneapolis, Gethsemane Church, Vested in Rector, Church, Warden and Vestry: The Rev. ANSON R. GRAVES, Rector, No. 344 South Seventeenth street; The Rev. EZRA P. CHITTENDEN, Assistant Rector; JOHN I. BLACK, OGDEN T. TUTTLE, Wardens.

Families, 378. Individuals, 1,414. Baptisms (inf. 67, ad. 23), 90. Confirmations (m. 21, f. 46), 67. Communicants, 751. Communicating during year, 519. Marriages, 31. Burials, 32. Public Services, 420. Holy Communion, (pub. 90, private 11), 101. Sunday School Teachers (m. 5, f. 12), 17. Other Officers, 3. Scholars, 200. Total, 220. Children Catechised, 200. Times Catechised, 52.

Value Church Building and Lots, \$90,000. Rectory, \$5,000. Other Church Property, \$30,000. Total, \$115,000.

Indebtedness—\$30,000.

Receipts—Communion Alms, \$124.73; Subscriptions, \$4,950; Donations, \$2,325.72; Offerings, \$1,269; Guilds, etc., \$470; Sunday School, \$120.83. Total, \$9,364.28.

Expenditures—Incidentals, \$900. Repairs, \$141. Payment Debts, \$2,900. Church Kindergarten, \$200. Rector's Salary, \$1,500. Assistant Rector's Salary, \$425. Taxes, \$200. Organ, \$1,000. Sunday School, \$109.30. Episcopal Endowment Fund, \$125; Poor, \$128.73; Council Fund, \$30. Diocesan Missions, \$286.96. Bishop's Salary, \$185. Disabled Clergy Fund, \$93.56. Diocesan Education, \$10.85. Sheltering Arms, \$40. Church Home for Babies, \$25.30. S. Barnabas Hospital, \$797.70. Domestic Missions, \$122.10. Foreign Missions, \$83.25. Woman's Auxiliary, \$50. Church Building Fund, \$10. Total, \$9,364.28.

Minneapolis, Grace Church, Vested in Parish: The Rev. C. E. HIXON, Rector, No. 1410 Nineteenth street E.; A. H. KITTELL, JOHN PARBLOW, Wardens.

Families, 80. Individuals, 325. Baptisms (inf. 22, ad. 5), 27. Confirmations, (m. 8, f. 7), 15. Communicants, last report, 115. Present number (m. 42, f. 100), 142. Communicating during year (m. 40, f. 85), 125. Marriages, 14. Burials, 12. Public Services (Sundays 125, other days 25), 150. Missions, 20. Total, 170. Holy Communion (pub. 25, private 2), 27. Sunday School Teachers, (m. 3, f. 5), 8. Other Officers, 3. Scholars (m. 40, f. 70), 110. Total, 121. Children Catechised, 110. Times Catechised, 55.

Value Church Building, \$6,000.

Receipts—Communion Alms, \$15; Subscriptions, \$425.16; Donations, \$110.18; Investments, \$3,000; Offerings, \$78.60; Guilds, etc., \$184.50; Sunday School, \$100. Total, \$3,922.50.

Expenditures—Incidentals, \$150; Repairs, \$300; Insurance, \$20; Payment Debts, \$384; Church Building, \$2,100; Rector's Salary, \$594.84; Other Expenses, \$120.27; Sunday School, \$100; Poor, \$15; Mission Work in Parish, \$20; Bishop's Salary, \$12. Total, \$3,815.91.

Minneapolis, Holy Trinity Church, Pews Rented: The Rev. A. J. GRAHAM, Rector, No. 408 Fourth street S. E.; WINTHROP YOUNG, WILLIAM LOCHREN, Wardens.

Families, 134; Individuals, 580; Baptisms (inf. 22, ad. 2) 24. Confirmations (m. 1, f. 5), 6. Communicants, last report, 191. Present number (m. 52, f. 161), 213. Communicating during year (m. 48, f. 120), 168. Marriages, 9. Burials, 12. Public Services (Sundays 123, other days 24), 147. Holy Communion (pub. 55, private 9), 64. Sunday School Teachers (m. 1, f. 7), 8. Other officers, 3. Scholars (m. 17, f. 60), 77. Total, 88. Children Catechised, 40. Times Catechised, 5.

Value Church Building, \$7,000. Rectory, \$3,500. Other Church Property, \$10,500. Total, \$21,000.

Receipts—Pew Rents, \$1,622.53. Communion Alms, \$14; Subscriptions, \$316.36; Donations, \$450; Guilds, etc., \$312.24; Sunday School, \$72.12. Total, \$2,767.25.

Expenditures: Incidental, \$103; Repairs, \$111; Insurance, \$21.25; Payment, debts, \$74; Rector's salary, \$1,200; Music, \$330; Taxes, \$43.34; Sewer expense, \$204; Sunday School, \$80; Charitable, \$74; Council fund, \$5; Diocesan Missions, \$52.50; Bishop's salary, \$35; Disabled Clergy fund, \$6.50; Episcopal Endowment, \$150; Miscellaneous, \$8; Domestic Missions, \$17; Womens' Auxiliary, \$50; Education, Ministry, \$25; Miscellaneous, \$44.40. Total, \$3690.63.

Minneapolis, S. Andrew's Church, Vested in Vestry: The Rev. JNO. W. PROSSER, Rector, 513, 12th Avenue, North. L. O. MERRIAM, E. B. YOST, Wardens.

Families, 53. Individuals, 242. Baptisms (inf., 17, adult, 1), 18. Confirmations, f., 4. Communicants, last report, 103. Present No., (m. 30, f. 59), 89. Communicating during year (m. 19, f. 42), 61. Marriages, 7. Burials, 9. Public Services (Sundays, 74 Other days, 19), 97. Holy Communion (pub., 18, private, 3), 21. Sunday School, Teachers (m. 3, f. 7), 10. Scholars, 100. Total, 110. Children catechised, 12 times.

Value of Church buildings, \$5,500. Rectory, \$700. Other Church property, \$3,725. Total, \$9,925.

Indebtedness: \$2,600.

Receipts: Subscriptions, \$459.07; Investments, \$90; Offerings, \$149.22; Guilds, &c., \$35. Sunday School, \$41.21. Total, \$814.50.

Expenditures: Incidental, \$51.31; Insurance, \$64.06; Interest, \$141.24; Rector's salary, \$505.08; Other expenses, \$26.40; Sunday School, \$24; Council fund, \$2; Diocesan Missions, \$24.05; Disabled Clergy fund, \$2.15; Sheltering Arms, \$3; Sauk Rapids Church, \$5. Total, \$648.33.

Minneapolis, S. Luke's Mission: The Rev. WM. B. HAMILTON, Rector, No. 2646, Portland Avenue.

Families, 32. Individuals, 128. Baptisms (inf., 4, adult, 3), 7. Confirmations (m. 6, f. 11), 17. Communicants (m. 20, f. 40), 60. Communicating during year (m. 20, f. 52), 72. Burials, 3. Public Services (Sundays, 96, other days, 29), 125. Holy Communion (pub. 40, private, 2), 42. Sunday Schools, Teachers, (m. 6, f. 3), 9. Other officers, 2. Scholars, 77. Total, 84. Children catechised, 77. Times catechised, 44.

Value Church building, \$1,875. Lots, \$3,000. Total, \$4,875.

Indebtedness: \$2,800.

Receipts: From all sources, \$667.33.

Expenditures: Incidental, \$345; Rector's salary (amt. pledged, \$400), Paid, \$322.33. Total, \$667.33.

Minneapolis, S. Mark's Church, seats assigned: The Rev. THOMAS B. WELLS, D. D., Dean, Rector, No. 33 Sixth Street South. C. M. HARDENBERG, WM. B. FOLDS, Wardens.

Families, 300. Individuals, 900. Baptisms (inf. 12, ad. 3), 15. Confirmations (m. 11, f. 6), 17. Communicants, last report, 282. Present No. 349. Marriages, 22. Burials, 17. Public services, (*). Holy communion, (*). Sunday School Teachers (m. 3, f. 6), 9. Other Officers 2. Scholars 115. Total, 126.

Value Church property, Church, Rectory, and other property, \$100,000.

Indebtedness—\$5,000.

*Receipts—*Communion alms, \$204; Subscriptions and plate, \$6,294; Episcopal Endowment, \$700; Donations, \$3,491; investments, \$401; Legacies, \$1,122; Offerings, not included above, \$1,105; Guilds &c., 1,071; Sunday School, \$100. Total, \$14,458.

*Expenditures—*Incidental, \$2,829; Insurance, \$150; Taxes, \$711; Interest, \$350; Rector's salary, \$2,500; Other expenses, \$329; Sunday and Industrial School, \$175; Poor, \$434; S. Barnabas Hospital, \$2,761; Home for aged women and children, \$346; Woman's Exchange, \$76; Woman's Home, \$58; Associated Charities, \$50; Miscellaneous, \$30; Council fund, \$30; Bishop's salary, \$250; Episcopal Endowment, \$700; Disabled clergy fund, \$40; Sheltering arms, \$224; Seabury Hall Legacy, \$501; Diocesan Missions, \$124; Individual Missions, \$245; Woman's Auxiliary, \$449; American Church building fund, \$55. Total, \$14,453.

*No Report.

Minneapolis, S. Paul's Church, pews rented, Vested in Vestry: The Rev. FRANK R. MILLSPAUGH, Rector, No. 1212 Yale Place. WM. REGAN, C. L. WELLS, M. D., Wardens.

Families, 200. Individuals, 800. Baptisms (inf. 26, ad. 18), 44. Confirmations (m. 18, f. 24), 42. Communicants, last report, 225. Present No. 305. Communicating during the year, 255. Marriages, 7. Burials, 16. Public services (Sundays 208, other days 132), 330. Holy Communion, 77. Sunday School, Teachers 15, Other officers 4, Scholars 167. Total, 186. Times catechised, 42.

Value Church building, \$28,300.

Indebtedness—\$8,000.

Receipts—Pew rents, \$2,167.29; Communion alms, \$114.32; Investments, \$900; Offerings, \$4,195.67; Guilds &c. \$583; Sunday School, \$47.83. Total, \$8,029.61.

Expenditures—Incidentals, \$1218.56; Repairs, \$11; Payment debts, \$1,000; Rector's salary, \$1,915; Other expenses, \$36.58; Sunday School, \$34; Poor, \$114.32; Mission work in parish, \$13.67; Council fund, \$10; Diocesan Missions, \$137.27; Bishop's salary, \$35; Episcopal Endowment fund, \$50; Sheltering Arms and Hospitals, \$92.61; Domestic Missions, \$193.35; Foreign Missions, \$16.25; Woman's Auxiliary, \$150. Total, \$8,029.61.

Rt. Rev. Sir:—Much is due under God to the hearty cooperation of the Vestrymen of S. Paul's, that the Parish has been enabled again to cut down its indebtedness and secure a perfect title to the valuable property.

Obediently,

FRANK R. MILLSPAUGH.

New York Mills, Population 300, Otter Tail County; Mission; The Rev. E. STEELE PEAKE, Priest in charge. (P. O. Detroit City.)

Public services, 7. Offerings, \$4.

Northfield, Population 3,500, Rice County, All Saints Church, Vested in Parish; The Rev. A. BAILEY HILL, Rector. JNO. T. AMES, J. H. PRIOR, Wardens.

Families, 80. Individuals, 280. Baptisms (inf. 4, ad. 1), 5. Confirmations (m. 4, f. 4) 8. Communicants, last report, 111. Present No. (m. 27, f. 56), 83. Communicating during year (m. 10, f. 40), 50. Marriages, 3. Burials, 13. Public services (Sundays 110, other days, 80), 140. Holy Communion (pub. 15, private 3), 18. Sunday School, Teachers, 9. Scholars (m. 17, f. 50), 67. Total, 76. Children catechised, 60. Times catechised, 4.

Value Church Building, \$3,500; Rectory, \$2,500. Total, \$6,000.

Receipts—Communion Alms, \$9.34; Offerings, \$150; Guilds, Etc., \$115; Sunday School \$15. Total, \$299.54.

Expenditures—Incidental, \$110; Repairs, \$100; Rector's Salary (amount pledged \$800) paid \$800; Sunday School Work, \$12; Council Fund, \$8; Diocesan Missions \$45; Bishop's Salary, \$35; Disabled Clergy Fund, \$5; Miscellaneous, \$5; Charitable, \$5. Total, \$925.

Owatonna, Population 4,000, Steele County, S. Paul's Church, Vested in Vestry: The Rev. R. E. METCALF, Rector; G. W. CHESLEY, B. F. WELCH, Wardens.

Families, 45. Individuals, 200. Baptisms, inf., 2. Communicants last Report, 67. Present number (m. 24, f. 63), 87. Communicating during year (m. 15, f. 40) 55. Marriages, 4. Sunday School, Teachers, 6. Scholars (m. 18, f. 22), 40. Total 46.

Value Church Building, \$5,000. Chapel, \$300. Total, \$5,300.

Perham, Otter Tail County, Epiphany Church; The Rev. E. STEELE PEAKE, Priest in Charge. (P. O. Detroit City.)

Families, 7. Individuals, 24. Baptisms, inf. 1. Communicants last Report, 11. Pres-

ent number, (m. 5, f. 6,) 11. Communicating during year (m. 3, f. 4,) 7. Burials, 1. Public services (Sundays 18, other days 10), 28. Holy Communions, 4.

Value Church property, cash in hands of Treasurer for Church building, \$450; Organ, \$50; Church lots, \$300. Total, \$800.

Receipts—Subscriptions, \$3.16; Offerings, \$9.60. Total, \$12.76.

Expenditures—Rector's Salary (amount pledged, \$40), paid \$40; Bishop's Salary, \$4; Disabled Clergy Fund, \$2; Miscellaneous, \$2; Charleston Sufferers, \$1.25. Total, \$49.25.

Services have also been held at Lake Sybil, Otter Tail County, on week days, three times and at Maple Grove, Becker County, on Sunday, once.

Pine Island, Goodhue County, Grace Church: The Rev. W. WILKINSON in charge, (P. O. Kenyon); D. E. SAWYER, Warden.

Families, 12. Individuals, 50. Present number (confirmed, 10. Communicating during year, 7. Public services, 13. Holy Communion, 2.

Value Church building, \$1,500.

Point Douglass, Population 100, Washington County, St. Paul's Church;

JAMES SHEARER, ALEXANDER NICOLLS, Wardens. Reported by Wardens.

Families, 8. Individuals, 33. Baptisms, inf. 1. Communicants last Report, 24. Present number (m. 8, f. 18), 26. Burials, 2.

Value Church building and lots, \$1,000.

Receipts—Offerings, \$79.23.

Expenditures—Rector's Salary (pledged, \$50), paid \$44; Other Expenses, \$13.68; Council Fund, \$1; Diocesan Missions, \$5; Bishop's Salary, \$4. Total, \$68.28.

Red Wing, Population 7,000, Goodhue County, Christ Church, Vested in Parish: The Rev. C. H. PLUMMER, Rector. Hon. E. T. WILDER, J. C. PIERCE, Wardens.

Families, 125. Individuals, 500. Baptisms (inf. 24, ad 10), 38. Confirmations (m. 8, f. 23), 31. Communicants last Report, 239. Present number (m. 75, f. 174), 253. Communicating during year, *201. Marriages, 11. Burials, 17. Public services, 253. Holy Communion (public 38, private 1), 39. Sunday School, Teachers (m. 3, f. 19), 22; Other Officers 4; Scholars, (m. 64, f. 114), 182. Total, 208. Children Catechised, 140. Times Catechised, 52.

Value Church building \$25,000. Chapel \$1,800. Rectory \$4,000. Other property \$5,000. Total \$35,000.

Receipts: Communion alms, \$55.62; Subscriptions, \$1,200; Donations, \$750; Investments, \$144; Offerings, \$748.85; Guilds, &c., \$639; Sunday School, \$153. Total, \$3,744.

Expenditures: Incidental, \$491.55; Repairs, \$118.45; Insurance, \$95; Rector's salary, \$1,200; Other expenses, \$375; Sunday School, \$154; Poor, \$78.90; Council fund, \$20; Diocesan Missions, \$150; Bishop's salary, \$100; Disabled Clergy Fund, \$13.10; Diocesan Education, \$15.50; Miscellaneous, Episcopal Endowment, Sauk Rapids, &c., \$422.20; Domestic Missions, \$40; Foreign Missions, \$15.30; Miscellaneous, \$74.35. Total, \$3,797.35.

*Some 20 of the non-Communicants are Suburban and Invalids.

Redwood Falls, Population 2,000; Redwood County: ——— Church; Vested in BISHOP WHIPPLE; THE REV. D. F. THOMPSON in charge. (P. O. St. Peter.)

Families, 25; Individuals, 100; Confirmations (m. 3, f. 5), 8; Communicants, (m. 5, f. 23) 28; Public services, 14; Sunday School, Teachers 10, scholars (m. 15, f. 28), 43. Total, 53.

Value Church building, \$800. Other property, \$400. Total, \$1,200.

Receipts: Offerings, \$44.68; Guilds &c., \$144.93; Sunday School, \$17.74; Total, \$207.35;

Expenditures: Incidental, \$158.42; Insurance, \$15; Church building, \$50; Rector's salary \$46; Sunday School, \$7. Total, \$276.42.

Reno and Glenwood Missions: The Rev. R. M. JOHNSON, Priest in charge.

Families, 25. Individuals, 113. Baptisms, inf. 16. Confirmations, 1. Communicants

(m. 11, f. 26), 37. Communicating during year, (m. 2, f. 8), 10. Marriages, 1. Burials, 1. Public services, 94. Holy Communion, 13. Held Bible Class 35 times.

Value Church, (Reno) \$900. (lots Glenwood) \$100.

Receipts: Offerings, \$110; Subscriptions, \$550; Total, \$660.

Expenditures: Rector's salary, \$110; Church building, \$550; Total, \$660.

The Church property of this Mission consists of Reno Church and Cemetery, a lot for a Church in Glenwood, all paid for in full and Vested in the "Minnesota Church Foundation."

Respectfully Yours,

R. M. JOHNSON,

Richwood Village, Population 75, Becker County, Church of The Holy Apostles, Unorganized Mission, Property Vested in "Minnesota Church Foundation." The Rev. J. A. GILFILLAN, Priest in charge, (P. O., White Earth, Agency).

Families, 6. Individuals, 28. Confirmations, (m. 2, f. 1), 3. Communicants last report 13. Present No. (m. 5, f. 9), 14. Communicating during year, (m. 5, f. 8), 13. Public services, (Sundays 15, other days 1), 16. Holy Communion 3. Sunday School, Teachers (m. 1, f. 3), 4, Scholars (m. 10, f. 12), 22 total 26.

Value Church building, \$900.

Receipts: Offering, \$18.12.

Expenditures: Sunday School, \$2.56; Foreign Missions, \$12.56; Charleston sufferers \$3 00. Total, \$18.12.

Rochester, Population 5,000, Olmsted County, Calvary Church, Vested in Wardens and Vestry; The Rev. R. N. AVERY, Rector; HENRY C. BUTLER, J. E. BOWERS, M. D., Wardens.

Families, 44. Individuals, 210. Baptisms (inf. 3, ad 4), 7. Confirmations (m. 2, f. 11), 13. Communicants, last report, 66. Present number (m. 14, f. 66), 80. Communicating during year (m. 11, f. 65), 76. Marriages, 5. Burials, 3. Public Services (Sundays 82, other days 90), 151. Holy Communion (pub. 64, private 1) 65. Sunday School Teachers (m. 1, f. 7), 8. Other officers, 2. Scholars (m. 20, f. 31), 51. Total, 61. Children Catechised, 41. Times Catechised, 19.

Value Church Building, \$5,000. Rectory, \$1,500. Total, \$6,500.

Indebtedness—\$50.

Receipts—Communion Alms, 12; Subscriptions, \$250; Offerings, \$270; Guilds, etc. \$400; Sunday School, \$65. Total, \$1,093.

Expenditures—Incidental, \$45; Insurance, \$30; Rector's Salary (amount pledged \$520), paid \$520; Other Expenses, \$463; Sunday School, \$35; Poor, \$5.50; Parish Missions, \$5; Council Fund, \$3; Diocesan Missions, \$5; Bishop's Salary, \$15; Domestic Missions, \$8. Foreign Missions, \$5. Total, \$1,139.50.

Rockford, Wright County, Trinity Mission, The Rev. FRANK R. MILLS-PAUGH, Priest in charge; (P. O. 1212 Yale Place, Minneapolis).

Families, 7. Individuals, 25. Baptisms, inf. 3. Confirmations 2. Communicants, 13. Public Services, 3. Sunday School, Teachers 1. Scholars, 18. Total, 19. Catechised, 1.

Receipts—Offerings, \$10.02.

Expenditures—Incidentals, \$6; Diocesan Missions, \$4.02. Total, \$10.02.

Royalton, Population 500, Morrison County, Grace Church, Vested in the Bishop; The Rev. LEWIS CASS BIRCH in charge; (P. O., Little Falls;) C. GREEN, Warden.

Families, 7. Individuals, 30. Baptisms (inf. 1, ad. 2), 3. Communicants, 6. Public Services, 24. Children Catechised, 10. Catechized, 12 times.

Value Church Building and Lots, \$600.

Receipts—Offerings, \$30; Guilds, \$350. Total, \$380.

Expenditures—Repairs, \$350; Rector's Salary (pledged \$50), paid \$30. Total, \$380.

Rush City, Population, 800, Chisago County, Grace Church: Bishop's Committee, F. S. CHRISTENSEN, J. D. MARKHAM, V. D. EDDY.

Families, 4. Individuals, 14. Baptisms (inf., 1, adult, 1), 2. Confirmations (m. 1, f. 1), 2. Communicants, last report, 9. Present No. 9. Marriages, 1. Public Services, 1. Value Church building, \$1,000.

Sauk Center, Population, 1,800, Stearns County, Good Samaritan Church: The Rev. J. F. HAMILTON, Rector. C. R. TUBBS, W. S. DEAN, Wardens.

Families, 30. Individuals, 81. Baptisms, inf., 2. Communicants, last report, 41. Present No. (m. 8, f. 28), 34. Communicating during year (m. 5, f. 17), 22. Marriages, 3. Burials, 3. Public Services (Sunday, 72, other days, 52), 124. Holy Communion, 13. Sunday School, Teachers (m. 2, f. 4), 6. Other officers, 1. Scholars (m. 16, f. 28), 44. Total, 51. Value Church building, \$4,000.

Receipts: Special offerings, \$56.63; Subscriptions, \$305.72; Offerings, \$45.15; Guilds, &c. \$134; Sunday School, \$20.16. Total, \$801.66.

Expenditures: Incidental, \$90.45; Insurance, \$10; Rector's salary (amt. pledged, \$500); Paid, \$124.42; Sunday School, \$15.86; Council fund, \$2; Diocesan Missions, \$24; Bishop's salary, \$12; Disabled Clergy fund, \$3.10 Bishop Gilbert's Special Needs Fund, \$7.53; Domestic Missions, \$2; Foreign Missions \$2; Jewish Missions, \$1.50. Total, \$301.68.

Sauk Rapids, Population 800, Benton County; Grace Church: Vested in Wardens and Vestry. The Rev. LEWIS CASS BIRCH, in charge. (P. O., Little Falls.) J. B. HOIT, C. C. WOOD, Wardens.

Families, 10. Individuals, 44. Baptisms, inf. 4. Communicants, last report, 32; present number, (m. 10, f. 24) 34. Communicating during year (m. 6, f. 12) 18. Public Services (Sundays, 26; other days, 7) 33. Holy Communion, 4. Sunday School, Teachers (m. 1, f. 4) 5; Other officers, 2; Scholars (m. 15, f. 25) 40. Total, 47. Children Catechised, 40; Times catechised, 12.

Value Church building, \$2,500.

Indebtedness—\$600.

Receipts—Donations, \$1375. Offerings, \$250.00; Guilds, &c., \$258.00; Sunday School, \$35.00. Total \$2,088.

Expenditures—Insurance, \$15.00; Building Church, \$2,160.00; Rector's salary (amount pledged, \$250.00) paid, \$250.00; Other expenses, \$258.00; Sunday School, \$5.00; Bishop's Salary, \$10.00. Total, \$2,698.00.

Shakopee, Scott County: St. Peter's Church. The Rev. F. H. POTTS, Rector. WM. A. COLE, D. L. HOW, Wardens.

Families, 21. Individuals, 60. Baptisms, inf. 1. Communicants (m. 12, f. 20) 32. Public Services, 5. Holy Communion, 2.

Value Church building, \$1,500; Rectory, \$2,500. Total, \$4,000.

Receipts—\$278.82.

Expenditures—Incidentals, \$2.00; Payment debts, \$231.07; Church building, \$53.14; Disabled Clergy Fund, \$10.61. Total, \$278.82.

Spring Valley, Population 2,000, Fillmore County: a Mission. The Rev. THOS. K. ALLEN, Priest in Charge. (P. O., La Crescent.)

Families, 7. Individuals, 35. Baptisms, inf. 1. Confirmations, f. 2. Communicants, 17. Communicating during year (m. 4, f. 13) 17. Public Services, 4.

Receipts—Offerings, \$18.26.

Expenditures—Bishop Gilbert's special needs fund, \$6.90; Rector's salary, \$11.36. Total, \$18.26.

My Dear Bishop—Last October I began to hold monthly and semi-monthly services on week nights, in Dresbach and Dakota, and for a few months past, alternately in each place, the two towns being only one mile apart. The congregations have been unusually large, often crowded. Within three weeks past twelve persons have been confirmed, eleven of which are adults, ages from twenty to fifty-eight years, ten of whom are heads of families. Others are inquiring the way to the Church, and are ready for baptism and confirmation. We need a Church.

I have also held services in Hokah and La Crescent, with good results. I began to hold services in Spring Valley, Fillmore County, once a month, last February, with good encouragement.

There are now in this last named city 35 members of the church by baptisms, and 17 communicants.

Faithfully,

THOS. K. ALLEN.

To THE RT. REV. H. B. WHIPPLE, D. D.

Slayton, Population 300, Murray County, S. Paul's Church, Vested in Bishop; The Rev. D. GRIFFIN GUNN, Priest in charge. (P. O. Wilder.)

Families, 3. Individuals, 15. Baptisms, inf. 1. Confirmations, f. 2. Communicants last report, 10. Present No. (m. 2, f. 10), 12. Communicating during year (m. 2, f. 10), 12. Burials, 1. Marriages, 1. Public services, 24. Holy Communion, 12. Sunday School, Teachers (m. 4, f. 6) 10, Other officers 2, Scholars (m. 25, f. 50) 75. Total, 87.

Value Church building, \$400.

Receipts—Offerings, \$50.

Expenditures—Rector's salary, \$50.

St. Charles, Population 1,000; Winona County; Trinity Church; Vested in Bishop. THE REV. JOSEPH J. HILLMER, Priest in charge. (P. O. No. 203 East King St., Winona.)

Families, 17; Individuals 75; Baptisms, inf. 5; Confirmations, f. 3; Communicants, last report, 33; Present No. (m. 11, f. 24), 35; Communicating during year. (m. 7, f. 13), 20; Marriages, 4. Burials, 1. Public services, 47. Holy Communion, (pub. 4, private 1), 5. Sunday School, Teachers (m. 4, f. 3), 4; Scholars (m. 6, f. 14), 20. Total, 24. Children Catechised, 20. Times Catechised, 6.

Value Church building, \$2,500.

Receipts: Offerings, \$96.40.

Expenditures: Rector's salary, \$36.49; Sunday School, \$10; Miscellaneous, \$1; Domestic Missions, \$6. Total, \$106.40.

St. Cloud, Population about 8,000, Stearns County, S. John's Church, Vested in Parish. THE REV. CHAS. A. CUMMINGS, Rector. WM. POWELL, FRANK TOLMAN, Wardens.

Families, 65. Individuals, 450. Baptisms, (inf. 23, ad. 1), 27. Confirmations, (m. 1, f. 5), 6. Communicants, last report, 85; Present No. (m. 18, f. 78), 93. Communicating during year (m. 15, f. 44), 59. Marriages, 4. Burials, 7. Public services (Sundays 109, other days, 72), 181. Holy Communion (public 17, private 2), 19. Sunday School, Teachers (m. 1, f. 6), 7; Scholars (m. 20, f. 40), 66. Total, 72. Children Catechised, 66.

Value church building, \$1,600. Rectory, \$1,600. Other property, \$3,000. Total, \$6,200.

Receipts: Communion alms, \$19.32; Subscriptions, \$8.00; Offerings, \$249.51; Guilds &c., \$230.66; Sunday School, \$37.50. Total, \$1,337.99.

Expenditures: Incidental, \$133; Repairs, \$89.94; Insurance, \$17; Church building, \$124.50; Rector's salary, (pledged \$800, Paid \$888; Sunday School, \$22.54; Poor, \$13.35; Council Fund \$4; Diocesan Missions, \$28; Bishop's salary, \$53.67; Disabled Clergy Fund \$9.81; Miscellaneous, \$19.39; Domestic and Foreign Missions, \$17.53. Total, \$1,340.98.

*Stillwater, Population 17,000, Washington County, Ascension Church,
Vested in Parish, (reported by H. E. Smith, Esq., Clerk of Vestry).*
ROBERT R. SLAUGHTER, C. B. MARSHALL, M. D., Wardens.

Families, (*). Individuals, (*) Baptisms, inf. 11. Confirmations, (m. 2, f. 5), 7. Communicants last report, 70. Present No. (m. 9, f. 62), 71. Communicating during year, (m. 6, f. 37), 43. Marriages, 3. Burials, 3. Public services, (Sundays, 18, other days, 3), 21. Holy Communion, 8. Sunday School, Teachers, (m. 1, f. 4), 5. Scholars, (m. 10, f. 29), 39. Total, 44.

Value Church property, building, (burned Easter Monday morning), Rectory, \$2,000.

Receipts: Communion alms, \$30.46; Offerings, \$195.54; Sunday School, (for Bp. Gilbert) \$12.33; Donations, subscriptions, etc., \$3,643.10. Total, \$3,881.43.

Expenditures: Incidentals and repairs, \$1,122.90; New Organ, \$2,000; Rector's salary (supplies) \$256.50; other expenses, \$377; Council Fund, \$12; Diocesan Missions, \$27; Bishop Gilbert's Special Needs Fund, \$12.33; Bishop's salary, \$85.93. Total, \$3,981.43.

Besides the above, Rev. Mr. Yarnall took an offering on Christmas day for aged and infirm Clergy fund, which does not appear in above report. The subscription for the new Church amounts to \$5,000. Insurance on Church burned, was \$6,000, and on organ, \$1,750. H. E. SMITH, Clerk of Vestry.

*Not reported.

*St. Paul—West—Population 20,000, Ramsey County, Ascension Church;
Vested in Church wardens and vestrymen; The Rev. GEO. H. YARNALL,
Rector. No. 403 Dakota Ave. J. B. LEWIS, W. K. DIXON, Wardens.*

Families, (*). Individuals, (*). Baptisms (inf. 5, ad. 2), 7. Confirmations (m. 1, f. 8), 9. No. Communicating during year, 181. Marriages, 1. Public services (Sundays 70 other days 135), 205. Holy Communion (pub. 49, private 2), 51. Sunday School, Teachers (m. 1, f. 3) 4, Scholars (m. 7, f. 24) 31. Total, 35. Children catechized 31. Times catechized, 52.

Value Church building and lot, \$5,000.

Indebtedness—\$1,600.

Receipts—Communion alms, \$19.40; Subscriptions, \$290; Donations, \$90; Offerings, \$274.98; Guilds &c. \$45; Sunday School, \$14.00. Total, \$733.47.

Expenditures—Incidental, \$114.60; Repairs, \$120; Insurance, \$51; Rector's salary (pledged, \$500), paid in full to date, \$336; Sunday School, \$10; Diocesan Missions, \$19.40; Disabled Clergy fund, \$12.95. Diocesan Education, \$10.17. Total, \$674.12.

* Not reported.

*My Dear Reverend Father:—*I send you by mail today the report of this Parish. I took charge of this work the first of October 1886. We at once organized into a Parish, and the vestry voted me \$500.00 a year, and the Diocesan Mission Board voted me \$300.00. I found the Church building, but it was unfurnished inside. We closed the Church and had it plastered inside, and the woodwork finished. The Church was reopened for public worship on Thanksgiving Day, and the report dates from that day. Through some friends in the East, I was able to put in a beautiful new altar and a pulpit. A furnace was put in and the Church carpeted for Christmas Day. We are now working to put pews in the Church and hope to get them in this summer. The \$1,600 mortgage runs for five years, and the offerings on the second Sunday in the month go for that purpose. There was an old mortgage of \$750 on the Church, and the property was assessed some \$500 on grading, so we took out a new mortgage for \$1,600; took up the old one and paid all outstanding debts, and this \$1,000 is the only debt of any kind we now owe. At a vestry meeting held last night, the vestry voted that my salary from the 1st of June should be \$900—this, with the \$100 still coming from the Mission Board, makes my salary \$1,000.

I cannot send any report of the families connected with the Church, or the number of Communicants, as I have not found all the Church people that ought to come here. The

largest number of communicants on one day was at Easter, when 27 received. I found the people here much discouraged and rather afraid to take up the work again, but that has about passed, and, I think, we can now look forward to a year of good work. The field is encouraging, and I feel that this will in time be a strong parish.

Asking your prayers, I am affectionately your son in Christ,

GEO. H. YARNALL.

Whitsun Tuesday, 1887.

St. Paul, Population 130,000, Ramsey County, Christ Church, Pews Rented, Vested in Rector, Church, Wardens and Vestry; The Rev. CHARLES D. ANDREWS, Rector, No. 155 West Fourth Street; The Rev. SIDNEY G. JEFFORDS, Assistant Rector; Hon. JAMES GILFILLAN, JOHN Q. ADAMS, Wardens.

Families, 325. Individuals, 1,500. Baptisms (inf. 40, ad. 22), 62. Confirmations (m. 19, f. 29), 45. Communicants, last report, 513. Present number (m. 174, f. 392), 566. Communicating during year (m. 185, f. 265), 450. Marriages, 31. Burials, 34. Public Services (Sundays 124, other days 159), 283. Holy Communion, 74. Sunday School, Teachers (m. 7, f. 23), 30, Other Officers, 3. Scholars, 280. Total, 313. Catechised, 24 times.

*Value Church Building, \$20,000. Chapel, \$3,000. Rectory, \$10,000. Other Property \$15,000. Total, \$48,000.

Indebtedness—\$2,500.

Receipts—Pew Rents, \$6,128.59; Communion Alms, \$434.85; Subscriptions, \$3,000; Donations, \$5,495.06; Offerings, \$4,757.87; Guilds, etc., \$991.27; Sunday Schools, \$466.98. Total, \$21,274.60.

Expenditures—Incidentals, \$3,599.35; Repairs, \$709.48; Insurance, \$580; Payment Debts, \$2,246; Rector's Salary, \$2,382.08; Other Expenses, \$830; Sunday Schools, \$185; Charitable, \$1,741.94; Council Fund, \$30; Diocesan Missions, \$2,239.66; Bishop's Salary, \$300; Disabled Clergy Fund, \$207.40; Diocesan Education, \$169; Church Work in Diocese, \$2,579; Episcopal Endowment, \$3,000; Objects out of Diocese, \$515.74. Total, \$21,274.60.

*From report of 1886; no report for 1887 made.

St. Paul, Church of The Good Shepherd, Vested in Vestry; The Rev. WM. C. POPE, Rector, No. 51. Twelfth Street. JOHN W. GROVES, GEORGE BELL, Wardens.

Families, 67. Individuals, 295. Baptisms (inf. 14, ad. 4), 22. Confirmations (m. 5, f. 4), 9. Communicants last Report, 150. Present number (m. 70, f. 81), 151. Communicating during year (m. 33, f. 36), 89. Marriages, 15. Burials, 9. Public services (Sundays 140, other days 850), 990. Holy Communion (public 82, private 3), 85. Sunday Schools, 2; Teachers (m. 4, f. 4), 8; Other Officers, 1; Scholars (m. 20, f. 15), 35. Total, 44. Children Catechised, 40. Times Catechised, 4.

*Value Church property, \$22,000.

Indebtedness—\$1,700.

Receipts—Communion Alms, \$919.39; Subscriptions, \$1,065.59; Donations, \$12.50; Offerings, \$23.40; Sunday School, \$24.60. Total, \$2,075.54.

Expenditures—Incidental, \$771.12; Repairs, \$719.44; Insurance, 15. Payment of Debts, \$33.29. Rector's Salary, \$564.38; Sunday School, \$11; Charitable, \$40; Council Fund, \$4; Diocese Missions, \$28; Bishop's Salary, \$75; Diocesan Education, \$4.16; Miscellaneous, \$1.19; Domestic Missions, \$2.23; Foreign Missions, \$14.69; Woman's Auxiliary, \$2.85; Education Ministry, \$9.12. Total, \$2,300.47.

*From Report of 1886—No Report for 1887

St. Paul. S. John The Evangelist Church. Pews Rented. Vested in Rector, Church Wardens and Vestrymen: The Rev. ELENTEROS JAY COOK, Rector, No. 551, Ashland Avenue; G. W. DELLINGER, JOHN H. AMES Wardens.

Families, 95. Individuals, 317. Baptisms (inf., 7, adults, 5), 12. Confirmations (m. 3, f. 11), 14. Communicants (m. 35, f. 99), 134. Communicating during year (m. 29, f. 90), 119. Marriages, 6. Burials, 3. Public Services (Sundays, 167, other days, 63), 230. Holy Communion (pub., 32, private, 6), 38. Sunday School, Teachers (m. 3, f. 13), 16. Other officers, 3. Scholars (m. 38, f. 46), 84. Total, 103. Children catechised, 84. Times catechised, 52.

Value Church property, \$12,000.

Indebtedness—\$8,150.

Receipts: Pew Rents, \$1016; Communion Alms, \$75.52; Subscriptions, \$2822.03; Donations, \$112; Rent of School, \$180; Loan, \$600; Offerings, \$849.84; Guilds, &c., \$653.30; Sunday School, \$69.16. Total, \$6477.85.

Expenditures: Incidental, \$442.40; Insurance, \$103.30; Interest on debt, \$394.32; Church building, \$259.56; Rector's salary, (pledged, \$1,500); Paid, \$1,641.67; Church music, \$649.50; Sunday School, \$99.16; Charitable and City Mission work, \$182.27; Council fund, \$5; Diocesan Missions, \$15; Bishop's Salary, \$27; Disabled Clergy fund, \$22.11; Sheltering Arms, \$30.70; Clergy widows and orphans, \$22.11; Charleston sufferers, \$27.11; Domestic Missions, \$13.94; Jewish Missions, \$4.18; Freedmen, \$25.00; Chinese Missions, \$5; Foreign Missions, \$7.10; Woman's auxiliary, \$53. Total, \$6328.43.

St. Paul, S. Mary's Church—(Merriam Park, Population 1,500)—Pews Rented. Vested in Rector, Church Wardens and Vestrymen: The Rev. SYDNEY G. GIFFORDS, Rector, No. 155 West Fourth Street, St. Paul. DAVID L. KINGSBURY, H. B. DUTCHER, Wardens.

Families, 31. Individuals, 135. Baptisms (inf. 6, ad. 1), 7. Confirmation (m. 1, f. 2), 3. Communicants (m. 19, f. 40) 59. Communicating during year, 43. Marriages, 2. Burials, 3. Public services (Sundays 52, other days 6), 58. Holy Communion, 21. Sunday School Teachers (m. 1, f. 6), 7; Other officers, 1; Scholars (m. 10, f. 31), 41. Total, 49.

Value Church building, \$4,200; Lots, \$3,900. Total, 8,000.

Indebtedness—\$1,500.

*Receipts—*Pew Rents, \$147; Offerings, \$576.62; Church building subscriptions, \$1,894.99; Other offerings, \$11.50; Guilds, Etc., \$620.60; Sunday School, \$18.21. Total, \$3,269.01.

*Expenditures—*Incidental, \$305.55; Insurance, \$90; Payment debts \$300; Church building, \$2,482.88; Rector's Salary (pledged, \$200), paid \$159.96; Sunday School, \$31.63; Bishop Gilbert's Special Needs Fund, \$6.50; Domestic Missions \$11.50. Total, \$3,308.00.

St. Paul, S. Paul's Church, Pews Rented; The Rev. E. S. THOMAS, D. D., Rector till May, 1, 1887; HARVEY OFFICER, GEO. A. HAMILTON, Wardens.

Families, 350. Individuals, 1,500. Baptisms (inf. 42, ad. 1), 43. Confirmations (m. 3, f. 16), 19. Communicants, last report, 556. Present number (m. 198, f. 410), 608. Communicating during year (m. 121, f. 350), 471. Marriages, 16. Burials, 15. Public Services (Sundays 260, other days 62), 322. Holy Communion (pub. 90, private 2), 92. Sunday Schools, 3. Teachers (m. 8, f. 12), 20. Other Officers, 3. Scholars (S. Paul's Church) 220, (S. Peter's Mission) 50, (S. James' Mission) 75. 345. Total, 398. Catechised, 20 times.

Value Church Building, \$25,000. Chapel, \$2,500. Rectory, \$7,000. Other Property, \$32,000. Total \$66,500.

Indebtedness—\$3,000.

*Receipts—*Pew Rents, \$6,176.94; Communion Alms, \$37.28; Subscriptions, \$725; Donations, \$5,352.03; Guilds, etc., \$1,192.84; Sunday School, \$307.65. Total, \$14,141.74.

*Expenditures—*Incidentals, \$3,532.72; Repairs, \$255; Church Building \$405; Rector's Salary, \$3,000; Other Expenses, \$251.75; Sunday School, \$257.65; Hospitals and Asylums, \$2,323.34; Poor, \$320.62; Mission Work in Parish, \$508.08; Council Fund, \$30; Diocesan

Missions, \$1,443.83; Bishop's Salary, \$320.53; Disabled Clergy Fund, \$33.50; Sheltering Arms, \$116.72; Missionary Boxes, \$873; Domestic Missions, \$50; Foreign Missions, \$20. Total, \$14,141.74.

St. Paul, S. Stephen's Church, Vested in Christ Church Wardens and Vestry. The Rev. SYDNEY G. JEFFORDS, Rector, 155 W. Fourth Street.

Families, 17. Individuals, 67. Baptisms (inf. 10, ad. 2) 12. Confirmations, f. 3. Communicants (m. 9, f. 17) 26. Communicating during year, 19. Burials, 1. Public Services (Sundays, 52; other days, 6) 58. Holy Communion, 12. Sunday School, Teachers, 11; Scholars (m. 31, f. 51) 82. Total, 93. Children catechised, 82.

Value Church building and lot, \$4,500.

Receipts—Subscriptions, \$71.00; Offerings, \$149.12; Guilds, &c., \$95.00. Total, \$315.12.

Expenditures—Incidental, \$59.21; Repairs, \$27.70; Rector's salary (pledged, \$100) paid for ten months, \$83.00. Organ, \$95.00; Sunday School, \$25.00; Diocesan Missions, \$20.34; Bishop Gilbert's special needs fund, \$11.25. Total, \$321.80.

St. Peter, Population 3,500, Nicollet County; Holy Communion Church, Vested in Parish. The Rev. D. F. THOMPSON, Rector. A. W. DANIELS, M. D., C. R. WOODS, Wardens.

Families, 40. Individuals, 200. Baptisms (inf. 2, ad. 2) 4. Confirmations, f. 10. Communicants, last report, 59; present number, 73. Marriages, 1. Burials, 1. Sunday School, Teachers (m. 2, f. 4) 6; Other officers, 2; Scholars (m. 25, f. 35) 60. Total, 68.

Value Church building, \$9,000.

Receipts—Subscriptions, \$279.20; Offerings, \$118.66; Guilds, &c., \$141.85; Sunday School, \$9.50. Total, \$548.21.

Expenditures—Incidental, \$90.80; Repairs, \$20.00; Rector's salary (pledged, \$547.00) paid, \$292.50; Sunday School, \$73.00; Council Fund, \$5.00; Diocesan Missions, \$30.00; Bishop's salary, \$15.00; Disabled Clergy Fund, \$3.50; Diocesan Education, \$3.50; Miscellaneous, \$21.50. Total, \$600.80.

St. James, Population 700, Watonwan County; Calvary Church, Vested in Bishop. The Rev. D. GRIFFIN GUNN, Priest in charge, (P. O., Wilder.)

Families, 7. Individuals, 35. Baptisms, inf. 1. Confirmations, f. 1. Communicants, (m. 7, f. 8) 15. Communicating during year (m. 5, f. 8) 13. Marriages, 2. Public Services, 24. Holy Communion, 2.

Value Church building, \$1,200.00.

Receipts—Offerings, \$50.00.

Expenditures—Rector's Salary, \$50.00.

St. Vincent, Kittson County, Christ Church, Vested in Minnesota Church Foundation. The Rev. T. H. M. VILLIERS APPLEBY, M. A., Rector. EDWARD A. EVANS, MARTIN N. RAY, Wardens.

Families, 43. Individuals, 223. Baptisms (inf. 32, ad. 11) 43. Confirmations (m. 4, f. 13) 17. Communicants last Report, 25. Present number, 44. Communicating during year (m. 15, f. 24) 39. Marriages, 3. Burials, 6. Public services (Sundays 156, other days 129) 285. Holy Communion (public 52, private 5) 57. Sunday Schools, 2; Teachers (m. 3, f. 5) 8; Other Officers, 2; Scholars (m. 29, f. 35) 64. Total, 74. Children Catechised, 64. Times Catechised, 26.

Value Church building, \$1,750. Rectory, \$1,550. Other property, \$140. Total, \$3,440.

Receipts—Subscriptions, \$345; Donations (from East) \$1,705; Offerings, \$57.45; Sunday School, \$15. Total, \$2,122.45.

Expenditures—Repairs, \$65; Insurance, \$20; Rector's Salary (pledged, \$550), paid \$402; Sunday School, \$25; Council Fund, \$1; Diocesan Missions, \$6; Bishop's Salary, \$4; Disabled Clergy Fund, \$6; Miscellaneous, \$16; Domestic and Foreign Missions, \$30.30; Jewish Missions, \$1.50. Total, \$576.80.

Six thousand seven hundred and fifty-five miles have been travelled by horse or on foot in the discharge of Missionary work. The above Report includes six stations besides Christ Church, St. Vincent.

T. H. M. VILLIERS APPLEBY, M. A.

Wabasha, Population, 2,300, Wabasha County, Grace Church, Vested in Bishop; The Rev. JAMES CORNELL, Rector till June 1, 1887; Capt. J. H. MULLEN, Warden.

Families 48. Individuals, 200. Baptisms (inf. 11, ad. 2), 13. Confirmations (m. 1, f. 5), 6. Communicants, last report, 77. Present number (m. 18, f. 50), 68. Communicating during year (m. 7, f. 45), 52. Marriages, 6. Burials, 10. Public Services (Sundays 102, Other days 77), 179. Holy Communion, 26. Sunday School Teachers, 9. Scholars (m. 25, f. 50), 75. Total, 81. Children Catechised, 75; Times Catechised, 40.

Value Church Building, \$500. Rectory, \$2,500. Total, \$3,000.

Receipts—Subscriptions, \$357.65; Offerings, \$186.18; Guilds, etc., \$105.05; Sunday School, \$89.17. Total, \$829.05.

Expenditures—Incidental, \$145.95; Repairs, \$40; Taxes, \$38.30; Rector's Salary (pledged \$400), paid \$400; Sunday School, \$16.51; Council Fund, \$3; Diocesan Missions, \$23. Bishop's Salary, \$15; Disabled Clergy Fund, \$3.33; Miscellaneous, \$23.73; Domestic and Foreign Missions, \$8.10; Jewish Missions, \$3.46. Total, \$789.38.

Mrs. Randall Hunt, last Christmas, presented the Church with three beautiful brass pieces—a cross and two vases—in memory of her three little children now in Paradise. After having charge of this Mission almost ten years, the Assistant Bishop transferred me to Janesville, where I entered upon my work the first Sunday in June, being Trinity Sunday.

J. CORNELL.

Wadena, Population 1,000, Wadena County, Grace Church; Vested in the Bishop; The Rev. E. STEELE PEAKE, Priest in charge. (P. O. Detroit.)

Families, 10. Individuals, 30. Baptisms, inf. 1. Communicants, 14. Marriages, 2. Burials, 2. Public Services, 31. Holy Communion, 4. Sunday School, Teachers 4, Scholars (m. 7, f. 13), 20. Total, 24.

Value Rectory (used as Church), \$1,100. Other property \$300. Total, \$1,400.

Receipts—Subscriptions &c., \$44.75.

Expenditures—Taxes, \$23; Rector's salary, \$10; Organ, \$53.75. Total, \$86.75.

Waseca, Population 3,000, Waseca County, Calvary Church; The Rev. R. E. METCALF, Priest in charge. (P. O. Owatonna.)

Families, 24. Individuals, 61. Communicants (m. 7, f. 30), 37. Marriages, 1. Public Services, 3. Holy Communion, 1. Sunday School, Teachers 7, Scholars (m. 8, f. 22), 30. Total, 37.

Value Church building, \$2,000. Other property, \$1,000. Total, \$3,000.

Receipts—Subscriptions, \$90; Offerings, \$9. Total, \$143.

Expenditures—Incidentals, \$3; Repairs, \$105; Sunday School, \$15; Poor, \$10; Council fund, \$2; Diocesan Missions, \$4. Total, 143.

Waterville, Population, 1,000, Le Sueur County, St. Andrew's Church, Vested in Bishop; WELLINGTON McVETTIE, Lay Reader; (P. O., Faribault.) KARL BULLIS, H. H. STOWE, Wardens.

Families, 4. Individuals, 12. Communicants, 12. Public Services, 14. Sunday School Teachers, 7. Scholars (m. 12, f. 13), 25. Total, 32.

Value Church building and lots, \$2,500.

Receipts: Subscriptions, Offerings, &c., \$301.65.

Expenditures: New bell, \$245.15; For Services, \$41.50. Council fund, \$2; Diocesan Missions, \$4; Bishop's salary, \$5. Total, \$301.65.

Wells, Population, 1,500, Faribault County, Church of the Nativity. Vested in Bishop: The Rev. EDWARD H. CLARK, Rector; J. W. NYE, F. E. WATSON, Wardens.

Families, 20. Individuals, 68. Baptisms (inf., 11, adult, 2), 13. Confirmations (m. 1, f. 7), 8. Communicants, last report, 42. Present No. (m. 16, f. 84), 50. Communicating during year (m. 13, f. 32), 45. Burials, 1. Public Services (Sundays, 108, other days, 68), 176. Holy Communion (pub. 19, private, 1), 20. Sunday School, Teachers (m. 3, f. 6), 9. Other officers, 3. Scholars (m. 25, f. 51), 76. Total, 88. Catechised, 12. Times, Value Church Building, \$3,000. Rectory, \$1,100. Total, \$4,100.

Receipts—Subscriptions, \$131.98; Donations, \$1,022.71; Offerings, \$215.91; Guilds, etc., \$127; Sunday School, \$119.72. Total, \$1,917.33.

Expenditures—Incidentals, \$61.55; Payment Debts, \$5.44; Building Rectory, \$1,100; Rector's Salary (pledged \$600), paid \$450; Sunday School, \$53.78; Council Fund, \$4; Diocesan Missions, \$62.25; Bishop's Salary, \$3; Disabled Clergy Fund, \$13; Domestic Missions, \$33.50; Miscellaneous, \$136.50. Total, \$1,888.02.

THE RT. REV. H. B. WHIFFLE, D. D.—

My Dear Bishop: Enclosed is the report of the Parish of the Church of the Nativity. During the past year the Parish has built a Rectory at an expense of \$1,100, nearly every dollar of which was given by members of the Parish.

Until February the Mission at Blue Earth City was in my care. During that time I held twelve services, celebrated the Holy Communion five times, and once in private; and baptised one child.

Sincerely yours,

EDWARD H. CLARK.

June 5, 1887.

Wells, Rice County, Mission, Emmanuel Church, Vested in Bishop Seabury Mission: ISAAC HOULGATE, Lay Reader. (P. O. Faribault.)

Families, 20. Individuals, 100. Communicants (m. 3, f. 11), 14. Burials, 2. Public services, 20. Sunday School, Teachers (m. 1, f. 2), 3. Other officers 3, Scholars (m. 10, f. 15), 25. Total, 31.

Value Church building and lots, \$2,000.

Receipts—Subscriptions, \$15; Donations, \$147.22; Offerings, \$1.67; Sunday School, \$7.86. Total, \$171.75.

Expenditures—Payment debts, \$2.15; Church building, \$140.45; Sunday School, \$2.50. Total, \$145.10.

White Bear Lake, Population 1,000, Ramsey County, S. John in the Wilderness Church, Vested in wardens and vestrymen; The Rev. SYDNEY G. JEFFERDS, Priest in charge. (P. O. 155 West 4th St., St. Paul.) CYRUS B. COBB, THOS. C. FULTON, Wardens.

Families, 25. Individuals, 131. Baptisms (inf. 5, ad. 1), 6. Communicants, last report 32. Present No. (m. 8, f. 23), 31. Communicating during year, 23. Burials, 2. Public services (Sundays 27, other days 6), 33. Holy Communion, 12. Sunday School, Teachers (m. 2, f. 3) 5, Scholars (m. 24, f. 28) 52. Total, 57. Children catechised, 28. Times catechised, 12.

Value Church property, \$2,000.

Receipts—Subscriptions, \$141; Donations, \$95.55; Offerings, \$179.80. Total, \$419.35.

Expenditures—Incidental, \$36.15; Repairs, \$105; Insurance, \$15; Payment debts, \$19; Rector's salary (pledged \$150), paid \$150; Council fund, \$3; Diocesan Missions, \$18; Bishop's salary, \$10; Domestic Missions, \$3.80. Total, \$359.95.

Wilder, Population 75, Jackson County, Church of the Redeemer; Vested in Trustees, "Breck Mission and Farm School;" The Rev. D. GRIFFIN (Gunn), Rector.

Families, 8. Individuals, 40. Baptisms, inf. 14. Communicants (m. 5, f. 6), 11. Com-

communicating during year (m. 2 f. 6), 8. Public services, 24. Holy Communion, 1. Sunday School, Teachers f. 4, Scholars (m. 10, f. 13) 23. Total, 27. Children catechised, 23. Times catechised, 10.

Value Church building, \$1,250. Other property, \$25,000. Total, \$26,250.

WILDER, June 1st.

My Dear Bishop:—Herewith please find my report for past year.

I have endeavored to keep up the appointments, and have succeeded most of the time, except during the snow period, when it was difficult to travel either by team or train.

I hope to have Rev. Charles Ware with me from July 1st, prox. He comes from Mississippi to assist me in my work.

The Assistant Bishop appointed committees to attend to Council fund, Diocesan Mission and Bishop's salary, and part of the money has been sent.

Yours faithfully,

D. GRIFFIN GUNN.

Willmar, Population 1,300, Kandiyohi County, S. Luke's Church, Vested in Vestry; The Rev. D. T. BOOTH, Rector; I. H. WIGGINS, E. S. FROST, M. D., Wardens.

Families, 42. Individuals, 203. Baptisms (inf. 4, ad. 1), 5. Confirmations (m. 1 f. 5), 6. Communicants, last report, 55. Present number (m. 17, f. 40), 57. Communicating during year (m. 9, f. 32), 41. Marriages, 10. Burials, 7. Public Services (Sundays 151, other days 23), 174. Holy Communion, 14. Sunday School, Teachers (m. 1, f. 4), 5. Other Officers, 1. Scholars (m. 26, f. 33), 59. Total, 65. Scholars Catechised, 59. Times Catechised, 52.

Value Church Building, \$2,413. Rectory, \$2,137. Other Property, \$1,500. Total, \$6,050.

Indebtedness, \$848.

Receipts—Communion Alms, \$18.46; Subscriptions, \$239.50; Donations, \$1.50; Investments, \$53.97; Offerings, \$104.87; Guilds, etc., \$249.39; Sunday School, \$44.64. Total, \$709.33.

Expenditures—Incidentals, \$146.20; Repairs, \$42.46; Payment Debts, \$98.58; Rector's Salary (pledged \$300), paid \$234.50; Other Expenses, \$119.46; Sunday School, \$42.48; Council Fund, \$3.05; Diocesan Missions, \$32.75; Bishop's Salary, \$12; Disabled Clergy Fund, \$1.52; Miscellaneous, \$2.15; Domestic Missions, \$2.75; Miscellaneous, \$1.43. Total, \$709.33.

In addition to my Parochial Report, I have officiated at Benson and New London, as opportunity offered, baptizing at the former place 3 infants. I have also officiated for The Rev. T. G. Crump at Litchfield.

Respectfully,

D. T. BOOTH.

Windom, Population 650, Cottonwood County, Church of the Good Shepherd, Vested in the Bishop in Trust; The Rev. D. GRIFFIN GUNN, Priest in charge. (P. O. Wilder.)

Families, 9. Individuals, 45. Communicants last report, 6. Present No. (m. 5, f. 4) 9.

Communicating year, 5. Marriages, 1. Public services, 5. Holy communion, 1.

Value Church building, \$1,400.

Receipts—Offerings, \$20.

Expenditures—Rector's salary, \$20.

Winona, Population 18,000, Winona County, S. Paul's Church, Vested in vestry; The Rev. WM. H. KNOWLTON, Rector. No. 253 Wabasha St. Hon. W. H. YALE, W. M. HURLBERT, Wardens.

Families, 105. Individuals (about) 500. Baptisms (inf., 14, adult, 2), 16. Confirmations, (m. 10, f. 4), 14. Communicants, last report, 180. Present No. (m. 47, f. 118), 165. ("Lost by error in last report, 38.") Communicating during year (m. 40, f. 111), 151. Marriages

6. Burials, 19. Public Services (Sundays, 100, other days, 30), 130. Holy Communion (public, 61, private, 4), 65. Sunday School, Teachers (m. 1, f. 13), 14. Other officers, 5. Scholars (m. 49, f. 50), 99. Total, 118. Times catechised, 10.

Value of Church building, \$30,000.

Indebtedness, \$3480.

Receipts: Communion alms, \$95.92; Subscriptions, \$2922.59; Donations, \$1520; Offerings, \$98.09; Guilds, &c., \$440; Sunday School, \$224. Total, \$5300.60.

Expenditures: Incidental, \$2585.59; Repairs, \$100; Insurance, \$120; Payment debts, \$1520; Interest, \$300; Other expenses, \$90; Sunday School, \$175.06; Poor, \$32; Council fund, \$20; Diocesan Missions, \$48.29; Bishop's salary, \$96; Disabled Clergy fund, \$19.45; Diocesan Education, \$5.65; Miscellaneous, \$10.70; Domestic Missions, \$7; Foreign Missions, \$7. Total, \$5137.64.

Worthington, Population, 1,200, Nobles County, "Sioux City Railway Mission." Vested in Bishop: The Rev. D. GRIFFIN GUNN, Priest in charge, (P. O., Wilder.)

Families, 9. Individuals, 40. Communicants (m. 8, f. 8), 16. Burials, 1. Public Services, 11.

Value Church building, \$1350.

Receipts: Offerings, \$10.

Expenditures: Salary, \$10.

The Missionary gives only an occasional Sunday here, say the 3th in the month.

Indian Missions.

The Rev. JAMES A. GILFILLAN, Superintendent,
White Earth, Becker County.

REPORT.

Dear Bishop: During the past year I have been occupied in visiting, generally at intervals of two months, the different Indian Churches and Mission Stations, a circuit of over 300 miles. I accompanied, also, for some weeks, by your request, the "Northwest Commission", of which you were a member, while making treaties with the Chippewas. By your permission a Convocation of workers in the Indian field, and of the laity was held last March in Leech Lake, which proved fruitful of good, and educational, beyond all expectation. When at home have maintained services in the white village of Richwood, and attended to the business affairs and correspondence of the Mission. Have also held services and house-to-house visitations in the following places among the white people: Rosebud School House in Polk County; Park Rapids and Gerry School House in Hubbard County; Osage, Linnell's, Doran's and Height of Land Lake in Becker county; Grand Rapids in Itasca County; Mille Lacs in Mille Lacs County; Ada in Norman County; and with Rev. Mr. Currie at Crookston and Red Lake Falls in Polk County. Also at the following towns on the Northern Pacific Railroad: Aitkin, Gull River, Motley, Aldrich, Verndale, Audubon, Lake Park, Hawley, Moorhead, and for Rev. Mr. Peake, at Wadena, New York Mills and Detroit; also at Fargo, Dak., and preached at Jamestown, Dak. Also held an eight days Mission in Brainerd, in company with Rev. Mr. Cummings, by request of Rev. Dr. Hawley. Have baptised 37 infants and 5 adults—included in the statistical report of White Earth—in the following localities: Fosston, 2 infants; Rosebud, 1 adult; Park Rapids, 1 infant; Aitken, 2 adults and 16 infants; Gull River, 7 infants; Brainerd, 1 adult, and Curo's Rancho, 1 adult and 1 child. Found Communicants as follows: Audubon, 3; Lake Park, 2; Gull River, 1;

Motley, 3; Hawley, 2; Aitken, 11. Also held services during Lent in 27 logging camps in which were about 747 men, and made addresses in two other camps: received pledges from about 159 men not to drink for periods varying from one to twenty-one years—which I learn have been very generally kept, even by those who had been very hard drinkers—and gave to those who asked for them about 458 Testaments, of which about 300 were English, 50 each French, Swedish and Norwegian, and 8 German. Of the above camps, 6 were on waters flowing into the Red River of the North, the rest about the sources of the Mississippi. Over 3,000 men winter in the camps north of the Northern Pacific Railroad, and they are wholly destitute, spiritually; there ought to be one or two Missionaries to live with them all winter holding service in a different camp every week night, and in three or four on Sunday.

The Christian people also, in the towns to which they mostly return in the spring, as Minneapolis, Brainerd, etc., should combine to establish Christian Temperance boarding houses specially for them, with every innocent amusement, and everything to make it homelike for them. They would gladly go to such places, but because they look rough after their long winter sojourn in the woods, nobody cares to take them, so they are driven, as they say, to places where whisky is, where they are made welcome. Two-thirds of them lose their entire winter's earnings—which are very large—in from one night to one week after they leave the woods, often by drugged liquor, by persons who make that their business, and after that happening to them a few years they lose hope and sink.

To do the above work has kept me away from home traveling, over three-fourths of the past year.

J. A. GILFILLAN.

WHITE EARTH AGENCY, June 1, 1897.

Cass Lake, Beltrami County, Church of the Prince of Peace: The Rev.

JOHN COLEMAN, Deacon; P. O., Leech Lake.

Families, 4. Individuals, 25. Communicants, last report, 12; added, 1; present number (m. 4, f. 9), 13. Communicating during year, (m. 4, f. 6), 10. Marriages, 2. Burials, 1. Public services, (Sundays, 94; week days, 25), 119. Holy Communion (public, 6; private, 1), 7. Sunday School, Teachers, 1. Scholars (m. 7, f. 8), 15. Total, 16. Children Catechised, 15.

Value Church Building, \$275. Rectory, \$25. Total, \$300.

Receipts—From D. and F. M. Society, \$365; Communion Alms, \$5.91; Donations, \$141.25. Total, \$552.16.

Expenditures—Rector's salary, \$365; Sunday School, \$100; Poor, \$25; Mission Work in Parish, \$50; Diocesan Missions, \$5.91; for Charleston, \$6.25. Total, \$552.16.

Dear Bishop—I write you now these few writings, as it is right that I should tell you my work in that place where you have sent me; how I am trying to make my fellow Indians understand God's word. We hold service twice each Sunday in the Church, in morning, and evening; and afternoon. I have an assembly of the children in Church. Again, every Friday we have service in the Church.

JOHN COLEMAN.

Leech Lake, Population 509; Cass County, Church of The Good Shepherd;

No Title. The Rev. MARK HART, Deacon in charge.

Families, 41. Individuals, 134. Baptisms, (inf. 12, ad. 5) 17. Confirmations, f. 4. Communicants, last report, 54; present number (m. 30, f. 45) 75. Communicating during year (m. 20, f. 30) 50. Marriages, 2. Burials, 8. Public Services (Sunday, 98; other days, 79) 177. Holy Communion, 5. Sunday School, Teachers, 2; Scholars (m. 22, f. 34) 56. Total, 58. Children catechised, 56.

Value Church building, \$1,600; Rectory, \$300. Total, \$1,900.

Receipts—From D. & F. M. Society, \$365; Communion Alms, \$20.87; Donations, \$250.00; Offerings, \$6.25. Total, \$642.12.

Expenditures—Rector's salary, \$365; Sunday School, \$115; Poor, \$135; Diocesan Missions, \$10.60; Bishop salary, \$5.80; Foreign Missions, \$4.47; Charleston, \$6.25. Total, \$642.12.

My Dear Brother—Bishop Whipple—A few words to say, in writing, to tell you of my work for the past year at Leech Lake. I hold services twice every Sunday and every Friday and other Holy days. I have also a Sunday School for the children. The people love to come to Church. This is all I have to say.

From your Indian brother in the Church,

MARK HAHT.

Pembina Settlement, Population 300, Norman County; Church of the Holy Spirit; No title. The Rev. GEO. B. MORGAN, Deacon in charge. P. O., White Earth.

Families, 3. Individuals, 13. Communicants, last report, 8; present number (m. 3, f. 4) 7. Marriages, 1. Public Services, 19.

Value Church building, \$380; Rectory, \$120. Total, \$500.

Receipts—Donations, \$11.

Expenditures—Sunday School work, \$1; Poor, \$10. Total, \$11.

Red Lake Agency, Population 600, Beltrami County; S. John in the Wilderness Church; No title. The Rev. FRED. W. SMITH, Deacon in charge.

Families, 33. Individuals, 108. Baptisms, inf. 8. Communicants, last report, 46; present number (m. 19, f. 29) 48. Burials, 3. Public Services (Sundays, 98; other days, 51) 149. Holy Communion (pub., 5; private, 3) 8. Sunday School, Teachers, m. 1; scholars (m. 9, f. 11) 20. Total, 21. Children catechised, 20; Times catechised, 41.

Value Church building, \$1,600.

Receipts—Communion alms, \$12.07; D. & F. M. Society, \$365; Donations, \$168; Offerings, \$6.25. Total, \$551.32.

Expenditures—Rector's salary, \$365; Sunday Schools, \$52. Poor, \$71; Mission work in Parish, \$45; Diocesan, \$1.65; Bishop's salary, \$3.13; Disabled Clergy Fund, \$4.10; Domestic Missions, \$1.19; Miscellaneous, \$4.25. Total, \$551.32.

Rt. Rev. H. B. Whipple—Dear Bishop—A few words to you again, to tell you of my work. For the past year I have been at Red Lake, doing the same thing as before; holding services twice on every Sunday, and on week day and on every Holy day. The Indians are doing well in every respect—love to come to Church.

I am your Indian brother in Christ,

FRED. W. SMITH.

Red Lake, Old Chief's Village. Population, 115, Beltrami County, S. Antipas Church; No Title. The Rev. GEORGE SMITH, Deacon in charge.

Families, 22. Individuals, 103. Baptisms, inf., 4; Confirmations (m. 1, f. 1), 2. Communicants, last report, 40. Present No. (m. 16, f. 24), 40. Communicating during year, (m. 16, f. 24), 40. Burials, 8. Public Services (Sunday, 91, other days, 49), 143. Holy Communion (pub. 6, private, 8), 14. Sunday School, Teachers, m. 1. Scholars (m. 8, f. 13), 21. Total, 22. Children catechised, 21. Times catechised, 47.

Value Church building, \$400. Rectory, \$45. Total, \$445.

Receipts: Communion alms, \$15.73; Donations, \$193.25; D. & F. M. Society, \$365. Total, \$573.91.

Expenditures: Rector's salary, \$365; Sunday School, \$10; Other expenses, \$70; Poor, \$107; Diocesan Missions, \$8.16; Bishop's salary, \$7.57; Miscellaneous, \$6.25. Total, \$573.98.

Dear Bishop:

Well, a little I will tell you of my work. I try that twice every Sunday we go within the Church. Again we have a Sunday School, and every Friday we assemble, and on other Holy-days we have service. That is all. I am glad that I am permitted to enter on another year to go with you in the Gospel. O, that God may destine me unceasingly to do that!

GEORGE SMITH.

**White Earth Agency, Population 800, Becker County; S. Columba Church;
No title. The Rev. JOHN JOHNSON (Enmegahbow) Priest in charge.**

Families, 67. Individuals, 270. Baptisms (inf. 42, ad. 6) 48. Confirmations (m. 3, f. 2) 5. Communicants, last report, 124; present number (m. 40, f. 84) 124. Communicating during year (m. 36, f. 50) 86. Marriages, 3. Public Services (Sundays, 52; other days, 2) 54. Holy Communion (pub. 12; private, 25) 37.

Value Church building, \$10,000; Chapel, \$300; Rectory, \$1,600; Other Church property, \$3,900. Total, \$20,700.

Receipts—D. & F. M. Society, \$1365; Communion alms, \$56.23; Donations, \$1149; Investments, \$700; Offerings, \$58.25. Total, \$3,329.48.

Expenditures—Sexton, \$32; Rector's salary, \$500; Other expenses, \$365; Poor, \$14.18; Mission work, \$26; Diocesan Missions, \$38.50; Bishop's salary, \$17.71; Foreign Missions, \$5; Charleston sufferers, \$6.25. Total, \$3,328.43.

REPORT OF REV. CHARLES WRIGHT.

Dear Bishop—Already I have held services for the last five Sundays where I now am, Wild Rice River. I found the Christians dead, as it were, in their faith. It appears to me as if there were something dead and I kneeling beside it and praying God to make it alive again; such do I see them to be, dead in their minds, and I kneeling beside them imploring God that they may be restored to life. That is all.

CHARLES T. WRIGHT.

WHITE EARTH AGENCY, June 1st, 1887.

**Wild Rice River Settlement, Population 225; Church of the Epiphany,
No title. The Rev. GEO. B. MORGAN, Deacon in charge. P. O., White
Earth Agency.**

Families, 20. Individuals, 51. Baptisms (inf. 6, ad. 1) 7. Communicants, last report, 39; present number (m. 12, f. 22) 34. Communicating during year (m. 4, f. 14) 18. Burials, 6. Public Services (Sundays, 43; other days, 5) 48. Holy Communion (pub. 3; private, 5) 8. Sunday School, Teachers, m. 1; Scholars (m. 10, f. 15) 25. Total, 26. Children catechised, 26; times catechised, 16.

Value Church building and Rectory, \$1,675; other Church property, \$50. Total, \$1,725.

Receipts—Communion alms, \$14.11; Donations, \$157.63; D. & F. M. Society, \$305. Total, \$536.74.

Expenditures—Repairs, \$39.63; Rector's salary, \$365; Sunday School, \$18; Poor, \$100; Diocesan Missions, \$5.31; Foreign Missions, \$2.55; Miscellaneous, \$6.25. Total, \$536.74.

Dear Bishop—Again a little I write you now. I have put down my work in the statistical reports. It is the report of nine months of my work. It is now three months since I have been unable to do any work.

But I am thankful that I see this present time, and that I have been able to do the little work which I have reported. Again once more comes round the period from which work commences. Every day, or every hour, rather, I long for the day to come when I shall commence work again; for which I call upon God.

Yours, respectfully,

GEORGE B. MORGAN.

**Winnibigoshish Lake Settlement, Population 115, Itasca County; Church
of S. Philip The Deacon: No Title. The Rev. JOSEPH WAKAZOO,
Deacon in charge, P. O., Leech Lake.**

Families, 14. Individuals, 52. Baptisms, inf. 3. Communicants, last report, 13; present number (m. 8, f. 11) 19. Communicating during year (m. 8, f. 11) 19. Public Services (Sundays, 96; other days, 49) 144. Holy Communion 3. Sunday School, Teachers, m. 1; Scholars (m. 8, f. 10) 18. Total, 19. Children catechised, 18.

Value Church building, \$275.

Receipts—D. & F. M. Society, \$365; Communion alms, \$5.55; Donations, \$131; Offerings \$13.75. Total, \$515.30.

Expenditures—Repairs, \$13; Rector's salary, \$365; for seed and other expenses, \$31 Sunday School, \$7; Poor, \$12.50; Mission work, \$75; Bishop's salary, \$3.50; Foreign Missions, \$2.05; Charleston sufferers, \$4.25. Total, \$515.30.

Dear Bishop—Since last Council I have been at Winnibigoshish. On Sundays I gather the Winnibigoshish Indians. I have two services, also Sunday School. Sometimes I have 18 scholars. And on Fridays I have a meeting considerably attended. And sometimes I go to the Indians' houses evenings or mornings, and have prayers, so they can see how to have prayers for themselves.

I keep a day school, half of each day, and in this way retain my hold on the Indians' children. There are 18 or 19 children in it. Often the braves come in to see their children taught figures and books; and they are greatly pleased when they hear them answering, saying, "Considerably my little child is able to master figures already."

JOSEPH WAKAZOO.



Northern Deanery.

REPORT OF THE DEAN.

TO THE RT. REV. H. B. WHIPPLE, D. D.:

This Deanery met at S. Columba Church, White Earth Reservation, John Johnson (Enmagahbowh), Rector, on the 21st, 22d and 23rd of September. Present, the Dean, Reverends John Johnson, Gilfillan, Currie, Dickey, Nash, Swan, Wright, Peake, Fred and Geo. Smith, and two lay delegates from Red Lake. Secretary Peake and Treasurer Dickey re-elected. We held a most interesting Missionary meeting in the evening, the first day. On the second day Prayer, Litany and Communion, Rev. Swan preached the sermon, interpreted by Rev. Gilfillan. In the evening we met the women and mens' Guilds. The Presidentess, Mrs. Mary Hall and three other women made addresses; also the Dean and Rev. Dickey. On the third day, after morning prayer, we heard addresses from the mens' Guild, and from the lay delegates from Red Lake. The meeting was not as fully attended as it would have been had there not been some doubt as to the meeting taking place, on account of the Rev. Gilfillan being in attendance on the Government Indian Commission at Leech Lake. The meeting proved a very interesting and instructive one, and a general wish was expressed that we might meet at the Reservation again.

Our second meeting was appointed to meet at Brainerd, April 19, 20 and 21, but owing to the State law which deprives the Clergy of one-half fare passes, it proved a failure. Bishop Gilbert, Reverends Gilfillan and Birch, were present. The Bishop held a Confirmation on the first evening and went on the second day to Aitken and Confirmed five persons there. The Dean was seriously indisposed.

F. J. HAWLEY, Dean.

Southern Deanery.

REPORT OF THE DEAN.

Dear Bishop:

The present Dean was appointed vice the Rev. Geo. C. Tanner resigned, Feb. 1, 1887. In the short time that has passed since then he has visited besides his own Missions, Owatonna, Pine Island, Zumbrota, Lake City and Red Wing, the last two at the kind request of the Rectors.

Owatonna having called an efficient Rector, will report for herself.

At Zumbrota and Pine Island, while the work is very quiet, not to say dull, there is no inharmony among the people or prejudice against the Church; in fact, affairs are quite as satisfactory as could be expected with but a monthly service.

This service should be sustained at all events, nor is there any pressing need for an increase of service at once.

The Clergy of the Convocation were called together on April 26, 27, 28, in Christ Church, Red Wing. A very successful meeting was held, full accounts of which have already been given to the Church.

Very truly yours,

EDW. C. BILL,

Dean.

Faribault, May 31, 1887.

Clerical Reports.

SEABURY HALL, June 11, 1887.

THE RT. REV. H. B. WHIPPLE.

My dear Bishop:

I have no further report to make for the year than that of the discharge of my duties as Professor of Ethics and Apologetics in the Seabury Divinity School.

Faithfully yours,

J. MACBRIDE STERRETT.

FARIBAULT, MINN., June 9th, 1887.

Dear Bishop:

I have the honor to report that during the past year I have been engaged in the discharge of my duties as Warden and Professor of Biblical Learning and Homiletics in the Seabury Divinity School.

Yours faithfully,

F. D. HOSKINS.

THE RT. REV. H. B. WHIPPLE.

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REPORT.

The present is the fifth year of the school. Number of boys this year: Boarders, 27; day pupils, 7. Total, 34. The confirmations are reported in the Parish report. Cost of school property, \$30,000; debt on school property, \$10,500. The Church has not contributed a single dollar, in any way, to this school. Dr. Eaton, of New York, gave \$90.00, to start a boys' library. The first four years of the school its expenses were \$2,500.00 more than its entire income. The Rector made up the deficiency. The present year the school has paid its expenses and interest on the debt.

Such a school is much needed in this part of the Diocese. No work of equal magnitude has ever been attempted in the Diocese without Church aid. The Rector has carried a heavy load for the past five years. Will some Churchman who has plenty of means, and to spare, help him in paying off the debt?

THOS. E. DICKEY, Rector.

STATE OF THE CHURCH.

PARISHES AND MISSIONS REPORTING, 104.

RENTED PEWS, 7.

SUMMARY OF ANNUAL REPORTS-1881 to 1887.

	1881.	1882.	1883.	1884.	1885.	1886.	1887.
Bishops.....	1	1	1	1	1	1	2
Priests.....	60	72	69	69	70	68	67
Deacons.....	12	11	9	7	10	10	14
Families.....	3,468	3,980	4,065	3,793	3,758	4,210	4,655
Individuals.....	14,801	15,800	16,329	15,463	15,402	17,106	18,712
Baptisms.....	680	720	585	674	604	806	802
Infants.....	180	170	88	147	124	200	1,018
Adults.....	495	550	497	527	480	606	784
(Communicants.....	5,064	5,213	5,205	5,261	5,322	5,752	7,085
(Communicating during year.....	2,901	3,254	3,300	3,255	2,882	3,025	3,081
Marriages.....	255	300	326	406	421	377	380
Burials.....	438	490	475	406	421	366	485
Public Services.....	9,491	7,853	7,853	7,853	8,087	8,087	9,386
Holy Communion.....	1,014	574	490	449	485	1,307	1,601
Sunday School Teachers.....	458	574	490	449	485	1,307	1,601
Sunday School Scholars.....	4,120	4,712	4,411	4,086	4,285	5,308	5,311
(Church Schools.....	2	2	3	3	3	3	3
Theological Schools.....	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Hospitals.....	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Value Church Property.....	\$110,406.05	\$179,650.03	\$325,000.00	\$551,325.00	\$703,142.00	\$670,645.00	\$879,400.00
Indebtedness.....	18,670.00	12,090.00	46,297.00	68,543.00	72,461.50	87,439.00	87,439.00
Communications.....	2,083.81	2,076.04	2,156.57	3,194.90	3,082.50	3,084.89	3,504.41
Rectory salaries.....	29,078.83	29,276.55	38,411.34	33,674.94	30,184.42	41,739.89	38,899.30
Parochial.....	47,449.35	67,602.77	67,602.77	62,094.53	60,726.06	72,719.25	91,454.21
Diocesan.....	7,384.01	27,090.18	27,090.18	14,094.88	30,182.16	10,398.58	22,842.46
Extra Diocesan.....	733.07	586.51	576.54	2,432.55	1,942.45	4,917.57	2,392.25
Total Contributions reported.....	\$7,380.17	\$9,657.22	\$30,944.50	127,571.37	152,068.54	185,799.74	165,108.75

As per Parochial Reports. Church Buildings and Rectories only. Church Buildings, Rectories and Lots.

Summary of Statistics of the Diocese of Minnesota.

JUNE 8, 1887.

Bishops	2
Priests	67
Deacons	14
Families	4,655
Whole No. souls	18,712
Baptisms (infants, 802; adults, 214)	1,016
Confirmations (parishes reported)	717
Communicants	7,635
Communicating during year	5,081
Marriages	380
Burials	485
Public Services	9,396
Holy Communion (times celebrated)	1,691
Sunday School Teachers	638
Sunday School Scholars	5,311
Value Church Buildings and Lots	\$813,700.00
Value Rectories	66,100.00
Indebtedness	87,439.00
Communion Alms	2,594.41

PAROCHIAL.

Rectors' Salaries	\$38,369.30
Current Expenses, S. S. Work, &c	56,332.40
Church Building	22,922.83
Charity	12,198.98
	<u>\$129,823.51</u>

DIOCESAN.

Bishops' Salary, Missions, and A. I. C. Fund, &c	\$2,841.46
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EXTRA DIOCESAN.

Domestic, Foreign, Jewish and Freedmen's Missions,	2,392.25
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Total Disbursements as reported	155,058.22
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Total Receipts as reported	155,269.75
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Rented Pews, 7.

Parishes and Missions reporting, 104.

S. Luke's hospital.

DULUTH, MINN.

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REPORT.

S. Luke's Hospital was opened to receive patients Nov. 18, 1881. From that date to June 1, 1887, 867 persons have been cared for, of which number 109 have died. During the year ending May 31, 1887, there have been cared for 220 persons, of whom 25 were women. Twenty-seven have died during the year, 187 were discharged—6 remained. The religious adherence of those treated during the year comprises: Roman Catholic, 78; Lutheran, 59; Presbyterian, 33; Methodist, 18; Anglican and Protestant Episcopal, 12; Baptist, 7; Hebrew, 3; Non-committal, 10. There have been of those, born in the United States, 73; Canada, 52; Sweden, 33; Ireland, 22; Germany, 10; Finland, 8; England, 7; Norway, 7; Scotland, 5; France, 2; Poland, 1.

Forty-eight different diseases and ailments have been represented. The largest number have been typhoid fever, fractures and wounds. The Management of the Hospital is vested by the articles of incorporation in

a board of seven directors, who shall be chosen from the congregation of S. Paul's Church. The aim of the Board of Managers is to make the institution a Christian charity in the broadest sense, and no person is refused admittance who needs its ministrations. A charge is made, however, to those who are able to pay, of \$7 a week for ward patients, and \$10 a week for private room. All county patients are cared for in the Hospital, and also the U. S. Marine patients under special arrangements with officials. The certificates of several general hospital associations are honored under similar arrangements.

The special work of the institution is under the direction of Miss Mary E. Scott, assisted by a corps of five nurses. Patients generally have a choice of physician, except in the case of County and Marine cases.

Within the past year a Training School for nurses has been started which it is hoped will be of practical benefit to this Hospital, as well as to others in the West, and will prepare nurses for private work. Provision is made for religious services whenever they may be held, in a well appointed chapel on the ward floor in the second story. The Hospital is doing a very successful and much needed and highly appreciated work, and promises to become one of the institutions of Duluth. The successful inauguration of S. Luke's is due to the Rev. C. A. Cummings, then the Rector of S. Paul's Church, who labored incessantly for its welfare. It was chiefly through his efforts that the present site and building were secured. The property is free from debt and is worth \$18,000.

While being nominally a Church Hospital, any patient may receive the ministrations of any minister he may select, and the people of Duluth, without regard to denominational lines, contributed to its success, and still aid by liberal benefactions its good work.

CHARLES A. POOLE, President.

S. Barnabas hospital.

MINNEAPOLIS.

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EYE AND EAR—Mr. Frank Allport.

ARTICLE I. OF INCORPORATION.

The name of this corporation shall be St. Barnabas Hospital.

Its general purpose to relieve the sick, wounded and disabled, irrespective of sex, nationality, color or religious creed, by providing a place for the care of such persons, with medical attendance, food and clothing.

It is and shall be located in the city of Minneapolis, County of Hennepin, and State of Minnesota.

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Rev. T. B. Wells, D. D.,	John I. Black,
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Has cared for 739 patients during the year, 1886, as follows:

365 hospital patients, 49 charity, 165 private, 160 city; 42 have died.

The Board has added a new building containing sixteen rooms, for private patients, at a cost of about \$9,000. The hospital is now capable of taking care of from 70 to 80 patients. The expenses of the hospital outside of improvement, was about \$12,000.

CHAS. M. HARDENBERGH,
Chairman Executive Committee.

S. Luke's hospital.

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MEDICAL BOARD.

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REPORT,

For Year Ending February 28, 1887.

Number of Patients admitted.....	270
Pay Patients.....	212
Charity Patients.....	55
Supported by Children's Col. of S. Paul's Church.....	3
Number of Baptisms.....	8
Number of Surgical Operations.....	143
Deaths.....	19
Births.....	8
Discharged cured.....	142
Discharged incurable.....	3
Discharged improved.....	84
Discharged not treated.....	27
Discharged examined.....	6
Remaining in hospital, March 1st, 1887.....	15

RELIGIOUS DENOMINATIONS.

Episcopallan.....	35
Roman Catholic.....	28
Presbyterian.....	17
Baptist.....	31
Methodist.....	15
Lutheran.....	52
Hebrew.....	3
Congregational.....	5
Unitarian.....	1
Non-professors.....	83

RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES.

Receipts for the year ending March 1, 1887.....	\$8,483.66
Expenditures.....	8,140.75

On hand March 1, 1887..... \$342.91

S. Luke's Hospital is doing an excellent work, in spite of the limitations imposed by lack of space and facilities in its present quarters. The Trustees have secured a valuable lot, and expect to report to the next Council work begun upon a building which shall enable its managers to greatly extend its sphere of usefulness.

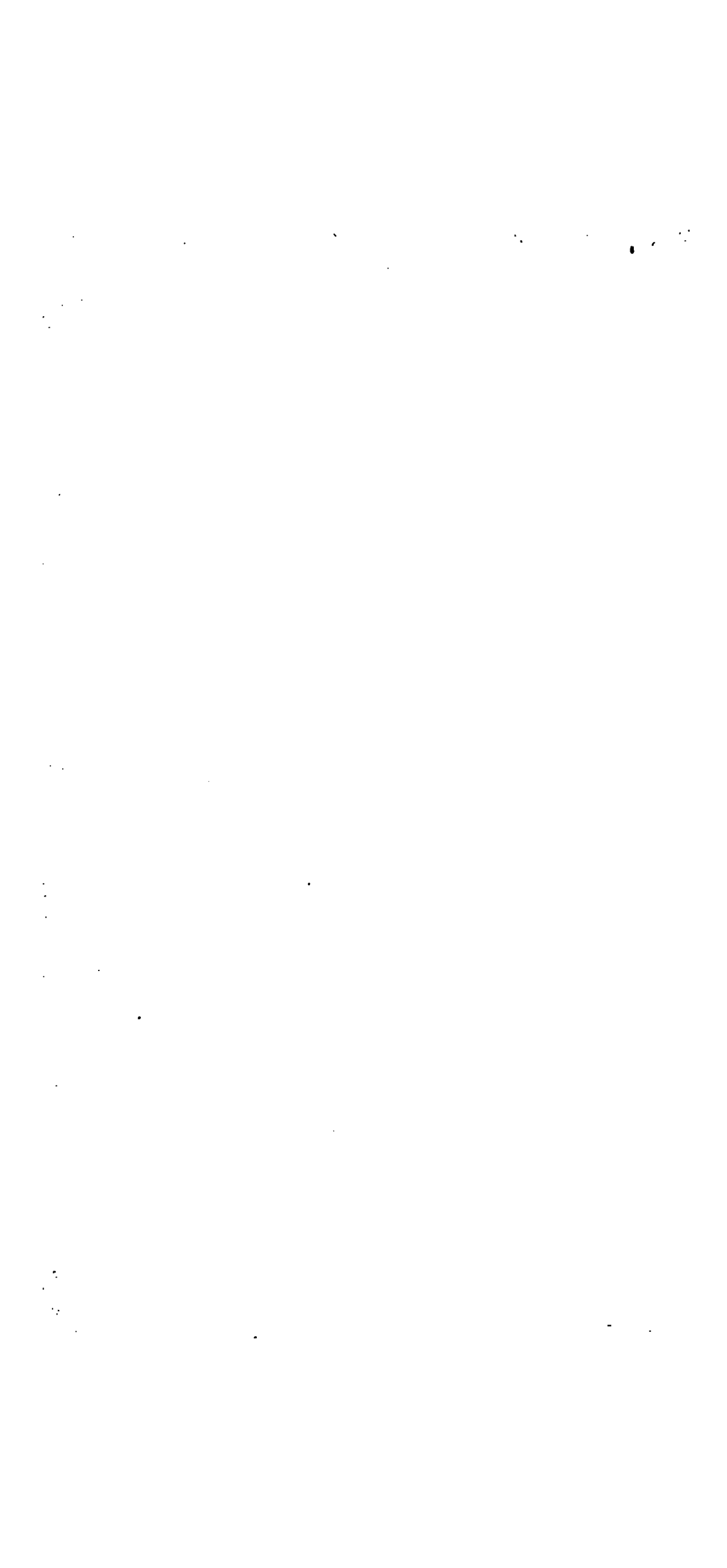
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Secretary of S. Luke's Hospital.

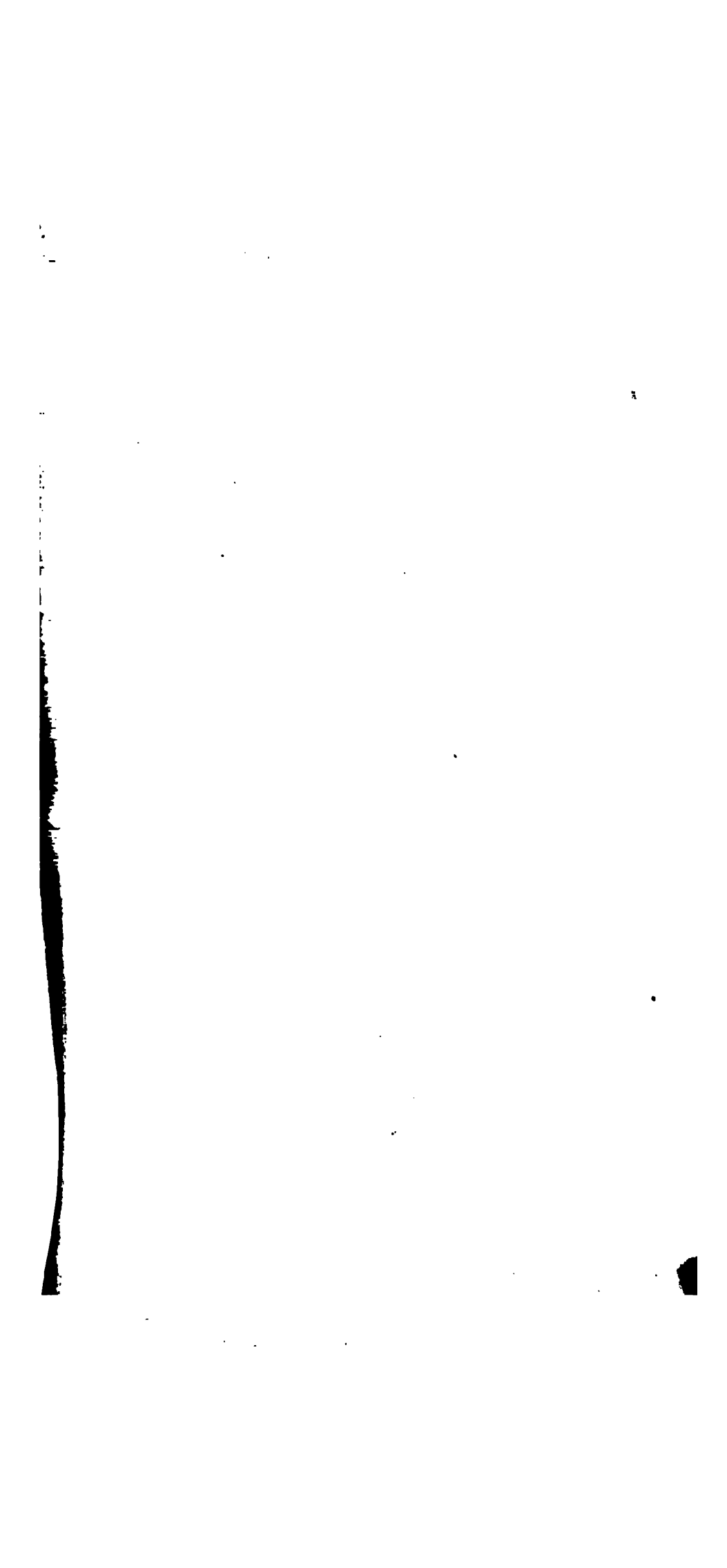
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⇒NOTICE⇒

The Thirty-First Annual Council of the Diocese of Minnesota will meet in Christ Church, St. Paul, on the Second Wednesday in June, 1888.

Andrew D. Storer
Secretary.

Diocese of Minnesota.

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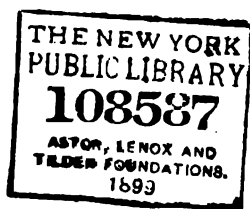
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In the Order of their Present Canonical Connection with the
Diocese.

Bishop.

*THE RT. REV. HENRY BENJAMIN WHIPPLE, D. D., L. L. D., consecrated
Thursday, October 13, 1859.

Assistant Bishop.

†THE RT. REV. MAHLON NORRIS GILBERT, D. D., consecrated Sunday,
October 17th, 1886.

Priests.

*The Rev. John Johnson, (Enmegahbowh) ordained October 13, 1859.

*The Rev. Horace Hills, Jr., received June 5, 1865.

*The Rev. Samuel P. Chandler, received December 22, 1865.

The Rev. William C. Pope, received November 13, 1866.

†The Rev. James Dobbin, D. D., ordained June 16, 1867.

†The Rev. Charles H. Plummer, ordained June 16, 1867.

*The Rev. Charles J. Adams, M. D., received October 1, 1868.

The Rev. Joseph A. Gilfillan, received October 16, 1870.

*The Rev. Joseph J. Hillmer, received June 21, 1871.

The Rev. J. Steinfort Kedney, D. D., received December 22, 1871.

*The Rev. Israel J. Townsend, received June 22, 1872.

†*The Rev. Chas. E. Byrle, ordained June 22, 1873.

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†The Rev. Edward C. Bill, ordained June 22, 1873.

The Rev. Robert Reed Goudy, received June 22, 1873.

†*The Rev. George B. Whipple, received October 9, 1873.

The Rev. James Cornell, received June 20, 1875.

*The Rev. Herbert Root, received January 25, 1877.

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†*The Rev. Frederick J. Tassell, ordained July 17, 1877.

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†The Rev. Charles A. Cummings, ordained June 15, 1879.

The Rev. Edward J. Purdy, received July 5, 1879.

*The Rev. Henry W. Kittson, received December 12, 1879.

*The Rev. Fletcher J. Hawley, D. D., received May 27, 1880.

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- The Rev. David G. Gunn, received September 7, 1880.
†The Rev. Andrew D. Stowe, ordained December 19, 1880.
†The Rev. Wm. C. Sherman, received December 30, 1880.
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†The Rev. Charles A. Poole, received October 15, 1883.
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†The Rev. Wm. B. Hamilton, ordained June 15, 1884.
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†*The Rev. A. Bailey Hill, ordained June 14, 1885.
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The Rev. Samuel Mills, received February, 1886.
†The Rev. Wm. H. Knowlton, received August 16, 1886.
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 The Rev. W. W. Fowler, received June 18, 1888.

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 The Rev. Charles Wright, ordained July 15, 1877.
 The Rev. John Coleman, ordained July 14, 1878.
 The Rev. Geo. Smith, ordained July 14, 1878.
 *The Rev. Mark Hart, ordained July 14, 1878.
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 †The Rev. Edwin Johnson, ordained June 17, 1888.

Bishops, - - - - -	2
Priests, - - - - -	75
Deacons, - - - - -	14
Total Clergy, - - - - -	91

*Not present at Council.

†An Alumnus or Associate Alumnus of Seabury Divinity School.

Note.—The Rev. Hubert M. Johnson, The Rev. J. Wynne Jones, The Rev. Lewis Cass Birch were ordained Priests after Council, June 27, 1888, in St. Mark's Church, Lake City.

**Alphabetical List and Address of the Clergy Canonically
Connected with, and Residing in the Diocese
June 20th, 1888.**

THE RT. REV. HENRY BENJAMIN WHIPPLE, D. D., L. L. D.,
Bishop of the Diocese, Faribault.

THE RT. REV. MAHLON NORRIS GILBERT, D. D.,
Assistant Bishop, 56 Park Place, St. Paul.

Adams, Rev. J. C., M. D., Lake City.

Allen, Rev. T. K. Missionary, (P. O. La Crosse, Wis.)

Andrews, Rev. C. D., Rector, Christ Church, St. Paul.

Appleby, Rev. T. H. M. V., Rector, Christ Church, St. Vincent.

Avery, Rev. R. N., Rector, Calvary Church, Rochester.

Birch, Rev. Lewis C. Rector, Grace Church, Wabasha.

Bill, Rev. Edward C., *Dean*, Prof. Liturgics Seabury Divinity School and
Assistant Cathedral, Faribault.

Booth, Rev. Daniel T., Rector, S. Luke's Church, Willmar.

Byrde, Rev. C. E., England.

Chandler, Rev. Samuel P., Rector, S. Paul's Church, Belle Creek (P. O.)
Red Wing.

Chandler, Rev. J. H., St. Paul.

Clark, Rev. Edward H., Rector, Church of the Nativity, Wells.

Cooke, Rev. E. Jay, Rector, Church of S. John the Evangelist, St. Paul.

Coleman, Rev. John, Indian Missionary, Prince of Peace Church, Leech
Lake.

Cornell, Rev. James, Rector, S. John's Church, Janesville.

Cummings, Rev. Charles A., Rector, S. John's Church, St. Cloud.

Currie, Rev. Samuel, Missionary at Crookston.

Dickey, Rev. Thomas E., Rector, Bishop Whipple School, and S. John's
Church, Moorhead.

† Davis, Rev. Geo. H., Rector S. Paul's Church, Brainerd.

Dobbin, Rev. James, D. D., Rector, Shattuck School, Faribault.

Fortin, Rev. Ivan C., Rector, Christ Church, Crookston.

Fowler, Rev. W. W., Assistant Gethsemane Church, Minneapolis.

Gardam, Rev. Wm., Rector, Cathedral of Our Merciful Savior, Faribault.

Giltfillan, Rev. Joseph A., Superintendent Indian Missions, White Earth.

- Goudy, Rev. Robert R., Rector, S. Martin's Church, Fairmont.
 Graham, Rev. A. J., Rector, Holy Trinity Church, Minneapolis.
 Graves, Rev. Anson R., Rector, Gethsemane Church, Minneapolis.
 Guion, Rev. Wm. B., City Missionary, Minneapolis.
 Gunn, Rev. David G., Missionary on the Sioux City Railroad (P. O. Wilder).
 Hamilton, Rev. J. F., Rector, Church of the Good Samaritan, Sauk Center.
 Hamilton, Rev. Wm. B., Rector, S. Luke's Church, Minneapolis.
 Hart, Rev. Mark, Indian Missionary, charge Church of Good Shepherd, Leech Lake.
 Hawley, Rev. Fletcher, J. D. D., *Honorary Dean*, P. O. Lake Park.
 Hill, Rev. A. Bailey, Rector, Church of the Good Shepherd, Albert Lea.
 Hillmer, Rev. Joseph J., charge Trinity Church, St. Charles, (P. O. Winona).
 Hills, Rev. Horace J., Wabasha.
 Hinman, Rev. Samuel D., Indian Missionary and teacher Birch Coolie.
 Hixon, Rev. Charles E., Rector, Grace Church, Minneapolis.
 Hudson, Rev. Theodore C., Rector, S. John's Church, Mankato.
 Hoskins, Rev. F. D., Warden and Prof. Biblical Learning and Homeletics Seabury Divinity School, Faribault.
 Jeffords, Rev. Sydney G., Assistant Christ Church, St. Paul.
 Johnson (Enmegahbowh), Rev. John, White Earth Reservation.
 Johnson, Rev. Hubert M., Rector, Church of the Redeemer, Cannon Falls.
 Johnson, Rev. Edwin, Rector, Christ Church, Austin.
 Jones, Rev. J. Wynne, Rector, S. Mark's Church, Lake City.
 ‡ Johnson, Rev. R. M., Rector, Zion Church, Reno, (P. O. Glenwood).
 Kedney, Rev. J. S., D. D., Professor Divinity, Seabury Divinity School, Faribault.
 Kittson, Rev. H. W., Canada.
 Knowlton, Rev. Wm. H., Rector, S. Paul's Church, Winona.
 Kuehn, Rev. Alexander, D. J., Rector, Christ Church, Glencoe.
 Lloyd, Rev. John H., Rector, Ascension Church, West St. Paul.
 McVettie, Rev. Wellington, Rector S. Andrew's Church, Waterville.
 Metcalf, Rev. Reuben E., Rector, S. Paul's Church, Owatonna.
 Millsbaugh, Rev. Frank R., Rector, S. Paul's Church, Minneapolis.
 Mills, Rev. Samuel, City Missionary, St. Paul.
 Morgan, Rev. George B., Indian Missionary, Church of Holy Spirit, Pembina Settlement (P. O. White Earth).
 Moyses Rev. Edward, Rector, S. Luke's Church, Hastings.
 Mueller, Rev. G. H., Rector, Church of the Good Shepherd, Blue Earth City.
 Nash, Rev. F. B., Sr., Tintah.
 Peake, Rev. E. S., *Dean* and Missionary, S. Luke's Church, Detroit.
 Pinkham, Rev. Alfred G., Rector, Trinity Church, Litchfield.
 Plummer, Rev. Charles H., Rector, Christ Church, Red Wing.
 Pope, Rev. Wm. C., Rector, Church of the Good Shepherd, St. Paul.
 † Pritchard, Rev. J., Charge, Emanuel Church, Rushford.
 Purdy, Rev. E. J., Rector, All Saints' Church, Minneapolis.

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- Poole, Rev. Charles A, Rector, S. Paul's Church, Duluth.
 Potts, Rev. Francis H, Rector, S. Peter's Church, Shakopee.
 Prosser, Rev. J. W, Managing Editor Diocesan Organ, 1922 4th st. S. E., Minneapolis.
 Root, Rev. Herbert, Valley City, Dak.
 Sayres, Rev. William S., Rector, Grace Church, Montevideo.
 Smith, Rev. Frederick W, Indian Missionary, Church S. John in the Wilderness, Red Lake.
 Smith, Rev. Geo., Indian Missionary, Church S. Antipas, Red Lake.
 Sherman, Rev. Wm. C., Rector, Gethsemane Church, Appleton.
 Sterrett, Rev. J. McBride, D. D., Professor Ethics and Apologetics, Seabury, Divinity School, Faribault.
 Stowe, Rev. Andrew D, Rector, Ascension Church, Stillwater.
 Tanner, Rev. George C, Chaplain, Shattuck School, Faribault.
 Tassell, Rev. Frederick J, Missionary Mentor.
 Thompson, Rev. Delbert F., Rector, Church of the Holy Communion, St. Peter.
 Townsend, Rev. I. Jerome, Fairmont.
 Walden, Rev. Treadwell.
 Wakazoo, Rev. Joseph, Indian Missionary, S. Phillip's Church, Lake Winnebegoishish, P. O. Leech Lake.
 Ware, Rev. Charles S., Missionary, Wilder.
 Wells, Rev. Thomas B., D. D., Dean and Rector, S. Mark's Church, Minneapolis.
 Wells, Rev. Charles L., Professor Ecclesiastical History, Seabury Divinity School, Faribault.
 Williamson, Rev. John, Hastings.
 Whipple, Rev. George B., Chaplain, S. Mary's School, Faribault.
 Wilkinson, Rev. Wm., Rector, S. Andrew's Church, Minneapolis.
 Wilson, Rev. E. Stuart, D. D., Professor O. and N. T. Exegesis and Hebrew, Seabury Divinity School, Faribault.
 Winsor, Rev. A. S. H., Rector, S. Judes' Church, Henderson.
 Woodward, Rev. Charles, residing in Olmsted County, P. O. Rochester.
 Wright, Rev. Charles, Indian Missionary, Assistant, S. Columba Church, White Earth Reservation.
 Wright, Rev. John, Rector, S. Paul's Church, St. Poul.
- ‡ Not canonically connected with the Diocese.

Candidates for Holy Orders.

JUNE 20, 1888.

Francis Willis, Jr.	Arthur R. Taylor.
Charles Ferdinand Drake, M. D.	Earnest M. Benedict.
Charles Edgar Haupt.	Charles H. Sherman.
Charles Carter Rollit.	William St. John Crickmer.
Stuart Ballantyne Purves.	William Tuson, Jr.
John Biddle Halsey.	

Postulants.

JUNE 20, 1888.

Ralph Russell,	Arthur T. Gesner,
Thomas P. Thurston.	

Lay Readers Licensed During the year.

F. S. Hayes,	Ralph Russell,
Wm. Arey,	R. H. Moore,
Wm. J. Corihik,	J. E. H. Leeds,
A. Harper, Jr.,	J. A. Williams,
R. W. Hewitt,	John Sloan,
D. W. Howard,	Arthur Chard,
Wellington McVettie,	Jas. H. Shawe,
William Tuson, Jr.,	C. W. Tyler.
John E. Simpson,	John. B. Halsey,
C. F. Drake,	A. Alexander,
G. F. Hoyt,	W. W. Mix,
F. H. Wolcott,	Victor E. Baxter,
Wm. J. Evans,	Frank B. Millard,
C. M. Hardenberg,	Hector Baxter.
Charles A. Henry.	

Parishes and Congregations.

**Organized and Incorporated and Entitled to Representation in
Council, June 20, 1888.**

<i>Place.</i>	<i>County.</i>	<i>Name.</i>
Albert Lea	Freeborn	Christ.
Appleton	Swift	Gethsemane.
Anoka	Anoka	Trinity.
Austin	Mower	Christ.
Alexandria	Douglas	Emmanuel.
Basswood Grove	Washington	S. Mary's.
Becker	Sherburne	Trinity Chapel.
Belle Plaine	Scott	Church of the Transfiguration.
Benson	Swift	Christ.
Brainerd	Crow Wing	S. Paul's.
Browns Valley	Traverse	S. Luke's.
Chatfield	Fillmore	S. Mathew's.
Caledonia	Houston	Trinity.
Cannon Falls	Goodhue	Redeemer.
Crookston	Polk	Christ.
Duluth	St. Louis	S. Paul's.
Elk River	Sherburne	Trinity.
Fairmont	Martin	S. Martin's. [Savior
Faribault	Rice	Cathedral of our Merciful
Farmington	Dakota	Church of the Advent.
Fergus Falls	Otter Tail	S. James.
Granite Falls	Yellow Medicine	Trinity.
Hastings	Dakota	S. Luke's.
Hassan	Hennepin	S. Peter's.
Henderson	Sibley	S. Jude's.
Janesville	Waseca	S. John's.
Kenyon	Goodhue	Ascension.
Lake City	Wabasha	S. Mark's.
Le Sueur	Le Sueur	S. John's.
Litchfield	Meeker	Trinity.
Little Falls	Morrison	Our Savior.
Mankato	Blue Earth	S. John's.
Montevideo	Chippewa	Grace.
Minneapolis	Hennepin	Gethsemane.
Minneapolis	Hennepin	Grace.
Minneapolis	Hennepin	Holy Trinity.
Minneapolis	Hennepin	All Saints'.
Minneapolis	Hennepin	S. Mark's.
Minneapolis	Hennepin	S. Andrew's.
Minneapolis	Hennepin	S. Paul's.

Moorhead	Clay	S. John's
Northfield	Rice	All Saints.
Owatonna	Steele	S. Paul's.
Point Douglas.....	Washington.....	S. Paul's
Pine Island.....	Goodhue	Grace.
Red Wing.....	Goodhue	Christ.
Rushford	Fillmore	Emmanuel.
Rochester	Olmstead.....	Calvary.
Sauk Center.....	Stearns.....	Good Samaritan.
Sauk Rapids	Benton	Grace.
Shakopee	Scott	S. Peter's.
Stillwater	Washington	Ascension.
St. Charles	Winona	Trinity.
St. Cloud.....	Stearns	S. John's.
St. Paul.....	Ramsey	Christ.
St. Paul.....	Ramsey.....	S. John the Evangelist.
St. Paul.....	Ramsey	S. Paul's.
St. Paul.....	Ramsey	Good Shepherd.
St. Paul.....	Ramsey	Ascension.
St. Paul/Merriam P'k)	Ramsey	S. Mary's.
St. Peter	Nicollet	Holy Communion.
St. Vincent.....	Kittson	Christ.
Wabasha	Wabasha.....	Grace.
White Bear Lake ...	Ramsey	S. John's in the Wilderness.
Winona	Winona	S. Paul's.
Waterville.....	Le Sueur.....	S. Andrew's.
Wells	Faribault	Nativity.
Willmar	Kandiyohi.....	S. Luke's.
Wilton	Waseca	Calvary.
White Earth.....	Becker	S. Columba.
Zumbrota	Goodhue	Trinity.
Total		71

Parishes and Congregations.

Organized and Incorporated and Entitled to Representation in
Council, June 20, 1888.

<i>Place.</i>	<i>County.</i>	<i>Name.</i>
Albert Lea	Freeborn	Christ.
Appleton	Swift	Gethsemane.
Anoka	Anoka	Trinity.
Austin	Mower	Christ.
Alexandria	Douglas	Emmanuel.
Basswood Grove	Washington	S. Mary's.
Becker	Sherburne	Trinity Chapel.
Belle Plaine	Scott	Church of the Transfiguration.
Benson	Swift	Christ.
Brainerd	Crow Wing	S. Paul's.
Browns Valley	Traverse	S. Luke's.
Chatfield	Fillmore	S. Mathew's.
Caledonia	Houston	Trinity.
Cannon Falls	Goodhue	Redeemer.
Crookston	Polk	Christ.
Duluth	St. Louis	S. Paul's.
Elk River	Sherburne	Trinity.
Fairmont	Martin	S. Martin's. [Savior
Faribault	Rice	Cathedral of our Merciful
Farmington	Dakota	Church of the Advent.
Fergus Falls	Otter Tail	S. James.
Granite Falls	Yellow Medicine	Trinity.
Hastings	Dakota	S. Luke's.
Hassan	Hennepin	S. Peter's.
Henderson	Sibley	S. Jude's.
Janesville	Waseca	S. John's.
Kenyon	Goodhue	Ascension.
Lake City	Wabasha	S. Mark's.
Le Sueur	Le Sueur	S. John's.
Litchfield	Meeker	Trinity.
Little Falls	Morrison	Our Savior.
Mankato	Blue Earth	S. John's.
Montevideo	Chippewa	Grace.
Minneapolis	Hennepin	Gethsemane.
Minneapolis	Hennepin	Grace.
Minneapolis	Hennepin	Holy Trinity.
Minneapolis	Hennepin	All Saints'.
Minneapolis	Hennepin	S. Mark's.
Minneapolis	Hennepin	S. Andrew's.
Minneapolis	Hennepin	S. Paul's.

Moorhead	Clay	S. John's
Northfield	Rice	All Saints.
Owatonna	Steele	S. Paul's.
Point Douglas.....	Washington	S. Paul's
Pine Island.....	Goodhue	Grace.
Red Wing.....	Goodhue	Christ.
Rushford	Fillmore	Emmanuel.
Rochester	Olmstead	Calvary.
Sauk Center	Stearns	Good Samaritan.
Sauk Rapids	Benton	Grace.
Shakopee	Scott	S. Peter's.
Stillwater	Washington	Ascension.
St. Charles	Winona	Trinity.
St. Cloud	Stearns	S. John's.
St. Paul.....	Ramsey	Christ.
St. Paul.....	Ramsey.....	S. John the Evangelist.
St. Paul.....	Ramsey	S. Paul's.
St. Paul.....	Ramsey	Good Shepherd.
St. Paul.....	Ramsey	Ascension.
St. Paul/Merriam P'k)	Ramsey	S. Mary's.
St. Peter	Nicollet	Holy Communion.
St. Vincent.....	Kittson	Christ.
Wabasha	Wabasha	Grace.
White Bear Lake ...	Ramsey	S. John's in the Wilderness.
Winona	Winona	S. Paul's.
Waterville.....	Le Sueur.....	S. Andrew's.
Wells	Faribault	Nativity.
Willmar	Kandiyohi.....	S. Luke's.
Wilton	Waseca	Calvary.
White Earth.....	Becker	S. Columba.
Zumbrota	Goodhue	Trinity.
Total		71

MISSIONS.

NOT ENTITLED TO REPRESENTATION IN COUNCIL JUNE 20, 1898.

<i>Place.</i>	<i>County.</i>	<i>Name.</i>
Aitkin	Aitkin	
Belle Creek	Goodhue	S. Paul's
Belle Wood	Dakota	S. Barnabas'
Blue Earth City	Faribault	Good Shepherd
Breckenridge	Wilkin	S. Luke's
Brownsville	Houston	Holy Comforter
Corinna	Wright	S. Marks'
Cannon City	Rice	Holy Innocents
Cardova	Le Sueur	Christ.
Cass Lake	Beltrami	Prince of Peace
Detroit	Becker	S. Luke's
Dundas	Rice	Holy Cross
Delano	Wright	
Dresbach	Winona	
Dakota	Winona	S. John's
Excelsior	Hennepin	Trinity
Elysian	Le Sueur	Grace
Eden Prairie	Hennepin	S. John's
Frontenac	Goodhue	Christ
Faribault	Rice	Scandinavian Mission
Fridley Park	Anoka	
Glencoe	McLeod	Christ
Glenwood	Pope	
Glyndon	Clay	
Houston	Houston	Our Savior
Howard Lake	Wright	All Saints
Hallock	Kittson	
Heron Lake	Jackson	
Kasson	Dodge	S. Peter's
Lake Crystal	Blue Earth	All Angels
Lake Park	Becker	
Leech Lake	Cass	Good Shepherd
Luverne	Rock	
Madelia	Watanwan	Christ
Mantorville	Dodge	S. John's
Melrose	Stearns	Trinity
Mentor	Polk	
Minneiska	Wabasha	
Minnetonka	Hennepin	S. John's
Morris	Stevens	All Saint's

Morristown	Rice	S. John's
Minneapolis	Hennepin	S. Luke's
New York Mills	Otter Tail	
North Branch	Chisago	S. Thomas
Ortonville	Big Stone	Christ
Perham	Otter Tail	Epiphany
Princeton	Mille Lacs	
Pembina (settlement)	Norman	Holy Spirit
Pipe Stone	Pipe Stone	
Richwood	Becker	Holy Apostles
Redwood Falls	Redwood	
Reno	Pope	
Rockford	Wright	Trinity
Royalton	Morrison	
Red Lake Falls	Polk	
Red Lake Agency	Beltrami	S. John in Wilderness
Red Lake	Beltrami	S. Antipas
Rice's	Morrison	
Rush City	Chisago	Grace
South Kenyon	Goodhue	
Spring Valley	Fillmore	
Stanton	Goodhue	
Stockton	Winona	Trinity
Slayton	Murray	S. Paul's
St. Paul	Ramsey	S. Stephen's
St. Paul	Ramsey	S. Peter's
St. Paul	Ramsey	S. James'
St. Paul	Ramsey	Resurrection
St. Paul	Ramsey	Nativity
St. James	Watsonwan	Calvary
Wadena	Wadena	Grace
Warsaw	Rice	S. Thomas'
Waseca	Waseca	Calvary
Wells	Rice	Emmanuel
Wilder	Jackson	Redeemer
Windom	Cottonwood	Good Shepherd
Winnibigoshish Lake	Itasca	S. Philip's
Wild Rice River	Norman	Epiphany
Worthington	Nobles	Sioux City R'y Missions
Total		79

Parishes	71
Missions	79
Total	150

Roll of lay Delegates

Entitled to Seats and Present in the Thirty-First Annual Council
of the Diocese, June 20-21, 1888.

<i>Appleton</i>	GETHESEMANE CHURCH: Mr. A. D. Countryman.	
<i>Basswood Grove</i>	S. MARY'S CHURCH: Mr. D. B. Gallenger.*	Mr. John Wright.
<i>Cannon Falls</i>	CHURCH OF THE REDEEMER: Mr. Wm. Tanner.*	Mr. James K. Wheat*
<i>Crookston</i>	CHRIST CHURCH: Mr. C. H. Dyer.*	Mr. M. Gallasch.*
<i>Elysian</i>	GRACE CHURCH: Mr. R. L. Myrick.	
<i>Fairmont</i>	S. MARTIN'S CHURCH: Mr. P. Wallaston.	Mr. J. A. Sinclair.
<i>Faribault</i>	CATHEDRAL OF OUR MERCIFUL SAVIOR: Hon. Gordon E. Cole.*	Mr. Jas. Smith, (alt.)
	Mr. E. K. Clements.	Mr. J. H. Chaffee.
	W. D. Daniels, M. D.	Mr. Chas. D. Lufkin, (alt.)
<i>Hastings</i>	S. LUKE'S CHURCH: Mr. A. W. Gardner.*	Mr. L. S. Follett. Mr. Wm. Thorne.
<i>Hasson</i>	S. JOHN'S CHURCH: Mr. Septemius Parslow.	
<i>Janesville</i>	S. JOHN'S CHURCH: Mr. F. H. Miner.*	Mr. J. W. Teft.*
<i>Lake City</i>	S. MARK'S CHURCH: Mr. L. H. Buck.	Mr. R. H. Moore. Mr. W. R. Murray.*
<i>Litchfield</i>	TRINITY CHURCH: Mr. C. H. Strobeck.	Mr. Hamlet Stevens.
<i>Mankato</i>	S. JOHN'S CHURCH: Mr. S. D. Parsons.	Mr. H. W. Brown.*
<i>Minneapolis</i>	ALL SAINTS' CHURCH: Mr. Thomas Saegar.	Mr. E. P. Thompson.

<i>Minneapolis</i>	GETHESEMANE CHURCH:	
	Hon. I. Atwater.*	Mr. J. R. Purchase, (alt.)
	Mr. O. T. Tuttle.	Mr. E. H. Holbrook, Jr.
	Mr. J. I. Black.	Mr. L. A. Grant.*
	Mr. S. A. March.	Mr. P. V. P. Wiggins.
	Mr. E. A. Filmore.*	Mr. E. Weitzel.*
	Mr. A. M. Hilliker.*	Mr. P. H. Smith.*
	Mr. Wm. Saeger.	Mr. E. P. Hawthorne.*
	Mr. J. B. Phelps.*	Mr. C. H. Brown.*
		Mr. C. Rees.*
<i>Minneapolis</i>	GRACE CHURCH:	
	Mr. Thomas Cox.*	Mr. John Parslow.
	Mr. J. B. Powers.*	Mr. Chas. Brownwich.
<i>Minneapolis</i>	HOLY TRINITY CHURCH:	
	Mr. F. Farrington.	Mr. Chas. H. House.
	Mr. G. S. Grimes.	Mr. R. H. Sanford.
	Col. Winthrop Young.*	
<i>Minneapolis</i>	S. MARK'S CHURCH:	
	Mr. C. M. Hardenberg.*	Mr. W. B. Folds.
	Capt. J. C. Reno.	Mr. Wesley Neill.*
	Mr. Hector Baxter.*	Mr. Frederick Paine.
<i>Minneapolis</i>	S. PAUL'S CHURCH:	
	Hon. W. H. Sessions.*	Mr. B. Russell.
	Mr. W. P. Howe.	Mr. H. A. Towne.
	Hon. Hans Mattson.*	Mr. J. D. Cleghorn.*
<i>Moorhead</i>	S. JOHN'S CHURCH:	
	Mr. Samuel Partridge.*	Mr. A. A. White.*
<i>Northfield</i>	ALL SAINT'S CHURCH:	
	Mr. H. K. Kelley.*	H. L. Crittenden, M.D.*
<i>Owatonna</i>	S. PAUL'S CHURCH:	
	Mr. B. F. Welch.*	Mr. G. W. Chesley.*
	Mr. B. E. Darby.*	
<i>Red Wing</i>	CHRIST CHURCH:	
	Judge E. T. Wilder.	Mr. J. C. Pierce.*
	Mr. W. C. Williston.*	Mr. Jesse McIntire.
	Mr. S. B. Foot.	
<i>Sauk Rapids</i>	GRACE CHURCH:	
	Mr. C. G. Wood.*	Mr. G. S. Ruder.*
<i>St. Cloud</i>	S. JOHN'S CHURCH:	
	Mr. Frank Tolman.*	Mr. J. F. Wray.*
	Mr. C. F. Lamb.*	
<i>Sauk Center</i>	GOOD SAMARITAN CHURCH:	
	Mr. Charles F. Hendryx.*	
<i>St. Paul</i>	ASCENSION CHURCH:	
	Mr. F. L. Bayard.	Mr. W. K. Dixon.*

<i>St. Paul</i>	CHRIST CHURCH: Hon. James Gilfillan. Mr. John Q. Adams.* Mr. Ruben Warner. Mr. W. R. Ladd. Mr. J. B. Hoxie.* Mr. S. R. McMasters.	Maj. J. P. Pond. Mr. J. P. Larkin. Mr. W. H. Lightner. Mr. H. P. Hoppin. Mr. W. S. Timberlake.*
<i>St. Paul</i>	S. PAUL'S CHURCH: Hon. A. H. Wilder.* Hon. W. R. Merriam.* Mr. W. J. Sleppy. Mr. Wm. H. Eaton. Mr. T. R. Palmer.	Mr. Alfred E. Goldsmith Mr. Walter Keen, (alt.) Mr. Chas. V. Deane. Mr. Edgar A. Parsons.*
<i>St. Paul</i>	S. MARY'S CHURCH, (<i>Merriam Park</i>): Mr. H. B. Dutcher.*	Mr. J. H. Southall.
<i>St. Paul</i>	CHURCH OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD: Mr. George Bell. Mr. P. Baldy.	Mr. J. W. Groves. Mr. W. D. Arnold.
<i>St. Paul</i>	S. JOHN THE EVANGELIST CHURCH: Mr. John H. Ames.* Mr. Joseph McKey.	Mr. George Hargreaves
<i>St. Peter</i>	CHURCH OF THE HOLY COMMUNION: Mr. G. W. Dryer.	Mr. Wm. Donahower.
<i>St. Vincent</i>	CHRIST CHURCH: Mr. Martin N. Ray.	
<i>Stillwater</i>	ASCENSION CHURCH: Mr. H. E. Smith.	Mr. W. E. Cooke (alt.).
<i>Shakopee</i>	S. PETER'S CHURCH: Mr. W. A. Cole.*	
<i>Waterville</i>	S. ANDREW'S CHURCH: Hon. Lewis Stowe.	
<i>Wells</i>	CHURCH OF THE NATIVITY: Mr. F. E. Watson.	
<i>White Bear Lake</i>	S. JOHN IN THE WILDERNESS CHURCH: Mr. Cyrus B. Cobb.	Mr. Thomas C. Fulton.*
<i>Willmar</i>	S. LUKE'S CHURCH: Mr. F. C. Hardy.	Mr. F. Ferguson.

*Not Present at Council.

Number Parishes entitled to representation.....	71
Number of Parishes represented.....	29
Number Delegates entitled to seats.....	130
Number Delegates present.....	73

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FIRST DAY.

CHRIST CHURCH, ST. PAUL, }
Wednesday, June 13th, 1888. }

This being the day, by canon appointed, for the meeting of the Thirty-first Annual Council of the Diocese of Minnesota, the Secretary and a few of the local Clergy and a lay delegate, met in Christ Church, St. Paul, at 10 a. m.

Morning prayer was said by the Rev. Sydney G. Jeffords. Prayer being ended, the Secretary of the Diocese, the Bishop of the Diocese being absent, called the meeting to order. There being no quorum present, on motion of the Rev. C. D. Andrews, the Council adjourned, to meet Wednesday, June 20th, 1888, at 10 a. m. in Christ Church, St. Paul.



Secretary of the Diocese.

SECOND DAY.

CHRIST CHURCH, St. Paul, }
 Wednesday, June 20th, 1888. }

Pursuant to adjournment of June 13th, The Assistant Bishop, a large number of the Clergy and Lay Delegates of the Diocese, assembled in Christ Church, St. Paul, at 10 a. m. The Rev. R. E. Metcalf read Morning Prayer to the Creed. The Rev. A. S. H. Winsor taking the Creed and Litany. The Rev. Wm. S. Sayres read the first lesson and The Rev. J. H. Lloyd the second lesson. The Rt. Rev. The Assistant Bishop, took the Communion service, assisted by The Rev. James Dobbin, D. D. The Rev. Edward C. Bill read the Epistle and The Rev. E. Steele Peake the Gospel. The Assistant Bishop acted as Celebrant.

Morning prayer being ended, The Rev. J. Steinfort Kedney, D. D., read an address from The Bishop of The Diocese (absent in England) which was as follows:

BISHOP WHIPPLE'S ADDRESS.

BELOVED BRETHREN: -

As the years go by and the eventide draws on, the love which binds me to my flock is deeper. It is a personal sorrow that I have not been able to work *for* you and *with* you as in the earlier days of my Episcopate. Our Heavenly Father is wiser than we. All things work together for good to those who love Him. First of all I ask you to unite with me in gratitude and love for His blessing upon our work. I do not know how to clothe in words the thoughts which well up in my heart as I remember how His Providence has watched over and blessed every venture of our faith and crowned it with success. It seems only yesterday that I came to Faribault an unknown man, to build Christian schools to do God's work when we have gone to the other home. The only secret is that we gave God the *will*. He did all the rest. No Bishop of our Church owes a deeper debt of gratitude to God, who has over-ruled my mistakes, who gave me such a band of fellow workers and who put it into the hearts of His children to be my helpers. To God is all the praise, and to his children thanks and gratitude. During this year I have been very ill and for a time I thought my work was ended. God has heard some one's prayer and spared me to com-

plete the work he gave me to do. The Assistant Bishop has been the foremost Missionary of the Diocese. He has eased the burden from my shoulders and brought joy to many hearts for the noble record of his faithful work.

I have preached and delivered 135 sermons and addresses; baptized three children and seven adults, confirmed one hundred and fifty-seven persons, celebrated the Holy Communion twenty-eight times; buried three persons. I have ordained, June 12, 1887, Hurbert M. Johnson, J. Wyne Jones, Walter Henry Bamford, and Franklin M. Weddell, Deacons. I have ordained, June 12, 1887, Percival M. MacIntyre; Sept. 21, 1887, Delbert F. Thompson, and Sept. 26, 1887, William Wilkinson, Priests. August 7, 1887, in Winnipeg, Manitoba, I united with the Lord Bishop of Rochester: the Metropolitan Bishop of Ruperts Land; the Bishop of Huron; the Bishop of Mosonee; the Bishop of Qu Appelle; the Bishop of Mac Kenzie River, and the Bishop of Northern Dakota, in the Consecration of the Rev. William Pinkham, D. D., as Bishop of Saskatchewan; the Bishops of England, the United States and Canada uniting in the perpetuation of that office which bears the pledge of Christ's presence to the end of the world. It was a great privilege to meet, in this Provincial Council, Christian heroes who amid those northern solitudes are carrying to heathen folk the story of God's love.

I have received Rev. F. H. Potts, Priest, from the Missionary Jurisdiction of Colorado; Rev. John Williamson from the Diocese of Michigan; the Rev. William S. Sayres from the Diocese of Chicago; the Rev. Samuel D. Hinman from the Missionary Jurisdiction of South Dakota; Rev. William B. Guion from the Diocese of Ohio.

The Rev. Percival MacIntyre and the Rev. E. P. Chittenden have been transferred to the Diocese of Kansas.

The Rev. E. L. Peterson, while insane, committed suicide. I loved him for many noble traits of character. He had many trials. He had faults. All I can say is, may God have mercy on him on *that* day. We all mourn the death of Mrs. Daniel T. Booth, of Willmar, whose loss to her husband, her family and the Church, has called for the sympathy of the whole Diocese. The Hon. Mr. Arey, of Albert Lea, to whom the parish owes its beautiful Church, has entered into rest. Mr. Arey came to us from Philadelphia, where he had filled many positions of honor and trust. He was in its truest sense a Christian gentleman. His closing years were marked by great suffering, which he bore with heroic fortitude and Christian resignation, and we believe he has entered the rest of the people of God.

The death of the Rt. Rev. W. H. Barnwell Elliott, D. D., Bishop of Western Texas, is a sorrow to the whole Church. No one of our Bishops was more beloved for his gentle spirit, his brotherly sympathy, his wise administration, and his loyalty to Christ and His Church. More than once his brethren besought him to accept a less arduous field, but he clung with the devotion of a lover to the Missionary jurisdiction to which he had

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May God the Father, the Son, and the Holy Ghost, bless you and yours is the daily prayer of your friend and brother.

H B Gilbert
Bishop of Minnesota

The Rt. Rev. The Assistant Bishop then delivered his annual address, as follows:

BISHOP GILBERT'S ADDRESS.

The absence of our venerated and beloved Diocesan from his accustomed place in the Annual Council, is the thought which comes to us most forcibly as we assemble to-day. Our loss is mitigated by the fact that he is grandly representing the Church in the Mother-Land, and receiving honors worthily bestowed, in which this Diocese shares, and of which we are justly proud. Our greetings, our love and our prayers, go forth to him to-day, with the earnest hope that he will be in safety preserved and returned after a season of refreshment to his Diocese, which loves him so well. I cannot forbear expressing my own deep personal appreciation of the unfailing affection and confidence he has bestowed upon me, and the words of loving counsel he has kindly and helpfully given me.

I greet you to-day dear brethren of the Clergy and Laity with a heart filled with gratitude to Almighty God for his watchful and preserving care during the year since last we assembled in Council. It has been a year of work for us all. We can, as we thankfully review it, only pray that God will overrule our mistakes to His glory, and give us courage and hope to go steadily, faithfully on in the paths where duty leads.

Church work has gone forward steadily and prosperously. The unusual severity of the winter, causing so many and serious snow blockades of the railroads, has rendered missionary labor most difficult. Several plans of combining small stations under one missionary have been prevented by this cause. Many of our faithful clergy have undergone great exposures and severe hardships in filling their appointments, proving that the genuine spirit of self sacrifice is not wanting in the Church of to-day.

Many of the vacancies existing one year ago have been filled, and a larger number of places reached by the services of the Church than ever before. The changes among the clergy have been few. Each one

has felt his individual responsibility to the work in his charge, and has striven to do it faithfully and contentedly. I cannot express the deep appreciation I feel for the unfailing co-operation of all the clergy of this Diocese, without exception, and the uniform kindness and sympathy with which they have cheerfully and loyally upheld my hands. I am only a brother among brothers. May God reward them in His own good time.

It is required by the Canon that the Bishop shall return to the Annual Council a full report of his official acts for the year. In accordance with this provision, I submit herewith an abstract thereof. In following my journeyings you will enter every county in the State but four, and travel many thousand miles by rail, wagon and canoe. Sermons were preached on each occasion, and addresses made to nearly all confirmation classes.

Sunday, June 19th, in St. James Church, Fergus Falls, Rev. S. Mills, Rector, I confirmed eight persons, celebrated Holy Communion, and preached twice.

Sunday, June 26th, 3 p. m., in "The Church of St. John's in the Wildernes," White Bear Lake, preached and confirmed three persons, and celebrated Holy Communion. This parish is under the charge of Rev. S. G. Jeffords, assistant at Christ Church, St. Paul.

Tuesday June 28th, assisted by a number of the clergy, I consecrated St. Luke's Church, Hastings. This is a beautiful church, built upon the ruins of one destroyed several years since by fire. It was an occasion to be remembered.

Sunday, July 3d, in St. Mark's Church, Longworths, preached twice, and celebrated Holy Communion. That devoted and venerable Churchman Octavius Longworth, still maintains the services with unwearied fidelity.

July 7th preached in All Saints Church, Howard Lake.

July 8th preached and confirmed one person in the Methodist Church, Delano. These two places were supplied during the summer by Mr. Charles Rollitt, of Seabury.

July 10th, in the morning held service in Hotel Lafayette, Minnetonka, Beach, and in the afternoon in Trinity Chapel, Excelsior. This latter station is at present cared for by Mr. Wm. Tuscon, Lay Reader, under the supervision of Rev. F. R. Millsbaugh.

Sunday, July 17th, held service in Stillwater.

July 18th, preached and confirmed three persons in Christ Church, Roy-alton.

July 19th, preached and confirmed four persons in the church at Little Falls.

Wednesday, July 20th, laid the corner stone of the Church of the Redeemer, Perham. This work is under the charge of Rev. E. Steele Peake, and the church is the result of the untiring labors of the Missionary and the few faithful folk at Perham. In the evening preached in St. Luke's Church, Detroit.

July 21st, preached and celebrated Holy Communion and confirmed four

persons in the Church of the Holy Apostles, Richwood, Rev. J. A. Gilfillan in charge. In the afternoon of the same day held a conference with the Indians at White Earth. Church matters were set in order, in response to the request of the chiefs and select men, with what, we trust, will be happy results.

During the month of August, I was in Montana, enjoying a period of rest and refreshment in the mountains. I officiated, while there, in Helena, Missoula, and at school houses in the Bitter Root Valley.

Friday, Sept. 2d, confirmed one person privately in Brainerd.

Sunday, Sept. 4th, preached twice, celebrated Holy Communion and confirmed one person in the Chapel of The Good Shepherd, Leech Lake. This is one of our most important and interesting Missionary points among the Ojibways.

Sept. 6th, in St. Philip the Deacon's Chapel, Lake Winnibigoshish, Rev. Joseph Wakazoo (Native) in charge, held the usual services and confirmed three Ojibways.

Sept. 7th, in the Chapel of The Prince of Peace, Cass Lake, Rev. J. Coleman (Native) in charge held service and confirmed one person.

Saturday, Sept. 10th, presided at the Indian Convocation in St. John's Church, Red Lake. This was a most remarkable and interesting meeting. The Church was crowded by Indians from nearly all parts of the Chippewa country.

Sunday, Sept. 11th, held services and confirmed four persons in St. John's Church, Red Lake. Rev. Fred Smith Deacon in charge.

In the afternoon at St. Antipas Church farther up Red Lake, I officiated and confirmed four persons, presented by Rev. Geo. Smith (Native) Deacon. This is the home of the old chief Medway-go-no-nint, so well known as the Christian leader of the northern bands of the Ojibways.

Sept. 14th, in Epiphany Chapel, Wild Rice River, officiated and confirmed one person, presented by Rev. Chas. Wright, Deacon. The next day preached in the Church of The Holy Spirit, Pembina settlement.

Thursday, September 15th, I officiated in St. Columba's Church, White Earth. Thus ending my first full visitation of our Indian Missions. I was accompanied on the journey by Rev. J. A. Gilfillan, our Superintendent, Rev. Charles A. Poole, of Duluth, and Reuben Warner, jr., of St. Paul. I found the work generally in a satisfactory condition. We need greatly two more white missionaries for this great work. The burden is too heavy for Mr. Gilfillan alone. The simple story of his life is a story of apostolic heroism, but the work cannot always be carried by one man alone, no matter how willing, how strong or how heroic he may be.

Friday, Sept. 16th, I consecrated St. Lukes Church, Detroit. Rev. E. S. Peake, missionary in charge. This is a very attractive Church, complete in all its appointments.

Sept. 18th, preached in St. Peter and St. James Missions, St. Paul. These Missions are now under the charge of the City Missionary, Rev S. Mills.

Sept. 20th, made an address at the Annual Meeting of the Womans' Auxiliary in St. Pauls Church, Minneapolis.

Sept. 21st, preached and confirmed nine persons in Trinity Mission, Granite Falls, presented by Mr. J. B. Halsey, Lay Reader, in change.

Sept. 22d, preached and confirmed 3 persons in Grace Church, Montevideo.

Sept. 23d, preached and confirmed 3 persons in Gethsemane Church, Appleton, Rev. W. C. Sherman, Missionary.

Sunday, Sept. 25th, officiated twice in St. Luke's Church, Brown's Valley. This Church is situated at such a remote point that it is difficult to combine with any other place, and so support a pastor. In the meantime Rev. Mr. Ashley of Sisseton Agency, will kindly give an occasional service.

Sept. 26th, held service in All Saint's Church, Morris. This Church is still vacant, but efforts are being made to supply it.

Sept. 23d, preached in St. Luke's Mission, Breckenridge. This station is cared for by Rev. Mr. Morrill, of Wahpeton.

Sept. 29th, preached and confirmed 5 persons in the Church of the Beloved Physician, Polk Co. This is an interesting mission, successfully looked after by Rev. S. Currie.

Sept. 30th, preached in the public hall, Red Lake Falls.

Oct. 2d, held services in Christ Church, Crookston. Since my visit, this important place has been fortunate in securing the services of Rev. I. C. Fortin, of Winnipeg.

In the afternoon of the same day, assisted by Rev. Mr. Currie, I held services in the Presbyterian Church, Fisher's Landing.

Oct. 4th and 5th I spent with our loved frontier Missionary, Rev. Mr. Appleby at St. Vincent.

Oct. 7th, 3 p. m., preached and baptized 2 children in the school house at New York Mills. At 7:30 p. m., officiated in Perham, and on the following day in the school house at Lake Park. These missions are all under the charge of Rev. E Steele Peake.

Sunday, Oct. 9th, officiated in St. John's Church, Moorhead, Rev. T. E Dickey, Rector.

Oct. 13th, in St. Paul's Church, Slayton, Rev. C. S. Ware, Missionary. I preached and confirmed 1 person. The vast extent of this Diocese can be comprehended by noting my journeyings for the ten days ending October 14th.

October 14th, preached in the Methodist Church, Pipe Stone. We have here a small fund ready to be used in building a church when the right time comes.

Oct. 15, in the Presbyterian Church, Luverne, I preached, the services being read by Rev. D. G. Gunn. The Church has a promising outlook at this flourishing point, and regular services are now being maintained by Rev. Mr. Ware.

Sunday, Oct. 16th, in the morning officiated in the school house at Heron

Lake; in the afternoon preached and confirmed 10 persons in the Breck school building, Wilder, and in the evening preached in the Church of The Good Shepherd, Windom. I was assisted in the services by Rev. Messrs. Gunn and Ware.

Oct. 17th, I preached in St. John's Church, Worthington. Mr. Ware will take up his residence at this place and give the work his personal supervision.

Oct. 18th, held services in Calvary Church, St. James.

From Oct. 25th until Nov. 11th, I was in attendance at the Missionary Council in Philadelphia, and visiting the old home places in New York. While in the East I preached, or made addresses, in St. Mary's Church, Philadelphia, Grace Church, Mt. Airy, St. John Baptist's Church, Germantown, St. Stephens College, Annandale, N. Y., Zion Church, Morris, St. Andrew's Church, New Berlin, Christ Church, Sherburne, St. John's Church, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Sunday, Nov 13th, preached in Christ and Good Shepherd Churches, St. Paul.

Nov. 20th, held services in the Church of the Good Samaritan, Sauk Centre and Trinity Church, Melrose. These Churches are faithfully cared for by Rev. J. F. Hamilton. In the former I confirmed two persons.

Nov. 21st, preached in Emanuel Church, Alexandria.

Nov. 22d, preached in the Baptist Church, Glenwood.

Nov. 23d, preached in Zion Church, Reno. These places were in charge of Rev. R. M. Johnson, who has since gone to Washington Territory.

Nov. 24th, Thanksgiving Day, held services in the Chapel at Wadena.

Nov. 27th, officiated in Christ Church, Albert Lea, and confirmed four persons presented by the Rector Rev. A. B. Hill. This Parish is fragrant with the blessed memory of its benefactor Mr. H. W. Arey, gone to the rest of Paradise during the year.

Nov. 29th, addressed a Mission conducted by Rev. Mr. Graves in St. Paul's Church, Owatonna.

Nov. 30th, preached in Christ Church, Austin, Rev. P. B. Peabody Rector.

Nov. 3d, preached and confirmed one person in the church of The Good Shepherd, Blue Earth, Rev. G. H. Mueller, rector.

Dec. 1st, preached in All Angles Church, Lake Crystal, also successfully cared for by Mr. Mueller.

Dec. 2d, preached in the church of the Nativity, Wells, an excellent little Parish wisely administered by Rev. E. H. Clark.

Dec. 4th, officiated in St. Mathews Church, Fairmount, Rev. R. R. Goudy, Rector, and confirmed three persons.

Dec. 5th, preached and confirmed three persons, in Calvary Church, Waseca, cared for by Rev. Mr. Metcalf.

Dec. 6th, preached and confirmed seven persons, in St. John's Church, Janesville, Rev. Jas. Connell, rector. This Parish has put on new life during the last year.

Dec. 7th. Officiated in Grace Church, Elyman, a Mission under the charge of Rev. Mr. Cornell.

Dec. 12th. preached and confirmed six persons in the Church of The Transfiguration, Belle Plaine, presented by Arthur Chard, Lay Reader. This Mission is now in charge of Rev. Mr. Winsor, of Henderson.

Dec. 19th. preached and confirmed five persons in the Church of The Ascension, West St. Paul.

During the latter portion of December, I delivered several sermons and addresses in St. Paul and Minneapolis.

Dec. 30th. I held service and confirmed two persons in Grace Church, Rush City, and the same day preached and baptized two children in St. Thomas' Church, North Branch.

Jan. 1st. preached in St. Paul's Church, St. Paul.

On Epiphany attended the Matriculation services at Senbury Hall, and delivered an address to the young men. During January I preached frequently in Minneapolis and St. Paul, visited the parishes at Litchfield, Owatonna, Le Sueur and Henderson, at the latter place confirming a class of thirteen, presented by that energetic missionary, Rev. A. S. H. Winsor. In St. Paul's Church, Owatonna, I preached and confirmed seven persons. The parish at Owatonna is in a prosperous condition.

Feb. 5th. I spent in Faribault, preaching in the Cathedral, the Shumway Memorial Chapel, and in the Scandinavian Chapel. In the Cathedral I confirmed one, a former Presbyterian minister, seeking orders in the Church.

Feb. 7th. in the Congregational Church, Brownton, I preached and confirmed two persons, and organized a mission. It will be served from Glenora.

Feb. 8th. I preached and confirmed three persons in Christ Church, Glenora. Rev. J. W. Jones, Deacon, in charge. A rectory is being built this year.

Feb. 9th. I preached in the Congregational Church at Hutchinson.

Sunday, Feb. 12th. in the morning preached in All Saints, Minneapolis, a beautiful church recently completed.

Ash Wednesday, preached in Christ Church, St. Paul.

Feb. 19th. I preached in the morning in St. Mark's, Minneapolis, in the afternoon at Fridley Park, and in the evening opened an eight day mission at St. Cloud.

This Mission was full of interest to the close, and brought forth blessed results.

February 26th. in the afternoon, I preached in Grace Church, Sauk Rapids.

Feb. 26th. in Christ Church, St. Paul, I advanced to the Priesthood Rev. Charles S. Ware, the Rev. C. H. Plummer preaching the sermon.

Friday, March 2d. preached in Christ Church, Red Wing.

Sunday, March 4th. preached twice in Minneapolis, and once in St. Paul. At Holy Trinity Church, Minneapolis, I confirmed a class of 11.

In St. John's Mission, Minneapolis, under charge of the City Missionary. Rev. W. B. Guion, I confirmed one person.

March 6th, I officiated in St. Peter's Church, Kasson.

March 8th, preached and confirmed 2 persons in All Saints' Church, Northfield, Rev. E. P. Chittenden, Priest, in charge.

In Faribault, on the following day, I confirmed 2 persons and preached in the Old Chapel.

March 11th, in St. Luke's Church, Hastings, I preached, and confirmed 12 persons, presented by the Rector, Rev. E. Moyses.

March 15, addressed the St. Andrews Brotherhoods of Minneapolis, in St. Mark's Church.

March 18th, preached twice, and confirmed 2 persons, in St. Peter's Church, Shakopee, Rev. F. H. Potts, Rector.

March 19th, preached in the Methodist Church, Princeton.

March 21st, preached in Trinity Chapel, Becker, and confirmed 4 persons.

March 22d, preached in Trinity Church, Elk River,

March 23d, preached and confirmed 1 person in Trinity Church, Anoka.

These Missions have been for many years under the devoted charge of Rev. A. D. Stowe, who has recently gone to Stillwater.

March 25th, at 10:30, a. m., preached and confirmed 38 persons in Gethsemane Church, Minneapolis, at 3 p. m. preached and confirmed 28 persons in St. Luke's Chapel, and in the evening in Grace Church preached and confirmed a class of 12.

March 26th, preached, baptized three and confirmed five persons in St. Paul's Church, Brainerd. This important Parish so long blessed with the services of Dean Hawley, has been fortunate in securing as Rector Rev. G. H. Davis.

March 27, 3 p. m., preached and confirmed six persons in Grace Church, Sauk Rapids, at 7:30 p. m. in St. Johns Church, Saint Cloud, Rev. C. A. Cummings, Rector, preached and confirmed 23 persons.

March 28, preached and confirmed two persons in St. James Church,ergus Falls. The people here are heavily encumbered with a debt, which they are making strenuous efforts to liquidate.

March 29th, preached and confirmed six persons in All Saints Church, Minneapolis.

Good Friday, in the morning preached in Christ Church, St. Paul, in the afternoon in Holy Trinity Church, Minneapolis, and confirmed eleven, and in the evening held service in the Church of the Ascension, West St. Paul.

Easter morning I spent in Stillwater, preaching in the States Prison at 9, and in the new Ascension Church at 11. This is a handsome and complete edifice rising from the ashes of the old, consumed by fire just one year before.

In the evening I preached and confirmed twenty persons in Christ Church, St. Paul.

April 2d, in St. Mark's Church, Lake City, preached, baptized two and confirmed one person.

April 3d, preached in Christ Church, Frontenac. These two places are now under the charge of Rev. J. W. Jones.

April 4th, preached and confirmed two persons in Grace Church, Wabasha. Rev L. C. Birch, Deacon in charge.

April 5th, preached in the Methodist Church, Minneiska.

April 6th, preached and baptized two children in Trinity Church, St. Charles. This station is well cared by Rev. J. J. Hillmer.

April 8th, in St. Pauls Church, Winona. I preached twice and confirmed nine persons. This fine parish has extinguished its debt and is prospering under the present rectorship.

April 9th, preached and confirmed four persons in the Methodist Church. Dresbach, presented by Rev. T. K. Allen.

April 10th, preached and confirmed three persons in Trinity Church, Caledonia.

April 13th, preached and confirmed six persons in Emmanuel Church, Rushford. This Church is prospering under the faithful ministration of Rev. Mr. Pritchard.

April 15th, preached twice and confirmed four persons in Calvary Church, Rochester. Mr. Avery, after four years of service leaves here this summer.

April 16th, in St. Mathews Church, Chatfield, preached and confirmed eight persons, presented by the Missionary in charge. Rev. Mr Pritchard.

April 17th, attended the Convocation at Austin and made an address at the Missionary meeting in the evening.

April 18th, preached and confirmed one person in the Congregational Church, Spring Valley.

April 19th, preached and confirmed one person in Ascension Church, Kenyon. Through the efforts of Rev. Mr. Wilkinson the indebtedness of the Church property has been entirely lifted.

April 20th, in the Church of the Redeemer, Cannon Falls, I preached and confirmed nine persons, presented by the Rector Rev. H. M. Johnson.

April 22nd, 10.30 a. m. in St. Pauls Church, St. Paul, preached and confirmed thirty persons, and the evening in St. John The Evangelist Church, St. Paul and confirmed a class of twenty presented by the Rector Rev. E. J. Cooke.

April 24th, in St. Johns Church, Mankato, Rev. T. C. Hudson Rector preached and confirmed seven persons.

April 27th, preached and confirmed three persons in St. Pauls Church, Belle Creek. Rev. Mr. Chandler has officiated in this one field for thirty years. He is full of years and honors.

April 28th, in Trinity Church, Zumbrota, I preached and confirmed seven persons, presented by the Missionary Rev. Mr. Wilkinson. Through the personal exertions of Mr. Wilkinson good progress has been made toward the payment of the debt on the Church. In the evening I preached in Grace Church, Pine Island.

Sunday May 6th, visited St. Paul's Church, Duluth, and confirmed a class of 19 persons at the morning service. In the afternoon organized the Mission of the Holy Spirit, West Duluth, preached and confirmed six persons. In the evening held service in the Church at Superior City, and confirmed a class at the request of the Bishop of Milwaukee.

Ascension Day, May 10th, in the morning preached in the Cathedral, Faribault, and in the evening before the Breck Missionary Association, Seabury Hall.

May 11th, in the Church of The Holy Communion, St. Peter, preached and confirmed ten persons.

Sunday, May 13th, I held service in the morning in Emmanuel Church, Little Falls, and in the evening in Christ Church Royalton. In the latter church confirmed a class of six, presented by Rev. Mr. Cummings.

May 17th, confirmed five persons in Holy Trinity Church, Minneapolis, and in the evening preached at Grace Church.

May 18th, in St. John's Church, Hassan, preached and confirmed two persons at 10:30 A. M. In the Presbyterian Church at Rockford in the afternoon preached and confirmed 18, and in the evening preached in the Methodist Church, Delano. These stations are all under the charge of the Rector of St. Paul's, Minneapolis, to whom their present prosperous condition, under God, is largely due.

Sunday, May 20th, preached twice and instituted Rev. A. G. Pinkham into the Rectorship of Trinity Church, Litchfield.

May 21st, preached and confirmed eleven persons in St. Luke's Church Willmar, presented by our devoted missionary, Rev. D. T. Booth.

May 22d, I preached and confirmed eight persons in Christ Church, Benson, Rev. W. C. Sherman, Rector.

May 23, preached and confirmed seven persons in Grace Church, Montevideo. A marvellous work has been done here under Gods blessing through the indefatigable labors of Rev. Mr. Sayres, in raising the entire indebtedness upon the Church.

May 24th, preached and baptized five persons and confirmed three in Trinity Mission, Granite Falls.

Sunday, May 27th, at 10:30 a. m, held services in Le Sueur Centre, in the afternoon at Cordova and in the evening in St. Andrew's Church, Waterville, where I confirmed a class of four persons and baptized three children.

May 28th, in St. John's Church, Morristown, I preached and confirmed 5 persons.

May 29th and 30th, I held confirmations for the Bishop of Milwaukee in La Crosse and Mauston.

May 31st, in the morning I confirmed 5 Indians in Christ Church Red Wing, and in the evening in St. Mary's Church, Basswood Grove, preached and confirmed 6 persons presented by Rev. J. W. Prosser.

June 1st, held services in St. Pauls Church, Point Douglass.

June 3rd, 3 p. m., St. Marys Church, Merriam Park, preached and confirmed two. 8 p. m., St. Stephens Church, preached and confirmed four.

June 10th, in the Cathedral at Fairbault, ordained to the Diaconate Messrs Wellington, McVettie and A. J. D. Kuehn. In the evening confirmed a class of thirteen presented by Rev Mr. Gardam.

Sunday morning June 17th, in St. Pauls Church. St. Paul, I confirmed a class of thirteen, and ordained to the Diaconate Mr. Edwin Johnson. At 4 p. m. I confirmed four persons in St. Lukes Chapel, Minneapolis, and in the evening preached and confirmed five in St. Pauls Church, Minneapolis.

I now read you the list of Parishes and Missions, by way of recapitulation, in which I have ministered the Laying on-of-hands and the numbers belonging to each.

Fergus Falls (2 visitations).....	10	Hastings.....	12
White Bear Lake.....	2	Shakopee.....	2
Delano.....	1	Becker.....	4
Royalton (2 visitations).....	9	Anoka.....	1
Little Falls.....	4	Sauk Rapids.....	7
Richwood.....	4	Saint Cloud.....	26
Brainerd.....	6	St. Paul,	
Leech Lake.....	1	Christ Church.....	23
Winnibigoshish.....	3	St. Paul's (2 visitations).....	43
Cass Lake.....	1	St. John Evangelists.....	20
Red Lake, S. John's.....	4	St. Mary's.....	2
Red Lake, S. Antipas.....	4	St. Stephens.....	4
Wild Rice River.....	1	Ascension.....	5
Montevideo (2 visitations).....	10	Lake City.....	1
Granite Falls (2 visitations).....	12	Wabasha.....	2
Appleton.....	3	Winona.....	9
Mentor.....	5	Dresbach.....	4
Slayton.....	1	Caledonia.....	3
Wilder.....	10	Rushford.....	6
Sauk Centre.....	2	Rochester.....	4
Albert Lea.....	4	Chatfield.....	8
Blue Earth City.....	1	Spring Valley.....	1
Fairmount.....	3	Kenyon.....	1
Waseca.....	3	Cannon Falls.....	9
Janesville.....	7	Mankato.....	7
Belle Plaine.....	6	Belle Creek.....	3
Rush City.....	2	Zumbrota.....	7
Henderson.....	13	Duluth,	
Brownston.....	2	St. Paul's.....	19
Glencoe.....	3	Holy Spirit.....	6
Minneapolis,		St. Peter.....	10
Holy Trinity (3 visitations).....	27	Hassan.....	2
Grace.....	12	Rockford.....	18

Gethsemane.....	38	Willmar.....	11
St. Luke's (2 visitations).....	32	Benson.....	8
All Saints.....	6	Waterville.....	4
St. John's.....	1	Morristown.....	5
St. Paul's.....	5	Red Wing.....	5
Northfield.....	2	Basswood Grove.....	6
Faribault (2 visitations).....	17		---
Total.....			581

Confirmed by Bishop Whipple 157. Total Confirmations in Diocese 738
Confirmed for Bishop of Milwaukee 28.

It is to be borne in mind that several stations in the above list were also visited by Bishop Whipple, a statement of which appears in his own report.

I have visited during the year within the Diocese 134 different parishes and missions, delivered 227 sermons and addresses, celebrated Holy Communion 65 times, baptized 26 children and adults, married nine couples, buried two persons.

I have ordained three deacons, viz: Messrs McVettie, Kuehn and Edwin Johnson. Ordered one priest, Rev. Chas. S. Ware. Consecrated two churches, St. Lukes, Hastings, St. Lukes, Detroit. Licensed as lay readers, F. S. Hayes, Ralph Russell, Wm. Arey, R. H. Moore, Wm. J. Cordhik, J. E. H. Leeds, A. Harper jr, J. A. Williams, R. W. Hewitt, Jno. Sloan, D. W. Howard, Arthur Chard, W. McVettie, Jas. H. Shawe, Wm. Tuson jr, C. W. Tyler, Jno. E. Simpson, Jas. B. Halsey, C. F. Drake, A. Alexander, G. F. Hoyt, W. W. Mix, F. H. Wolcott, Victor E. Baxter, Wm. S. Evans, Frank B. Millard, C. M. Hardenbugh, Hector Baxter, Chas. A. Henry, 29.

I have transferred Rev. A. A. Abbott to the Diocese of Indiana, and have received Rev. A. S. H. Winsor from the Diocese of Rupert's Land, Rev. Chas. L. Wells from the Diocese of Maine, Rev. I. C. Fortin from the Diocese of Rupert's Land, Rev. J. H. Lloyd from the Diocese of Central New York, Rev. Alfred G. Pinkham from the Missionary Jurisdiction of North Dakota, and Rev. W. W. Fowler from the Missionary Jurisdiction of South Dakota.

I have admitted as postulants Mr. Arthur T. Gessner and Mr. Thomas P. Thurston, and as candidates for holy orders Charles A. Sherman, Wm. S. Crickmar and Wm. Tuson, Jr.

Canonical consent has been given to the consecration of the Rev. J. S. Johnson, D. D., as Missionary Bishop of Western Texas, and Rev. Abiel Leonard, D. D., as Missionary Bishop of Nevada and Utah.

Dec. 1, 1887, on the departure of the Diocesan for Florida the care of the Diocese devolved upon my shoulders, and has continued, with the exception of a portion of April and May, until now.

On Feb. 28th the sum of \$10,060 was presented me by a number of friends of St. Paul, to be used in the purchase of a home. This act of noble generosity, so wholly undeserved, will ever be among the most cherished memo-

ries of my life. My heart goes out to the donors in the deepest and most affectionate gratitude.

During the year churches have been completed at Hallock, Perham, Stillwater and All Saints', Minneapolis, while at Wilder and Dayton's Bluff, St. Paul, churches will be erected during the year. The little church at Fridley Park, so long disused that it had fallen into decay, through the efforts of the rector of Holy Trinity, Minneapolis, has been put in good repair and services resumed. Rectories are being built in St. Peter, Mankato and Glencoe.

Death has taken from our midst one of the clergy, the Rev. E. L. Peterson, of the Scandinavian Mission, Faribault. The Bishop of the Diocese in his address pays a fitting tribute to his memory.

In the death of George Parker Peake, a postulant for holy orders, and a son of our beloved brother, Rev. E. Steele Peake, the Church has lost one of her most promising sons. He was possessed of the most lovable qualities, and readily won the hearts of all who knew him. I loved him as a younger brother, and shall always carry his memory in my heart.

The Diocese and the Church at Albert Lea, mourn the loss of Mr. Henry W. Arey, to whom the Diocesan bears testimony in his address. He was a Christian gentleman of the truest type. That staunch and true supporter and communicant of the Church, Mr. E. Ellsworth, of Cannon Falls, has gone to his rest full of years and honors. His place is hard to fill. Christ Church, Frontenac, mourns the decease of Mr. Ernest Westervelt, for so many years with Gen. McLean, a pillar of the little parish. His quiet, earnest life of simple duty-doing was an example to all. Dr. E. A. Boyd, of St. Paul, one of the oldest Churchmen in the Diocese, departed this life a few days since. Very few men have been more loyal to the Church, or given more of their love and time to her. His feet were always found in the way of righteousness. In the sudden death of Hon. M. D. L. Colleston, the Church at Mankato loses an intelligent and active communicant. Mr. Colleston was for many years an instructor in Shattuck School, and was well and favorably known throughout the Diocese. Of faithful women gone to the rest of Paradise I call to mind Mrs. D. T. Booth, of Willmar, Mrs. T. C. Kurtz, of Moorhead, Mrs. W. S. Martin, of Brainerd, and the aged Mrs. Tanner, of Little Falls. They were always seeking to do the work of the Master, and now have been called to the same service in the higher sphere.

INDIAN MISSIONS.

In my account of visitations will be found a brief sketch of my visitation to the missions in our Indian field in Northern Minnesota. We have at work in this vast region one white clergyman, Rev. J. A. Gilfillan, who is the efficient superintendent, one native Ojibbway priest, Rev. J. J. Johnson (Enmegahbowh), for many years pastor of St. Columba's Church, White Earth, and seven native deacons, all in active work. Services are being maintained at many different points, and good results in the way of educa-

tion and Christianizing are being reached. The plan of Indian convocations has been found most helpful. I would suggest that the Indian field be made an independent convocation, and that a Dean be formally appointed thereto. Two white clergymen in addition to the present one are greatly needed. An appeal has been made for their support, and the means are forthcoming. We now wait the offering of the men for the work. It is a life of heroic self-sacrifice, but of untold blessing.

THE HOSPITALS.

St. Luke's Hospital, Duluth, has been filled to overflowing during the entire year, and plans are being made for the erection of a larger and more convenient building. St. Barnabas Hospital, Minneapolis, has had a most successful year, and proved a great blessing to the sick and suffering. St. Luke's Hospital, St. Paul, is hampered and limited in its wide field of usefulness by its inconvenient and dilapidated building. The time has come when a new hospital is an absolute necessity. Lots have been purchased and plans drawn for it. The Churchmen of St. Paul should at once see to it that the means are not wanting. What more blessed object can be found for benefactions than these homes for God's sick, suffering and poor?

THE SHELTERING ARMS.

This is our only Church orphanage. It has a good property and a convenient building, but it is sadly burdened with debt. This ought to be removed at once. There is clearly room for this orphans' home, and it has a definite and needed work to do. The faithful ladies who carry the responsibility should be cheered and aided by larger and more general gifts of money. I commend the work to the Church in the Diocese.

CHURCH SCHOOLS.

The Faribault schools are too well known to be given more than a brief reference. The year has been the most prosperous in their history. Seabury Divinity School has had a larger number of young men, coming from many Dioceses, than ever before. They will do excellent work for the Church in the years to come. The endowments are not yet sufficient to support the school. Minnesota owes so much to Seabury that every parish should remember it in its offerings during the year. We can no longer hope to receive the aid from the East as in other years.

Shattuck School has become one of the famous schools of the land. It has won this position by the honesty and thoroughness of its work. Its deserved prosperity is owing in a large degree to its able and faithful rector, who has grown gray in its service. The completion of the magnificent Shumway Hall, the gift of that noble Christian woman, Mrs. Shumway Huntington, has increased the efficiency of the school to a wonderful degree. The full realization of all the plans at present contemplated would make Shattuck School easily the best equipped school in the United States. God speed the day.

St. Mary's Hall has been entirely filled with excellent students during the entire year. Good work has been done, and its future prospects are

full of cheer. We regret to lose the Principal who has been with us for the two years past, but her successor, by long experience in the school, is well qualified to fill this important position.

The Bishop Whipple School, at Moorhead, has had a year of pecuniary trials, owing to the failure of crops in that region. It is to be hoped that some way may be found out of its present difficulties, and that it may go on doing the good work which for many years it has been doing.

The Breck Farm School at Wilder opened in a modest way last autumn. It is an experiment, with good prospects of doing excellent work if the plans of its founder can be realized. It has a wise board of trustees, who will doubtless be able to bring all matters to a successful issue.

THE MINNESOTA BRANCH OF THE WOMAN'S AUXILIARY.

The Woman's Auxiliary held its annual meeting on Sept. 20th last in St. Paul's Church, Minneapolis, which was the most inspiring and satisfactory gathering in its history.

It gave an impetus to the work which has not spent itself during the year. The report of the Secretary, herewith submitted, shows a gain of \$281.33 over last year, besides the income from several hundred "mite-chests" distributed. Every parish in the Diocese should endeavor to have an active connection with this noble missionary organization, and to send delegates to the annual meeting. The efficient officers are Mrs. Bronson of St. Paul, President, and Mrs. W. B. Folds, of Minneapolis, Secretary.

AGED AND INFIRM CLERGY.

We have now upon our list three worthy men who have worn themselves out in the Master's service. They should be comfortably supported in their declining years. I am glad to know that the offerings for the fund during the year were larger than ever before. Each year ought to witness an increase in the gifts. I trust that in making their wills our friends will especially remember our Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund.

DIOCESAN MISSIONS.

This is essentially a Missionary Diocese, comparatively few of our parishes are self supporting. The foreign element is large. There are but a limited number of large towns. The policy of the Church of Minnesota from the very first has been aggressive. We have planted missions and built churches in more places than any other Western Diocese. The special work of Bishops, Clergy and Laity to-day is not so much expansion as stimulation and sustentation. The state for a number of years has been passing through a transition phase, which has tried the Churches and Missions in our smaller towns to the uttermost. The opening up by the railroads of the vast farming country west of our own borders, the rapid and phenomenal building up of these two great cities, and the comparatively low price of farm products, have sapped the very life blood of the villages of the state. The Church has inevitably suffered from these causes. The wonder is that she has been able, on the whole, to hold her own. The statistics show, how-

ever, a large increase, but this has been confined to the cities and a few of the larger growing towns. We find ourselves to-day, therefore, face to face with a serious problem, and that problem is the sustentation of our work in these villages until the reaction, which is sure to come, sets in, and they are able once more to press forward. The solution of the difficulty lies largely with the city churches. They are growing at the expense of the country. I know from personal experience the obstacles in the way of assimilating these large accessions to such an extent that they become fully identified with the parish life and work. Yet, nevertheless, it holds true that if the work of the Church in this Diocese is to be fully sustained, if we are to do the work which we can do if we can "hold on," there must each year be an increase of financial aid from our city parishes. Will it come? Perhaps not in the way of increased apportionments, but surely the rectors will see to it that it comes in the way of special offerings and individual gifts. Let the brethren and the clergy keep the missionary idea before their people, let them remember the fact, proven by manifold experience, that gifts unselfishly given for missions always increase the offerings for the parish itself; let them from time to time go out and visit our mission stations and smaller parishes, and then the means to carry on this great missionary work will be forthcoming, and under God's blessing our dear Church will prove her right to live by the fruits which she shall bear. Then, furthermore, let us make our Annual Councils more of missionary gatherings. Let us not spend all of our time in the routine work, needful as that is, but confer together in an earnest way about matters pertaining to the successful working of the missionary system. This subject will come before you in the report of the committee appointed at the last Council, and I trust will receive your earnest consideration. My whole heart, from instinct and from training, is in this missionary work of the Church. I only ask to be a missionary in the Church of God. It is the highest honor on earth. Will you not, dear brethren of the Clergy and Laity, see to it that my hands are upheld and my heart cheered by your helpfulness extended to our missions, so that I may be able to go on and do the work as well as I know how, which God, through you, has called me to do.

This Diocese is so vast in extent, the largest organized diocese in the land, that I cannot give the personal attention to the individual parishes that is needed or that I would like to give. We need a Diocesan Missionary. Other dioceses that have tried the plan find it most helpful. A general missionary, representing the Bishop and working under him, could do a grand work for the Church in vacant fields and weak missions. We ought to offer at least a salary of \$1,500. If that can be provided we can find the right man, I am sure. Has the time come to move in this matter? I leave it for you to determine.

In the meantime the Deans of the several convocations can do much by visiting the mission stations in their districts and counseling with the people and clergy. The good results of this plan of visitations by the Deans can be seen plainly in our southern convocation.

SPECIAL NEEDS FUND.

When I entered upon my work as Assistant Bishop I began, at the suggestion of a wise and valued friend in the House of Bishops, a fund to be called "The Bishop's Special Needs Fund." All offerings on the occasions of my visitations have been given to this fund. I have not received as many individual contributions to the fund as I had hoped, but the amount received from all sources has been most gratifying, and has enabled me to extend help in many ways which otherwise I could not have done. The amount received for this fund since last Council is \$882.15.

CHURCH UNITY.

It seems to me that every Diocese should take some steps towards making operative and real the declaration of the House of Bishops on the subject of Christian unity. No question is at this time of greater importance. Our branch of the Church Catholic has taken the initiative, has extended the hand of brotherly love and invited fraternal consideration of the great issue. I should be glad to see organized in this Diocese a branch of the Church Unity Society. The matter will doubtless be presented for your consideration by the General Secretary of this society, who is now one of our own Diocesan clergy.

THE CHURCH TEMPERANCE SOCIETY.

We have a branch of this society in the Diocese, and meetings from time to time have been held at the instance of its devoted and efficient Secretary. We ought to make the work of this society more active. Even if you do not form branches in your parishes, will you not see to it that the temperance cause is prominently supported and advocated? Speak out boldly, clearly, persistently for temperance. Do not concern yourself so much about the methods, but work for the principle involved. Let it be clearly understood that the Church is the unalterable opponent of the saloon, and that there can never be a truce declared until these agencies of Satan are utterly suppressed.

As a Diocese we are under great obligations to the Domestic Missionary Board of the Church. Our first missionaries were sent out by this board, and it still continues to give generously to our work. A feeling of gratitude alone should inspire every parish and missionary station at least once in the year to send to it an offering. The same thing in a lesser degree might be said of the American Church Building Fund. This also should receive such recognition as you are able to give.

OUR DIOCESAN PAPER.

The *Minnesota Missionary*, which, for many years was published in Faribault, has been combined with the *Church Record*, and is now issued from Minneapolis under the efficient editorship of Rev. J. W. Prosser. It can be made of great use to the Church by being circulated generally in the families of the Diocese. As the official organ it is needful as a means of

communication between Bishops and people. I trust the Clergy will do all in their power to increase its circulation and add to its interest.

Many other important matters claim your attention, such as a revision of the canons in some particulars, the matter of apportionments and assessments, and canonical offerings. I will not enlarge upon them, but leave their consideration entirely with you.

Finally, dear brethren, I pray the Heavenly Father to give us a right judgment in all things, and that our deliberations may conduce to His glory and the welfare of His Holy Church, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

The offering taken was for Domestic and Foreign Missions.

Divine Service being concluded, The Rt. Rev. Mahlon N. Gilbert, D. D., The Assistant Bishop of the Diocese, took the chair and called the Council to order, under whose direction the Secretary read the minutes of the adjourned meeting which were approved; and then called the roll of the Clergy, provided by The Rt. Rev. The Assistant Bishop, when fifty Priests and ten Deacons sixty in all, answered to their names, took seats, and a quorum of Clergy found present.

The List of Parishes was then called, and the credentials of Lay Delegates placed in the hands of the Secretary.

The Rt. Rev. The President, appointed The Rev. T. H. M. V. Appleby and Mr. Charles H. Strobeck, to act with the Secretary of the Diocese, as a Committee on Lay Credentials.

On motion the Council adjourned until 2:30 p. m.

CHRIST CHURCH, ST. PAUL, }
Wednesday, June 20th, 2:30 p. m. }

Council re-assembled and called to order by the Rt. Rev. The President. The Committee on Lay Credentials reported as follows to the Council.

REPORT.

Your Committee, to whom was referred the Credentials of Lay Delegates

beg to report, that they find the persons named in the list herewith, entitled to seats in this Council. (See list on page 20.)

T. H. M. V. APPLEBY,
CHARLES H. STROBECK, } *Committee.*
ANDREW D. STOWE,

On Motion the report was adopted, the roll of Lay Delegates called, and a quorum found present, whereupon The Rt. Rev. The President declared the Council open for business.

On motion of the Rev. Chas. H. Plummer the ballot was dispensed with, and the Rev. Andrew D. Stowe, of Stillwater, unanimously re-elected Secretary of the Diocese, who immediately appointed the Rev. John W. Prosser, of Minneapolis, Assistant Secretary.

On motion, Mr. H. P. Hoppin was unanimously re-elected Treasurer of the Diocese.

On motion, Mr. E. H. Holbrook, jr., was unanimously re-elected Treasurer of the Episcopate Fund.

Under direction of Rt. Rev. the President, the Secretary then read the order of business for the day.

The Rt. Rev. the President announced the following *Standing Committees*:

ON INCORPORATION OF PARISHES—The Rev. Anson R. Graves, Mr. R. H. Moore, Mr. W. H. Lightner.

ON FINANCE—The Rev. Joseph A. Gilfillan, Mr. W. B. Folds, Mr. Joseph McKey.

ON PRIVILEGE—The Rev. Charles H. Plummer, W. J. Daniels, M. D., The Rev. E. J. Purdy, Mr. O. T. Tuttle.

ON LEGISLATION—The Rev. J. Steinfert Kedney, D. D., The Rev. Thomas B. Wells, D. D., Judge E. T. Wilder, Hon. Gordon E. Cole.

ON STATE OF THE CHURCH—The Rev. Edward C. Bill, The Rev. Theodore C. Hudson, The Rev. Charles A. Cummings, Mr. G. S. Grimes, Hon. Lewis Stowe, Mr. Ruben Warner, Mr. W. H. Eaton.

ON UNFINISHED BUSINESS—The Rev. A. J. Graham, The Rev. T. H. M. V. Appleby.

- The Rev. Anson R. Graves, chairman of the Committee on Incorporation of Parishes, submitted the following, which was adopted.

REPORT.

Your Committee would respectfully report that it has examined the evidence of the organization of St. Mary's Parish, Merriam Park, St. Paul, submitted to this Council, and find them in accordance with the requirements of the constitution and laws of the Diocese of Minnesota, and in conformity with the laws of the State of Minnesota, and recommend the passage of the following resolution:

Resolved, That St. Mary's Parish, Merriam Park, St. Paul, be admitted into union with this Council.

The Rev. Charles H. Plummer, Chairman of the Committee on Privilege, offered the following, which was adopted.

Resolved, That visiting Clergy and Divinity Students be invited to seats on the floor of this Council.

On Motion of The Rev. Charles A. Poole it was, by a rising vote,

Resolved, That the Council of the Diocese of Minnesota sends affectionate greeting to its Bishop, with earnest prayer that God's peace and blessing rest upon him, and that he may be safely returned to his Diocesan home.

On Motion of The Rev. Thomas B. Wells, D. D. it was

Resolved, First, That so much of the Bishop's address as refers to the establishment of a separate Convocation for the Indian Parishes, be referred to a Committee of three, to report tomorrow morning as early as possible.

Resolved, Secondly, That so much of the Bishop's address as refers to a Diocesan Missionary, be referred to a Committee of five to report immediately after the report of the preceding Committee.

On motion of Mr. E. H. Holbrook jr., it was

Resolved, That a Committee of five be appointed to apportion among the Parishes and Missions the several amounts of the Bishops salaries, the fund for Diocesan Missions, and the Council fund.

Resolved, That this Committee be made a Standing Committee for each year with instructions to examine the present assessments and apportionments, revising and correcting and reporting the same to each Council.

The Rev. J. Steinfort Kedney, D. D., Chairman of the special Committee, continued from the last Council, on a portion of the Bishop's address, submitted the following amended report, which was adopted:

REPORT.

The Committee to whom was committed that part of the Bishop's address suggesting that the time of the Diocesan Council be more largely occupied with other than its routine work, report that, in the brief time allotted to them, they have considered the subject, and recommend the passage of the following resolution, viz.

1. *Resolved*, That four Committees, each to consist of three members, be appointed by the Bishop, each of them to take into consideration one of the following topics, and to report measures for consideration to the ensuing Diocesan Council, viz: 1. The Catechetical Work of the Church. 2. The Educational Work. 3. Measures Aimed at Prevailing Vices and Crimes. 4. Missions and Charities.

2. *Resolved*, That the Secretary of the Council, The Treasurers of the different funds, and the Chairmen of Committees be urged and requested to do all possible work in their several functions before the meeting of the Council, in order to diminish the time now spent in organization and routine business.

3. *Resolved*, That henceforth, as far as is seen to be practical, the routine business of the Council shall be, after the first day, done during the morning session, and the afternoons of the succeeding day or days, be spent in the discussion of the matters proposed by the several committees, in order recommended.

4. *Resolved*, That it is desirable, if practicable, that the session of the Council should be extended over the space of three days, and that the several Parishes of the Diocese be recommended to elect their Lay Delegates with reference to such prolonged session.

On motion of Mr. Goldsmith it was

Resolved, That the subject of "The Brotherhood of St. Andrew as a valuable organization in the Church" be the subject for discussion at 2 o'clock p. m., to-morrow (Thursday.)

Mr. H. P. Hoppin, Treasurer of the Diocese, read his report which was referred to the Committee on Finance. (See appendix A.)

The Rt. Rev. The President, announced the following Committee

ON DIOCESAN MISSIONARY.

The Rev. Frank R. Millspough, The Rev. Anson R. Graves, The Rev. John Wright, Capt. J. C. Reno, Mr. Reuben Warner.

And the following Standing Committee:

ON ASSESSMENTS.

The Rev. Anson R. Graves, The Rev. Charles D. Andrews, The Rev. Charles H. Plummer, Mr. E. H. Holbrook, Jr., Mr. H. P. Hoppin.

Mr. E. H. Holbrook, Jr., Treasurer of the Episcopate Fund read his report which was referred to the Committee on Finance. (See appendix "B")

On motion of E. H. Holbrook, Jr., it was,

Resolved, That the arrearages for the Episcopal Fund of the following named Parishes be rebated, viz:

Le Sueur, S. John's.....	\$25 00	Minneapolis, All Saints.....	87 00
Point Douglas, S. Paul's..	6 00	Red Lake Falls	2 00

The Rev. Thomas B. Wells, D. D., in behalf of the Minnesota branch of the Woman's Auxiliary, read the following

REPORT.

Woman's Auxiliary to the Board of Missions.

Report of Work done by the Minnesota Branch from Sept. 1st, 1887, to Sept. 1st, 1888.

Christ Church, St. Paul.....	\$419 50
Church of the Good Shepherd, St. Paul.....	125 00
S. John the Evangelist, St. Paul.....	45 00
S. Paul's, St. Paul.....	841 32
Gethsemane, Minneapolis.....	240 22
Holy Trinity, Minneapolis.....	85 00
S. Paul's, Minneapolis.....	367 10
S. Mark's, Minneapolis.....	744 75
Christ Church, Red Wing.....	143 12
S. Luke's Church, Hastings.....	75 00
Cathedral, Faribault.....	100 00
Church of the Nativity, Wells.....	82 75
S. Paul's, Winona.....	110 00
S. Paul's, Duluth.....	50 00
Darlington Missionary Society, S. Mary's Hall, Faribault.....	302 50
Offertory at annual meeting of Minnesota Branch of Auxiliary at S. Paul's Church, Minneapolis, sent to Bible House for Domestic Missions.....	53 29
Offertory at evening service in same place, Sept. 20th, 1887, sent to Bible House for "Mite Chests":.....	13 00
Total.....	\$3797 80

MARY D. FOLDS, Sec.

The Rt. Rev. the President read the report of the Board of Trustees of the Minnesota Church Foundation, which was referred to the Committee on Finance. (See Appendix C.)

The Rev. George C. Tanner, Registrar of the Diocese, read the following

REPORT.

The Registrar would respectfully report that he has received and has on hand the following journals:

Diocese of New York, for 1886; Diocese of Long Island, 1887; Diocese of Central Pennsylvania, 1887; Diocese of Massachusetts, 1887; Diocese of Newark, 1887; Diocese of Delaware, 1887; Diocese of Pittsburgh, 1887; Diocese of Milwaukee, 1887, Diocese of New Hampshire, 1887; Diocese of Washington Territory, 1887; Diocese of Quincy, 1887; Diocese of Mississippi, 1887; Diocese of New Mexico and Arizona, 1886; Diocese of Western New York, 1882 and 1886; Diocese of Northern New Jersey, 1885; Diocese of Georgia, 1886; Diocese of Vermont, 1887

Also two pamphlets In Memoriam Bishop Lee, of Delaware; one by Bishop Williams, the other by Rev. C. E. Murray.

Reminiscences: an address by Bishop Hare. Fifteen years of his Episcopate.

Other journals and pamphlets are at Seabury Hall, and will be arranged as soon as Johnston Hall is completed, and placed in the library.

The Registrar is arranging in a connected form the history of the Diocese, for future use.

The Registrar respectfully requests all the brethren of the clergy who have assumed charge of any parish during the last two years, or who have resigned any cure, to give him, or to send to him the precise date of his first service in said parish, or of first and last service, and if a new church has been built, the date of the first service held in such church.

GEO. C. TANNER, *Registrar*.

On motion, it was by the Council—

Resolved, That, in view of the great and, to the Diocese, valuable work in which the Registrar of the Diocese is at present engaged, viz., the preparing and writing of the history of the Diocese, from its very beginning, at great trouble and cost to himself, this Council expresses its grateful appreciation, and shows forth the same, by authorizing the Secretary to receive, at this time, subscriptions to aid him in this work.

Subscriptions were secured to the amount of one hundred and twenty (\$120) dollars, and seventy (\$70) dollars collected by the Secretary, and paid over to the Registrar.

The Rt. Rev. The President announced as a Committee on Indian Convocation the following:

The Rev. Joseph A. Gilfillan, The Rev. E. Steele Peake, Mr. F. Farrington.

Mr. Wm. B. Folds read the following, which was approved.

REPORT.

Report of Secretary of the Board of Trustees of the Diocese of Minnesota.

The Board held but one meeting within the past year, ending June 20th, 1888, which was on Sept. 20th, 1887, at which time it authorized the President and Secretary to execute a quit claim deed conveying lots 18 and 19 in block 3 and lots 20 and 21 in block 4 in Crookston's addition to village of Houston to such person or persons, as Edward A. Homer, H. S. Reid and F. N. Goodrich may direct.

Also authorized the Treasurer of Parish at Little Falls, Morrison Co., to rent and collect rents of the Rectory of the Church of our Saviour and hold same subject to order of this Board.

WM. B. FOLDS,
Secretary.

The Rev. Charles A. Poole read the following, which was referred to the Committee on Legislation:

REPORT.

The Committee to whom was referred the matter of systematic offerings, desire to present the following report:

Resolved, That Canon XIII. be amended as follows: Add to title, "and offerings"; add to Canon, "Sec. 2. Offerings shall be received systematically in the Parishes and Missions of this Diocese for the following objects, when not otherwise provided for:

1. Domestic and Foreign Missions, on the 2d Sunday in Advent.
2. Am. Church Building Fund, on the 1st Sunday in March.
3. Bibles and Prayer Books, on the 1st Sunday in May.
4. Church Hospitals, on Whitsunday.
5. Sheltering Arms, on Thanksgiving Day.
6. Seabury Divinity School, on last Sunday in September.
7. Aged and infirm clergy, and widows and orphans of deceased clergymen, on Christmas Day.
8. Diocesan Missions, Bishop's Salary, and Council Fund, on the 3d Sunday in every month in the year.
9. Communion Alms, on the 1st Sunday in the month, when not appropriated as above.
10. At the Episcopal Visitation, as the Bishop shall direct.

Capt. J. C. Reno read the report of the Standing Committee, which was adopted, as follows:

REPORT.

The Standing Committee organized on Thursday, June 9th, 1887, at 2 o'clock, p. m. Rev. T. B. Wells, D. D. was elected President and Rev. Geo. B. Whipple, Secretary.

The following persons have been recommended as candidates for Holy Orders: D. F. Thompson, Wm. Wilkinson, Ernest M. Benedict, Arthur R. Taylor, Chas. S. Ware, J. Wynne Jones, W. W. Mix, Chas. H. Sherman, Wm. St. John Crickmer, Wm. Tuson, Wellington McVettie, Edwin Johnson, Hubert Montgomery Johnson and A. J. D. Kuehn.

For Deacon's Orders: W. W. Mix, Chas. H. Sherman, Wm. St. John Crickmer, Wm. Tuson, for Deacon, only. Wellington McVettie, Edwin Johnson, A. J. De Kuehn.

For Priest's Orders: Rev. D. F. Thompson, Rev. William Wilkinson, Rev. Ernest M. Benedict, Rev. Arthur R. Taylor, Rev. Chas. S. Ware, Rev. J. Wynne Jones, Rev. Hubert Montgomery Johnson.

The committee have given consent to the consecration of the following Bishops:

June. 29th, 1887—Rev. Wm. F. Adams, of Vicksburg, Miss., as Bishop of the Diocese of Easton.

Nov. 29th, 1887—Rev. Abiel Leonard, of Atchison, Kansas, as Missionary Bishop of Nevada and Utah.

Nov. 29th, 1887—Rev. Jas. S. Johnson, of Mobile, Alabama, as Missionary Bishop of Western Texas.

The following appropriations from the fund for Aged and Infirm Clergymen, July 1st to October 1st, 1887:

Rev. Chas. Woodward.....	\$25
Rev. J. J. Townsend.....	50
Rev. J. J. Townsend, to Jan. 1st, 1888	75
Rev. S. P. Chandler.....	50

Jan. 23, 1888—The usual stipends to the aged and infirm clergy, was continued as usual for the quarter ending April 1st, 1888.

March 7, 1888—Rev. J. J. Townsend was increased to \$125 for the 2d quarter, ending July 1st, 1888.

The Committee gave consent to the mortgaging of St. John's Church, Mankato, by the "Rector, Church Wardens and Vestrymen," to the amount of \$1000 (one thousand dollars) for the purpose of building a rectory.

During the year the Standing Committee held nine (9) meetings for the transaction of business.

June 20th, 1888.

JOHN C. RENO,
Secretary, pro tem.

Judge E. T. Wilder, of the Committee on Legislation, submitted the following, which, on motion of the Rev.

Charles A. Cummings, was made the subject of discussion for the hour of 10 a. m. to-morrow,—Thursday.

Resolved, That Canon XIV. of this Diocese, be and the same hereby is amended by striking from said Canon the word "Wednesday" and inserting in place thereof the word "Tuesday."

J. S. KEDNEY, *Chairman*.

On motion of Rev. Wm. C. Pope, it was—

Resolved, That so much of the Bishop's address as refers to the Church Temperance Society, be referred to a special committee to report to-morrow.

The Rt. Rev. The President, appointed the following as such committee:

The Rev. R. E. Metcalf, The Rev. Wm. B. Hamilton, Mr. J. W. Groves.

On motion, the Council adjourned until 8 o'clock, p. m.

CHRIST CHURCH, ST. PAUL, }
Wednesday, June 20th, 8 P. M. }

Council re-assembled, and called to order by the Rt. Rev. The President, as a Missionary Meeting. Evening Prayer was said by the Rev. Charles D. Andrews, Rector of Christ Church, after which The Rt. Rev. The President, introduced the Rev. Charles Wright, (Indian Deacon), who, through his interpreter, the Rev. J. A. Gilfillan, addressed the meeting in the interest of Indian Missions. The Rev. Anson R. Graves, Secretary of the Diocesan Board of Missions, read the following

REPORT:

The Diocesan Board of Missions has met seven times during the past year, and has done an unusual amount of original and aggressive work. Twenty-four Missionaries have been appointed by the Board to serve at 54 different stations. In addition, 16 Missionaries, aided by the General Board of Domestic Missions, have had their stipends and work apportioned them by this Board. All these Missionaries, under the stimulating guidance of the Assistant Bishop, and often by his personal help, have been doing excellent work in the Mission field of the Diocese. Probably more has been accomplished in the last year than in any previous year for a long time.

Within the last year the Board has made three new departures in work,

worthy of notice. The first was a resolution passed at a meeting on the 20th of last June, as follows:

Resolved, That the appropriations hereafter be made to the *Missionary stations* instead of to the *Missionaries*.

This secures to the smaller stations service and interest, which, from their lack of importance, might otherwise be wanting. It also encourages these small stations with the knowledge that they are directly in the care of the *Missionary Board*.


The second new feature of the work grew out of the following resolution passed at the same meeting on the 20th of last June.

"*Resolved* that it is the sense of this Board that the *Missionary work* in St. Paul and Minneapolis be carried on by the united efforts of the parishes in each city, and that a meeting of the *Missionary Board* with the *Rectors* and *Churchmen* of each city be called in Christ Church, St. Paul, June 29th, and in St. Marks Church, Minneapolis, June 30th, to consider the *Missionary work* of each city." As a result of these meetings a *City Missionary Society* was formed in each city, each of which has engaged the services of an active *Missionary*, and thus far have paid their stipends without recourse to the funds of the Board. This movement has added largely to the *Missionary force* of the *Diocese*.

The third new venture of the Board was the re-editing and republishing of the *Missionary tract* entitled "The Church and Her Ways." This comprehensive little tract contains a clear explanation of the doctrine, worship and peculiar features of the Church, designed for those brought up without the fold. Electrotypes plates were procured, and an edition of 15,000 printed. This edition has been disposed of in all parts of the country and in Canada, and another edition of 10,000 is ordered. It is sold to people within the *Diocese* at 75 cents per hundred, and to those outside at one cent each, post paid. Besides paying for the plates, the first edition netted some profit to the Board, and hereafter we may hope for more. But the profit is a small matter compared with the good we believe the tract is doing in many *Dioceses*.

On the whole, the past year has been most fruitful in *Missionary enterprise*. The Board yearns for larger offerings the coming year, to improve our ever increasing opportunities.

After concluding his report, Mr. Graves spoke earnestly and feelingly in support of the *Missionary* and his grand and noble work. He was followed by one of the field *Missionaries* The Rev. Charles S. Ware, of southwestern Minnesota; also, by The Rev. Wm. Wilkinson, both of whom spoke earnestly on the subject of *Missions*. The Rt. Rev. the President, addressed the meeting in conclusion, and announced the following *Committees*:



ON THE CATECHETICAL WORK OF THE CHURCH—

The Rev. Samuel Currie, the Rev. Charles E. Hixon, Mr. W. P. Howe.

ON THE EDUCATIONAL WORK OF THE CHURCH—

Rev. James Dobbin, D. D., The Rev. J. Steinfert Kedney, D. D., Mr. R. H. Sanford.

ON MEASURES AIMED AT PREVAILING VICES AND CRIMES—

The Rev. A. J. Graham, The Rev. D. F. Thompson, Mr. P. Baldy.

ON MISSIONS AND CHARITIES—

The Rev. William Gardam, The Rev. Theodore C. Hudson, Mr. E. H. Holbrook, Jr.

The offering taken was for Diocesan Missions.

On motion the Council adjourned until 9 o'clock A. M. to-morrow, Thursday.

THIRD DAY.

CHRIST CHURCH, ST. PAUL, }
Thursday, June 21st, 9 A. M. }

Pursuant to adjournment, the Council re-assembled at 9 A. M.

After Morning Prayer, conducted by the Rev. Fred W. Smith (Indian Deacon), The Rev. Charles E. Hixon, The Rev. A. G. Pinkham, The Assistant Bishop pronouncing the Benediction, The Rt. Rev. The President called the Council to order. The Secretary called the roll of Clerical and Lay Delegates and read the minutes of the previous sessions, which were corrected and approved.

On motion of The Rev. Frank R. Millspaugh, Mr. Fred Farrington of Holy Trinity, Minneapolis, was appointed Second Assistant Secretary of the Council, to make a proper report of the proceedings of the Council for the Daily Press.

On motion of The Rev. William Wilkirson, it was—

Resolved, That the Rev. Wm. C. Pope, M. A., be a Committee to find out and report to the next Council, in whom the title to all the Churches, parsonages, and other Church property is vested in this Diocese.

The Rev. J. Steinfort Kedney, D. D., Chairman of the Committee on Legislation, submitted the following, which on motion was adopted:

REPORT.

The Committee to whom was referred the matter of Systematic Offerings, desire to make the following report:

Resolved, That Canon XIII. be amended as follows: Add to title, "and offerings"; add to Canon, "Sec. 2. It shall be the duty of every Rector of a Parish, or incumbent of a Mission Station, to cause to be made annually an offering or contribution, from his Church or Congregation, for each of the following objects, viz: for the Diocesan or Council Fund; for the Bishops' salaries; for the Missions of the Diocese, and for the fund for the support of aged and infirm Clergymen.

Resolved, As the sense of this Council, that it is desirable that each Church or Congregation shall make its offerings systematically, and that there should be as far as possible, uniformity of time for the same throughout the Diocese; and it is therefore recommended, that contributions be made for the following objects, and at the times, determined upon by the original Committee, to whom this resolution is referred:

1. Domestic and Foreign Missions; 2. American Church Building Fund; 3. Bible and Prayer Book Society; 4. Church Hospitals; 5. Sheltering Arms; 6. Seabury Divinity School.

The Rt. Rev. The President announced the Committee to nominate a Missionary Board, as follows:

The Rev. John Wright, The Rev. James Dobbin, D. D., Maj. J. P. Pond.

The hour having arrived for the consideration of the proposed amendment to Canon XIV., on motion debate was fixed at three minutes for each speech; when The Rev. John Wright submitted the following resolution:

Resolved, That the annual sessions of the Council be fixed by the Committee on Legislation so as to include one Sunday.

After much discussion, on motion, the resolution was laid on the table; whereupon The Rev. James Dobbin, D. D., offered the following:

Resolved, That Canon XIV. be and the same hereby is amended so as to read as follows: The annual meeting of the Council shall be holden on the fourth Wednesday in May of each year, at such place as shall be designated by the next preceding Council.

Sec. 2. For the purpose of the Parochial and Clerical Reports, the Council year shall end with the first of May inclusive.

On motion the above resolution was referred to a special Committee of three, to be appointed by the Chair, to report at the next annual Council,

The Rt. Rev. the President appointed as such special Committee, the following:

The Rev. James Dobbin, D. D., The Rev. Thomas B. Wells, D. D., Mr. W. H. Lightner.

The Rev. John Wright, Chairman of the Committee appointed to nominate a Diocesan Board of Missions, made the following nominations which, on motion, were elected:

The Rev. Anson R. Graves, The Rev. Wm. H. Knowlton, The Rev. Frank R. Millsbaugh, The Rev. Charles D. Andrews, Hon. I. Atwater, Mr. Wm. B. Folds, Mr. J. H. Ames, Mr. Reuben Warner. The Deans of the Conventions and Treasurer of the Diocese *ex officio*.

The Rev. R. E. Meltcalf read the following report which was adopted:

REPORT.

Your Committee to whom was referred so much of the Bishop's address as related to the Church Temperance Society, beg leave most respectfully to submit the following report:

Inasmuch, As the Bishop in his address has strongly recommended and heartily endorsed The Church Temperance Society, and, *Inasmuch*, As Our Diocesan and many other of our American Bishops have expressed their cordial sympathy with this Society and have recommended its work to the attentive consideration of the whole Church. Therefore be it

Resolved; That this Council strongly advises each Clergyman in the Diocese to organize in his cure a Branch of The Church Temperance Society.

Resolved, That each Clergyman is earnestly requested to preach or cause to be preached to his congregation, at least one sermon each year urging the importance of temperance.

Resolved, That a Committee be appointed to arrange for a meeting, in the interest of the Church Temperance Society, to be held at our next annual Council.

This Committee takes this opportunity to call the attention of the Clergy to the generous offer of the Diocesan Secretary of this Society, and to advise, as far as practicable, that they avail themselves of that offer.

R. E. METCALF,
WM. B. HAMILTON,
JOHN W. GROVES.

The Rt. Rev. The President announced the following as the Committee on Church Temperance Society, as recommended above:

The Rev. R. E. Metcalf, The Rev. E. Jay Cooke, Mr. John W. Groves.

The Rev. Anson R. Graves, Chairman of the Committee on Assessments, read the following, which was adopted:

REPORT.

Your Committee for that purpose, have made the following Assessments and Apportionments for the year ending May 31st, 1889.

Assessments and Apportionments for Year Ending May 31, 1889.

PLACE.	Missions.	Bishop's Salary.	Council Fund.	PLACE.	Missions.	Bishop's Salary.	Council Fund.
Appleton.....	6 00	4 00	1 50	MINNEAPOLIS—Con.			
Albert Lea.....	12 00	7 00	1 50	Grace.....	7 00	5 00	1 50
Anoka.....	10 00	10 00	3 00	Trinity.....	60 00	35 00	15 00
Austin.....	12 00	10 00	5 00	S. Andrew's.....	12 00	8 00	4 00
Alexandria.....	5 00	3 00	2 00	S. Luke's.....	10 00	5 00	3 00
Basswood Grove.....	12 00	9 00	3 00	S. Mark's.....	420 00	25 00	43 00
Becker.....	2 00	1 00	1 00	S. Paul's.....	140 00	35 00	20 00
Belle Creek.....	12 00	9 00	3 00	Northfield.....	15 00	20 00	5 00
Belle Plaine.....	5 00	3 00	2 00	North Branch.....	5 00	3 00	1 00
Benson.....	8 00	6 00	3 00	Owatonna.....	25 00	15 00	5 00
Blue Earth.....	10 00	7 00	1 50	Point Douglass.....	5 00	3 00	1 00
Brainerd.....	65 00	20 00	15 00	Pine Island.....	5 00	3 00	3 00
Brown's Valley.....	3 00	2 00	1 00	Red Wing.....	150 00	100 00	30 00
Brownsville.....	1 00	1 00	1 00	Redwood Falls.....	5 00	3 00	2 00
Breckenridge.....	3 00	2 00	1 50	Reno.....	5 00	2 00	1 50
Caledonia.....	7 00	5 00	1 50	Rochester.....	25 00	15 00	4 50
Crookston.....	20 00	6 00	3 00	Royalton.....	4 00	3 00	1 00
Cannon Falls.....	20 00	20 00	3 00	Rushford.....	15 00	10 00	3 00
Cannon City.....	6 00	5 00	1 00	Rush City.....	5 00	3 00	1 00
Chatfield.....	8 00	8 00	3 00	St. James.....	3 00	2 00	1 00
Clearwater.....	7 00	5 00	1 50	Slayton.....	3 00	2 00	1 00
Dakota.....	1 00	1 00	1 00	Shakopee.....	10 00	10 00	5 00
Detroit.....	5 00	2 00	1 00	Spring Valley.....	1 00	1 00	1 00
Duluth.....	75 00	40 00	15 00	St. Charles.....	7 00	5 00	1 50
Dressbach.....	3 00	2 00	1 00	St. Cloud.....	35 00	22 00	7 00
Elk River.....	8 00	8 00	3 00	ST. PAUL—			
Elysian.....	5 00	2 00	2 00	Ascension.....	15 00	10 00	5 00
FARIBAULT—				S. Mary's (M. P.).....	15 00	10 00	5 00
Cathedral.....	250 00	150 00	30 00	S. Stephen's.....	12 00	5 00	3 00
Shattuck School.....	125 00	75 00	.....	Christ Church.....	550 00	300 00	45 00
S. Mary's Hall.....	50 00	40 00	.....	Good Shepherd.....	28 00	20 00	6 00
Farmington.....	5 00	3 00	2 00	S. Paul's.....	50 00	300 00	45 00
Fergus Falls.....	15 00	10 00	6 00	S. John The Evangelist.....	40 00	30 00	7 50
Fairmont.....	10 00	8 00	3 00	St. Peter.....	30 00	15 00	7 50
Frontenac.....	3 00	2 00	1 50	St. Vincent.....	5 00	2 00	2 00
Glencoe.....	10 00	5 00	1 50	Stillwater.....	100 00	60 00	20 00
Granite Falls.....	3 00	2 00	1 50	Sank Rapids.....	5 00	3 00	2 00
Hassan.....	5 00	5 00	1 50	Sauk Center.....	18 00	12 00	3 00
Hastings.....	35 00	26 00	9 00	Waterville.....	8 00	5 00	3 00
Houston.....	1 00	1 00	1 00	Wabasha.....	22 00	15 00	4 50
Henderson.....	10 00	7 00	3 00	Warsaw.....	6 00	5 00	2 00
Hallock.....	5 00	2 00	2 00	Waseca.....	8 00	7 00	3 00
Janesville.....	10 00	8 00	5 00	Wells.....	15 00	8 00	3 00
Kasson.....	4 00	3 00	1 50	White Bear.....	20 00	10 00	5 00
Kenyon.....	10 00	5 00	5 00	Wilmar.....	20 00	12 00	4 50
Lake City.....	50 00	30 00	15 00	Winona.....	100 00	100 00	25 00
LeSueur.....	5 00	3 00	2 00	Windom.....	5 00	3 00	1 50
Little Falls.....	12 00	8 00	3 00	Worthington.....	5 00	3 00	1 50
Litchfield.....	25 00	15 00	7 50	Wilder.....	3 00	2 00	1 00
Lake Crystal.....	5 00	3 00	2 00	Zumbrota.....	3 00	2 00	1 50
Luverne.....	1 00	1 00	1 00	INDIAN STATIONS.			
Madena.....	3 00	2 00	1 00	Red Lake—			
Mankato.....	28 00	20 00	6 00	S. John's.....	8 00	4 00	1 00
Melrose.....	1 00	1 00	1 00	S. Antipas.....	8 00	3 00	1 00
Montevideo.....	5 00	3 00	1 50	Winnibigoshish.....	3 00	1 00	1 00
Moorhead.....	22 00	20 00	6 00	Cass Lake.....	3 00	1 00	1 00
Morristown.....	10 00	5 00	1 50	Wild Rice River.....	8 00	5 00	2 00
MINNEAPOLIS—				Leech Lake.....	15 00	10 00	5 00
All Saints.....	10 00	7 00	3 00	White Earth—			
Gethsemane.....	300 00	150 00	45 00	S. Columba.....	35 00	20 00	5 00

On motion of Mr. E. H. Holbrook, Jr., it was—

Resolved, That the arrears of S. Andrew's Parish, Minneapolis, for the year 1884 and '85, ten (\$10) dollars, be remitted.

On motion of the Rev. T. H. M. V. Appleby it was—

Resolved, That the assessments on S. John's Church, Hallock, for the year 1887 and '88 be remitted.

The Rev. James Dobbin, D. D., read the following, which was adopted:

REPORT.

Your Committee find it impossible, in the limited time since its appointment, to make a report that is, at all, commensurate with the importance of the subject. The matter of Christian Education; what its scope shall be—to what extent our Church shall undertake the intellectual, combined with the moral and spiritual education and training of our own children, and of all others who might come under our influence; and how the means can be secured to carry on this work, if it should be more generally undertaken than now, is hardly second, in importance, to any subject that can command the attention of this body.

The Rectors of our parishes, whether large or small, and the Missionaries in town or country, are coming to realize, more and more, that the hope of the Church is in the young; that if the Church of Christ is to grow and keep pace with the development of the country; if it is to mold society, leaven the customs of our people, christianize and make effective the charities of the day, and exert the commanding influence over men that the living embodiment of our Lord's continual and living presence on earth ought to carry with it, a generation must be trained up in the principles and practices of the personal Christian life. We must build up the Christian character by example, by instilling Christian principles in the early years, and we can only do this by gathering the future men and women into Christian schools, where the Bible is loved and revered, and where daily worship is taught as a natural and necessary part of the life that is in training for another world.

It is because this subject, in some one of the many forms in which it can be carried on, lies so very near the root of all true success in doing the Church's work, and because our people, as a rule, know and seem to care so little about it, and are doing so little to provide the means for training the children of the country in the Church's way, and in a definite faith in God, that your committee think this is a subject which ought not to be put in a corner when we come together for our deliberations; we therefore recommend the adoption of the following:

Resolved, That the President of this Council appoint a committee of

three which shall hold over during the recess, and prepare a report on this important subject for the consideration of this Council at its next meeting.

JAMES DOBBIN, *Chairman*.
J. STEINFORT KEDNEY.

The Rt. Rev. the President appointed as the Committee recommended above:

The Rev. James Dobbin, D. D., The Rev. J. Steinfort Kedney, D. D., Mr. R. H. Sanford.

The Rev. Joseph A. Gilfillan, Chairman of the Committee on Finance, read the following which was adopted:

REPORT.

Your Committee, to whom was referred the report of the Diocesan Treasurer, the report of the Episcopal Fund Treasurer, and the report of the Minnesota Church Foundation Treasurer, respectfully report them correct in all respects; and offer the following *explanation*: Many parishes received and expended sums of money for Missionary purposes in excess of the amounts reported to the Diocesan Treasurer, and which are included in the Council reports, and not in the Diocesan Treasurer's report, thereby causing a discrepancy in said reports.

J. A. GILFILLAN.
WM. B. FOLDS.

On motion of The Rev. Joseph A. Gilfillan, it was—

Resolved, That the Treasurer is directed to cancel all charges now on his books against "Stations Rev. C. Booth," and "Stations Rev. D. G. Gunn."

The Rev. Joseph A. Gilfillan, of the Committee, on so much of the Bishop's address as referred to an Indian Convocation, read the following, which was adopted:

REPORT.

Resolved, That there is no necessity at present of erecting the Indian field into a Deanery, but merely to give the Superintendent the power, with the sanction of the Assistant Bishop, to assemble the workers and laity of the Indian field, at intervals, to consult over their affairs, the Superintendent presiding.

J. A. GILFILLAN,
E. S. PEAKE,
FRED FARRINGTON.

The Rt. Rev. The President, appointed The Rev. Wm. H. Knowlton to be a member of the Ecclesiastical Court for five years, and The Rev. Anson R. Graves to be a member of the Appellate Court for five years.

On motion of The Rev. Frank R. Millspaugh, it was—

Resolved, That a Committee of three be appointed to prepare blanks for Parish reports.

The Rt. Rev. The President, announced as such committee, to act with the Secretary of the Diocese:

The Rev. Frank R. Millspaugh, The Rev. Edward C. Bill, Mr. W. E. Ladd.

On motion of the Rev. J. Steinfort Kedney, D. D., it was—

Resolved, That the usual sum of one hundred dollars be paid the Secretary of the Diocese for getting out the Journal; and that he is instructed to have six hundred copies of the Journal printed.

On motion of the Rev. Wm. Gardam, it was—

Resolved, That the next Annual Council be held in the Cathedral Church, Faribault

On motion of The Rev. Edward Moyses, it was—

Resolved, That the hour for special discussion, for the afternoon, be changed from the hour 2 P. M., to the hour 2:30 P. M.

On motion the Council adjourned until 2:30 P. M.

CHRIST CHURCH, ST. PAUL, }
Thursday, June 21, 2:30 P. M. }

Council re-assembled and called to order, by The Rt. Rev. The President, who immediately announced the following Examining Chaplains—

The Rev. Wm. C. Pope, The Rev. George C. Tanner, The Rev. Anson R. Graves, The Rev. T. H. M. V. Appleby, The Rev. Charles H. Plummer, The Rev. Wm. Gardam, The Rev. John Wright.

And the following Deans of Convocation—

The Rev. Fletcher J. Hawley, D. D., Honorary Dean of the Northern Convocation.

The Rev. E. Steele Peake, Dean of the Northern Convocation.

The Rev. Thomas B. Wells, D. D., Dean of the Central Convocation.

The Rev. Edward C. Bill, Dean of the Southern Convocation.

The hour having arrived for the consideration of the special subject, "The Brotherhood of S. Andrew, as a valuable organization in the Church," the Council listened



to a very able article read by Mr. W. P. Howe, in which the merits and advantages of the Society were shown forth. The following speakers also took part in the discussion: The Rev. John Wright, Mr. Goldsmith, The Rev. Thomas B. Wells, D. D., The Rev. J. Steinfert Kedney, D. D., The Rev. Charles S. Ware.

The discussion being ended, The Rev. Frank R. Millspaugh, of the committee to whom was referred so much of the Bishop's address as related to a Diocesan Missionary, offered the following, which, on motion, was adopted:

Resolved, That the Committee heartily endorse the suggestion of the Assistant Bishop, as to the desirability of having a general Missionary of the Diocese, and recommend that the Council consider, immediately, some way of meeting his salary.

On motion, the Council proceeded, at once, to raise, by subscription, the required amount to meet the salary of a Diocesan Missionary. Twelve hundred (\$1,200) dollars were subscribed at once, and the subscription list placed by the Secretary of the Council, in the hands of the Diocesan Treasurer; the several amounts pledged, to be paid into the hands of the Diocesan Treasurer, quarterly, in advance.

The Rev. Charles A. Poole read the following, which was adopted:

REPORT.

The Committee to whom was referred the matter of fixing the times for the special offerings included in the resolution of the Committee on Legislation, in their report on the amendment to Canon XIII, report as follows:

The Committee recommend the following dates for these offerings:

1. Domestic and Foreign Missions.....2d Sunday in Advent.
2. American Church Building Fund.....1st Sunday in March.
3. Bible and Prayer Book Society.....1st Sunday in May.
4. Church Hospitals.....Whitsunday.
5. Sheltering Arms.....Thanksgiving Day.
6. Seabury Divinity School.....Last Sunday in September.

And move, that the resolution as thus amended, be printed as a note under Section 2, of Canon XIII.

C. A. POOLE, Chairman.

The Rev. A. J. Graham, read the following which was adopted:

REPORT.

Your Committee appointed to suggest, for discussion, some phases of the subject, "Measures Aimed at Prevailing Vices and Crimes," would offer the following:

1. *Intemperance*.....High License, Prohibition.
2. *Gambling*.....Games of Chance.
3. *The Lord's Day*.....Enforcement of Sunday Laws.
4. *Profanity*.....Parental Example and Authority.
5. *Murder*.....Capital Punishment.

REV. A. J. GRAHAM.

PETER BALDY.

D. F. THOMPSON.

The Rev. Samuel Currie read the following which was adopted:

REPORT.

Rt. Rev. Chairman: Your Committee appointed to report to this Council, upon the "Catechetical Work of the Church," beg leave to report; That they deem the subject one of such importance, that it requires more time for its consideration, than they have been able to devote to it, and would respectfully ask that a Committee be appointed by the Chair at this Council, to report to the next Council, and to bring before that Council such points as are most needful to be discussed upon this subject.

S. CURRIE, Chairman.

The Rt. Rev. The President, appointed such Committee as follows:

The Rev. Samuel Currie, The Rev. Charles E. Hixon, Mr. W. P. Howe.

The Rev. Wm. Gardam read the following which was adopted:

REPORT.

Your Special Committee to whom was referred the matter of "Missions and Charities of the Church," respectfully report as follows:

Recognizing the vast importance of these two features of Church work, and that they necessarily constitute an essential part of all Church enterprise, and an important element in the growth and development of all our Parishes, suggest:

First, With regard to Missions; That every Clergyman should bring the matter before his congregation as often as may be during the Council year, not only as regards Diocesan Missions, but also the General Mission

ary work of the Church at home and abroad. It is only by this means that our people can be informed and their interest and generosity stimulated. Your Committee are persuaded that lack of information on the subject of Missions, keeps the giving of many of our Parishes at a minimum. The maximum can only be reached by a process of education. We suggest that the whole subject of Missions be made an order of the day for the consideration of the Convention.

Second, With regard to the Charities of the Church; The subject is so large your Committee have not the time to consider the matter in its whole extent. We would suggest, however, as a Parochial measure, that an organization be created in every Parish, composed of the laity of the Parish under the Rector. One purpose of which shall be the receiving gifts of money, clothing and other material for distribution among the poor, and the ascertaining of cases of need, and distribution where such gifts can be worthily bestowed. We are persuaded that much available material is lost to the poor for lack of a Parochial organization of this character.

Your Committee suggests that the subject of the charities, also, of the Church, be made an order of the day, for the consideration of the Convention.

WILLIAM GARDAM, *Chairman.*

T. C. HUDSON,

E. H. HOLBROOK, JR.

The Rt. Rev. The President, announced the continuance of the above committee, to report at the next Annual Council.

The Rev. Charles A. Cummings, of the Committee on the State of the Church, read the following, which was adopted:

REPORT.

Your Committee would respectfully report that no business has been referred to them, nor is it possible, in the brief intermissions of Council, to examine in detail the reports of the various Parishes and Missions.

Your Committee find reasons for congratulation in the large increase of communicants reported during the past year.

Your Committee are pleased to learn that, in spite of the fact, that the expense of the Episcopate is increased by the necessity of paying railroad fares, and that a larger number of Missionaries have been supported than ever before, yet the funds for these purposes are solvent, and encouraging for renewed and enlarged work in the Missionary field. We give our grateful thanks to God that our Mission work covers fields more in number and importance than ever before.

The Educational work of the Diocese claims our admiration, by its steady upward progress, Shattuck and St. Mary's having kept their standards well up in the front ranks of Educational work.

Seabury Divinity School has been more largely attended than ever, and our beloved Church seems to be advancing steadily in all departments.

The Committee would recommend that the Committee on the State of the Church be made a standing committee, in order that they may examine records, and make a report of some value to the Church.

EDW. C. BILL, *Chairman.*

C. A. CUMMINGS, *Secretary.*

The Rev. Charles A. Cummings offered the following resolution which was adopted by a rising vote:

Resolved, That the thanks of the Council be extended to the members of the St. Paul Parishes for their cordial entertainment; to the Rector, Wardens and Vestrymen of Christ Church for the use of Christ Church, and especially to the ladies of Christ Church for their very timely lunches.

Resolved, That the thanks of the Council be extended to the railroads who have granted special rates to delegates.

On motion of The Rev. John Wright, it was—

Resolved, That the Committee appointed to draught a form of blank for Parish reports, be empowered to act.

On motion of The Rev. Geo. H. Mueller, it was—

Resolved, That the tabulation of the offerings be printed on the back of the cover to the Journal.

On motion it was resolved to proceed to the election of a Standing Committee.


On motion of Mr. Fred Paine, it was—

Resolved, That the Secretary cast his vote for the following named persons to be members of the Standing Committee for the ensuing year, viz:

The Rev. Thomas B. Wells, D. D., Hon. James Gilfillan, The Rev. Wm. C. Pope, Hon. I. Atwater, Capt. J. C. Reno.

Nominations were made to take the place of The Rev. Geo. B. Whipple, a ballot ordered, and the Secretary called the roll of Clergy and the list of Parishes. Pending the counting of the ballot, Mr. Hargreaves, lay delegate of S. John's Parish, St. Paul, offered the following, which was adopted—

Resolved, That the excellent article appearing in the "Minnesota Missionary and Church Record," June number, addressed "To Wardens and Vestrymen", be endorsed by the Council, and recommended to be read



before the sermon morning and evening, on three alternate Sundays, commencing June 24, in every church in the Diocese of Minnesota.

The tellers reported, on counting the ballots, no election. A second ballot was taken, which resulted in no election.

On motion of E. H. Holbrook, Jr., it was—

Resolved, That the ballot be dispensed with, and the Rev. Edward C. Bill, of Faribault, be unanimously elected a member of the Standing Committee, to fill the place of The Rev. Geo. B. Whipple, resigned.

On motion of The Rev. J. Steinfort Kedney, D. D., it was

Resolved, That the Committee, to whom was referred the matter of fixing the time for the assembling of the Annual Council, be requested to take into consideration the making the assembly of the Council take place on Tuesday at 7:30 p. m., at which time, after the organization, the address of the Bishop and Assistant Bishop may be read.

On motion of The Rev. Thomas B. Wells, D. D., the Council proceeded to the election of a Trustee of "The Diocese of Minnesota", for six years. Nominations were made, and a ballot ordered. The tellers reported the result of the ballot to be that Mr. G. A. Hamilton, of St. Paul, had received a majority of the lay vote, and no election by the Clergy.

On motion of The Rev. Charles A. Poole, on the part of the Clergy, and on motion of Mr. E. H. Holbrook, Jr., on the part of the Lay Delegates, Mr. Hamilton's election was made unanimous.

On motion of Mr. Fred. Paine it was—

Resolved, That the Secretary be instructed to announce the next session of the Council in the three daily papers for three days previous to the meeting.

On motion of The Rev. William Wilkinson, it was—

Resolved, That this Council gives to Rev. Geo. B. Whipple its thanks for his services as a member of the Standing Committee, and expresses its sympathy to him in his sickness, and prays that the truths he has preached to others may be a comfort to him now.

On motion it was—

Resolved, That after the reading of the minutes, and the usual religious exercises, this Council adjourn.

The minutes of the day's proceedings were read by the Secretary, and approved; whereupon, The Rt. Rev. The Assistant Bishop, and President of the Council, appeared, in his robes, and addressed the Council in a few well chosen words; thanking God for His blessing upon the work of the Diocese for the past year; thanking the members of the Council for their hearty co-operation with him, and their earnestness of purpose to hold up his hands in the great Missionary work of the Church in the Diocese, and invoking the grace and blessing of the Heavenly Father upon the great work of the Diocese in the future; and bidding all go forth with courage, in the name of the Lord Jesus, to victory, he prayed for the guiding light of the Holy Spirit upon all, and pronounced the benediction. And the Thirty-first Annual Council of the Church in the Diocese of Minnesota adjourned *sine die*.

Mahlon N. Gibbbs,

Assistant Bishop
Minnesota

Andrew D. Storer

Secretary of the Diocese.

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COUNCIL FUND.

Dr.		None.
Balance from last account.....		\$ 552 50
Receipts during the year on assessment of 1887-8.....		50 00
Receipts during the year of arrears.....		50
Receipts during the year for next year's assessment.....		
Total.....		\$ 603 00
Cr.		
Paid Rev. A. D. Stowe, Sec., preparing journal.....	\$ 100 00	
" " " " chest for documents.....	28 00	
" " " " postage.....	29 00	
" " " " printing and other expenses.....	24 75	
" E. H. Holbrook, Jr., Treasurer Episcopate Fund.....	17 50	
" Harrison & Smith, printing journal.....	172 40	
" Hon. W. W. Astor, Treasurer General Convention.....	215 00	
" Treasurer's Expenses, printing and blanks.....	4 75	
" " " postage.....	5 60	
Balance in Merchant's National Bank.....	6 00	
Total.....		\$ 603 00

AGED AND INFIRM CLERGY FUND.

Dr.		
Balance from last account.....	\$ 628 56	
Receipts during the year from parishes.....	833 51	
Received from Mrs. G. Hewitt.....	10 00	
Received from Mr. John Wann.....	100 00	
Total.....	\$ 1,632 07	
Cr.		
Stipend to Rev. S. P. Chandler.....	\$ 200 00	
" I. J. Townsend.....	325 00	
" C. Woodward.....	100 00	
Balance in Merchants' National Bank.....	1,007 07	
Total.....		1,632 07

Examined and found correct.

June 20, 1888.

J. A. GILFILLAN,

WM. B. FOLDS,

Finance Committee.

H. P. HOPPIN, Treasurer.



TREASURER'S STATEMENT IN DETAIL.*

for the year ending June 19, 1888, during the year for Diocesan Missions, Council Fund, and Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund, June 7 1887 to June 19, 1888.

PARISHES.	Diocesan Missions.			Council Fund.			Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund—Offerings.
	Appor- tioned.	Paid on appor- tionment.	Payments of arrears and special offerings.	Assessed.	Paid on assess- ment.	Payment of arrears etc.	
Lea.....	\$ 12 00	\$ 8 50		\$ 1 50	\$ 1 50		
dria.....	5 00	5 00		2 00	2 00		
.....	14 00	2 50		3 00	3 00	\$ 1 00	\$ 2 25
on.....	6 00	6 00		1 50	1 50		
.....	10 00	10 00		3 00	3 00		9 00
od Grove.....	12 00			3 00	3 00		5 00
reek.....	12 00	12 00		3 00	3 00		5 00
.....	8 00	8 00		3 00	3 00		5 81
urth.....	10 00	10 00	3 00	1 50	1 50		3 58
rd.....	50 00	50 00		9 00	9 00		
bridge.....	3 00	3 00		1 50	1 50		
's Valley.....	3 00	3 00		1 00	1 00		
nia.....	7 00	7 00	04	1 50	1 50		
Falls.....	25 00	25 00		3 00	3 00		7 69
ld.....	10 00			3 00			
a.....	7 00	7 00		1 50	1 50	50	5 00
ton.....	10 00			1 50	1 50		6 25
.....	5 00			1 00	1 00	2 00	3 50
ch.....	3 50	3 00		1 00	1 00		
ver.....	75 00	38 11		15 00	15 00		11 89
.....	10 00	2 00		3 00	3 00		
.....	3 00	3 00		1 50	1 50		
ult: Cathedral.....	250 00		114 69	30 00	30 00		46 75
Shattuck School.....	100 00	100 00					23 22
S. Mary's Hall.....	50 00	50 00					
ent.....	10 00	10 00		3 00	3 00		10 29
gton.....	10 00			3 00			
Falls.....	15 00			6 00			
nac.....	3 00	3 00	40	1 50			
e.....	10 00	10 00		1 50	1 50		
's Falls.....	3 00	3 00		1 50	1 50		
e.....	3 00			1 00			
.....	7 00		7 00	1 50		1 00	1 50
gs.....	36 00	36 00	9 00	9 00	9 00		9 00
son.....	5 00	5 00		2 00	2 00		
m.....	3 00			1 00			
ille.....	10 00	10 00		3 00	3 00		10 44
.....	4 00	2 50		1 50			
.....	10 00	10 00		5 00	5 00		4 50
ity.....	65 00	50 00		13 50	13 50		9 25
rystal.....	5 00			2 00	2 00		2 50
ar.....	15 00			4 50			
eld.....	25 00	25 00		7 50	7 50	5 00	11 00
Falls.....	12 00		12 00	3 00		2 00	
to.....	28 00	10 30		3 00	6 00		13 35
a.....	3 00	3 00		1 50	1 50		
ideo.....	5 00	5 00		1 50	1 50		2 00
ad.....	22 00	5 04		6 00	6 00		
po is: All Saints.....	10 00	7 00	5 67	3 00			2 75
Gethsemane.....	300 00	300 00		45 00	45 00		25 00
Grace.....	7 00		7 00	1 50			
Holy Trinity.....	60 00	60 00		10 00	10 00		
S. Andrew's.....	12 00	12 00		4 00	4 00		
S. Luke's.....	10 00	10 00		3 00	3 00		
S. Mark's.....	420 00	420 00	105 00	45 00	45 00		150 00
S. Paul's.....	100 00	100 00	25 00	15 00	15 00	10 00	9 00

*field paid \$2.00 Council Fund in advance, which was included in last year's report. other parishes made payment at the Council (and after this report was prepared), will appear in the Treasurer's next report.

TREASURER'S STATEMENT—Continued.

PARISHES.	Diocesan Missions.			Council Fund.				Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund—Offerings.
	Appor- tioned.	Paid on appor- tionment.	Paym'ts of arrears and special offerings.	Assessed.	Paid on asse- ment.	Payment of arrears etc.		
Northfield	\$ 35 00		\$ 25 00	\$ 12 00	\$ 12 00	\$ 8 00	\$ 4 00	
North Branch	5 00	5 00	5 00	1 00	1 00	1 00		
Owatonna	28 00	16 09		6 00	6 00			2 28
Point Douglas	7 00			1 50				
Pine Island	5 00			3 00				
Red Wing	150 00	150 00		30 00	30 00			41 00
Red Lake Falls	3 00			1 00				
Redwood Falls	5 00	5 00		2 00	2 00			
Reno	5 00	5 00	50	1 50	1 50			1 25
Rochester	25 00			4 50	4 50	6 00		
Royalton	3 00	3 00		1 00	1 00			
Rush City	5 00	3 00	5 00	1 00	1 00			
Rushford	15 00	15 00		3 00	3 00			9 00
Shakopee	15 00			5 00	5 00	5 00		3 15
St. Charles	7 00	4 00		1 50	1 50			
St. Cloud	30 00	30 00		6 00	6 00			10 75
St. Paul: Ascension	15 00	8 50		5 00				
Christ Church	550 00	550 00	296 52	45 00	45 00			244 76
Good Shepherd	28 00	28 00	6 22	6 00	6 00			
S. John's	40 00			7 50	7 50			27 84
S. Mary's	15 00	15 00		5 00	5 00			
S. Paul's	550 00	550 00		45 00	45 00			53 00
S. Peter's		5 65						
S. Stephen's		17 43						6 16
St. Peter	30 00	30 00		7 50				
St. Vincent	6 09			1 50	1 00	1 00		5 00
Sauk Centro	18 00	18 00	3 00	3 00	3 00			10 00
Sauk Rapids	10 00	3 00		3 00	3 00			50
Stillwater	85 00	85 00		18 00	18 00			6 50
Waterville	8 00	8 00	6 00	3 00		2 00		2 00
Wabasha	22 00	22 00	15 75	4 50	4 50			8 35
Waseca	8 00	8 00	09	3 00	3 00			
Wells	15 00	15 00	10 00	3 00	3 00	2 00		17 00
White Bear Lake	18 00	18 00		4 50	4 50			7 00
Willmar	20 00	20 00		4 50	4 50			7 53
Winona	100 00	98 35		25 00	25 00			9 50
Zumbrota	3 00			1 50				
Sta. Rev. E. C. Bill	22 00	22 00		4 50	4 50			
Madelia	3 00			1 00				
St. James	3 00			1 00				2 15
Slayton	3 00			1 00				
Wilder	3 00	3 00		1 00	1 00			
Windom	5 00	5 00		1 50	1 50			
Worthington	5 00			1 50				
S. John's, Red Lake	8 00	8 00		1 00	1 00			1 35
S. Antipas, Red Lake	8 00	8 00		1 00	1 00			2 45
Lake Winnibigoshish	3 00	3 00		1 00	1 00			
Cass Lake	3 00	3 00		1 00	1 00			
Wild Rice River	8 00	2 00		2 00	2 00			
Leech Lake	15 00	15 00		5 00	5 00			
S. Columba, White Earth	35 00	20 00	9 75	5 00	5 00			4 00
"Northfield and Dundas"			5 00		Mission	at Ment or		4 00
Totals	3,938 00	3,274 00	678 63	610 50	552 50	50 50		893 51

APPENDIX B.

DIOCESE OF MINNESOTA.

E. H. HOLBROOK, Jr., Treasurer, in account with The Episcopate Endowment Fund.

1887. RECEIPTS.	
Aug. 23, Christ Church, St. Paul.....	\$ 25 00
Sept. 9, Christ Church, St. Paul, Balance.....	75 00
Dec. 12, St. Paul's Church, Winona, interest.....	7 00
Dec. 14, Gethsemane, Minneapolis, interest.....	70 00
1888.	
Jan. 3, S. John's Church, St. Paul, interest.....	12 00
Mch. 14, S. Paul's Church, Duluth, interest.....	14 00
May 29, S. Paul's Church, St. Paul, interest.....	55 50
May 29, S. Paul's Church, St. Paul, balance.....	500 00
May 30, W. Neil's note paid.....	150 00
W. Neil's interest on same.....	10 80
	\$919 10

1888. PAYMENTS.	
June 16, Treasurer Episcopate Fund—	
Amount income 1886—7*.....	\$ 105 50
Amount income 1887—8.....	169 10
Minn. Church Foundation on account of subscriptions.....	644 50
	\$919 10

*Amount remitted Minn. Church Foundation last year and returned to me this year.

E. and O. E. E. H. HOLBROOK, Jr., Treas.
Minneapolis, June 18, 1888.

Examined and found correct,
June 20th, 1888. J. A. GILFILLAN.
WM. B. FOLDS.

SUBSCRIPTIONS TO ENDOWMENT FUND.

Original amount nett.....		\$15,025 00
Collected and remitted to M. C. F.....	\$11,825 00	
Collected and held in notes—		
Minneapolis Gethsemane, interest paid to May 1, 1888.....	\$ 1,000 00	
Minneapolis, Dr. A. A. Camp, interest paid to May 1, 1887.....	500 00	
St. Paul, S. John's, interest paid to Dec. 1, 1887.....	300 00	
Brainerd, over due, interest paid to Oct. 11, 1887.....	100 00	
Winona, interest paid to Oct. 10, 1888.....	100 00	
Fergus Falls, no interest paid.....	100 00	
	2,100 00	
Balance, uncollected—		
Minneapolis S. Mark's.....	650 00	
Duluth, interest paid to Oct. 1, 1888.....	200 00	
Sauk Rapids.....	100 00	
Moorhead.....	50 00	
Alexandria.....	50 00	
St. Peter.....	25 00	
Sauk Center.....	25 00	
	1,100 00	
		\$15,025 00

E. H. HOLBROOK, Jr., Treasurer, in account with The Episcopate Fund.

1897.		
June 7.	Balance, as per account.....	\$ 2,458 36
10.	Received from Minn. Church Foundation.....	122 50
Sept. 21.	Received from Minn. Church Foundation.....	852 02
1898.		
Feb. 4.	Received from Minn. Church Foundation.....	530 55
June 5.	Received from Minn. Church Foundation.....	551 28
		<u>2,356 35</u>
	Received from Endowment Fund.....	105 50
	Received from Endowment Fund.....	169 10
	Received on account Arrears.....	302 02
	Received on account Assessments.....	2,175 00
	Received from S. Stephen's, St. Paul.....	10 00
	Received from North Branch.....	3 00
		<u>\$7,579 33</u>

CR.

	Paid the Bishop.....	\$ 3,000 00
	Paid the Assistant Bishop.....	3,000 00
1897.		
June 24.	Paid Bishop Gilbert for expense.....	150 15
July 13.	Paid Bishop Whipple for expense.....	32 20
Oct. 21.	Paid Bishop Gilbert for expense.....	108 75
Dec. 5.	Paid Bishop Whipple for expense.....	45 00
1898.		
Jan. 17.	Paid Bishop Gilbert for expense.....	87 05
April 16.	Paid Bishop Gilbert for expense.....	91 35
May 15.	Paid Bishop Whipple for expense.....	25 00
	Paid printing.....	8 25
	Paid postage.....	7 00
		<u>\$ 6,578 75</u>
	Balance cash in bank.....	<u>1,000 58</u>

7,579 33

ASSETS.

	Balance in hand.....	\$ 1,000 58
	Arrears—current year..... rebated 9.....	157 50
	Arrears previous years..... " 43.....	80 00
		<u>\$ 1,238 08</u>

E. & O. E.
Minneapolis, June 17, 1888.E. H. HOLBROOK, Jr.,
Treasurer.Examined and found correct,
June 20, 1888.J. A. GILFILLAN.
WM. B. FOLDS.

EPISCOPATE FUND.
TREASURER'S STATEMENT IN DETAIL.
 JUNE 20th, 1888.

PARISH.	Current Year.			Arrears.		
	Asses- ment.	Paid.	Due.	Amnt.	Paid.	Due.
Appleton	4 00	4 00				
Albert Lea	7 00		*7 00			
Alexandria	3 00	3 00				
Anoka	10 00	5 00	5 00	10 00	10 00	
Avotin	8 00	8 00				
Basewood Grove	9 00	9 00		9 00	9 00	
Belle Creek	9 00	9 00				
Breckenridge	2 00	2 00				
Benson	6 00	6 00				
Blue Earth	7 00	7 00		7 00	7 00	
Brainerd	20 00	10 00	*10 00			
Browns Valley	2 00	2 00				
Caledonia	5 00	5 00				
Crookston	6 00		6 00	10 00	10 00	
Clearwater	5 00	5 00				
Cannon City	5 00	5 00				
Cannon Falls	20 00	20 00				
Chatfield	8 00	8 00				
Detroit	2 00	2 00		8 00	8 00	
Dresden	2 00	2 00				
Duluth	40 00	40 00				
Elvian	2 00	2 00				
Elk River	5 00	2 50	5 50	8 00	8 00	
Faribault—						
Good Shepherd	150 00	150 00		121 88	121 88	
Shumway Mem'l	75 00	75 00				
S. Mary's Hall	37 50	37 50				
Farmington	7 00		7 00			
Fergus Falls	10 00		10 00	10 00		10 00
Fairmont	8 00	8 00				
Frontenac	2 00		*2 00			
Glenwood	5 00		*5 00			
Granite Falls	2 00		*2 00			
Haddon	5 00	5 00		5 00	5 00	
Hastings	26 00	26 00				
Henderson	3 00	3 00				
Houston	2 00		2 00			
Hallock	2 00		12 00			
Janesville	8 00	8 00				
Kaseon	3 00	1 00	2 00			
Kenyon	5 00	5 00				
Lake City	30 00	30 00				
Le Sueur	10 00	10 00		25 00		125 00
Little Falls	8 00		8 00	16 00	8 00	8 00
Lake Crystal	3 00	3 00		5 00	5 00	
Litchfield	15 00	15 00		15 00	15 00	
Mankato	20 00	20 00		20 00	20 00	
Melrose	2 00	2 00				
Minneapolis—						
Grace	5 00		*5 00	5 00	5 00	
All Saints	7 00	7 00		7 00		17 00
Gethsemane	150 00	150 00				
Holy Trinity	35 00	35 00				
S. Andrew's	8 00	8 00		17 00	5 00	12 00
S. Mark's	250 00	250 00				
S. Paul's	35 00	35 00				
S. Luke's	5 00		*5 00			

EPISCOPE FUND—Continued.

PARISH.	Current Year.			Arrears.		
	Assess- ment.	Paid.	Due.	Amnt.	Paid.	Due.
Madelia.....	2 00		2 00	2 00		2 00
Montevideo.....	3 00	3 00				
Morristown.....	5 00	5 00				
Moorhead.....	20 00	10 00	*10 00			
Merriam Park.....	10 00	10 00				
North Branch.....	3 00	3 00				
Northfield.....	20 00	20 00				
Owatonna.....	20 00	15 00	*5 00	5 00		*5 00
Point Douglas.....	5 00		5 00	1 00		*1 00
Pine Island.....	3 00		3 00			
Red Lake Falls.....	2 00		2 00			
Red Wing.....	100 00	100 00				
Red Wood Falls.....	3 00		*3 00			
Reno.....	2 00	2 00				
Rochester.....	15 00	15 00				
Royalton.....	2 00	2 00				
Rushford.....	10 00	10 00				
Rush City.....	3 00	3 00				
Shakopee.....	10 00	5 00	5 00			
Slayton.....	2 00		2 00	5 00		5 00
St. James.....	2 00		2 00	3 00		3 00
St. Charles.....	5 00	5 00				
St. Cloud.....	20 00	20 00				
St. Paul—						
Christ.....	300 00	300 00				
Good Shepherd.....	20 00	20 00				
S. Paul's.....	300 00	300 00				
S. John's.....	30 00	15 00	*15 00			
Ascension.....	10 00		10 00			
St. Vincent.....	4 00	4 00				
St. Peter.....	15 00		*15 00			
Stillwater.....	60 00	60 00		34 07	34 07	
Sauk Rapids.....	5 00	5 00		10 00	10 00	
Sauk Center.....	12 00	12 00				
Warsaw.....	5 00	5 00				
Waterville.....	5 00	3 00	*2 00			
Wabasha.....	15 00		*15 00			
Waseca.....	7 00	7 00				
Wells.....	8 00	8 00		8 00	8 00	
White Bear Lake.....	10 00	10 00				
Willmar.....	12 00	12 00				
Winona.....	100 00	100 00				
Wilder.....	2 00		2 00	2 00		2 00
Windom.....	3 00		*3 00	8 00	8 00	
Worthington.....	3 00		3 00			
Zumbrota.....	2 00	2 00				
Indian Stations—			5 07	5 07		
Cass Lake.....	1 00	1 00				
Leach Lake.....	10 00	10 00				
Red Lake—						
S. John's.....	4 00	4 00				
S. Antipas.....	3 00	3 00				
Winnibigoshish.....	1 00	1 00				
Wild River.....	5 00	5 00				
White Earth—						
S. Columba.....	20 00	20 00				
	\$2362 50	\$2175 00	\$187 50	\$382 02	\$302 02	\$80 00

*Rebated at Council, \$12.00
 ‡Rebated at Council, \$10.00.

*Paid at Council and since, \$109.00.

APPENDIX C.

ST. PAUL, MINN., May 31, 1888.

The Board of Trustees of the Minnesota Church Foundation, In Account with GORDON E. COLE, *Treasurer.*

ANNUAL ACCOUNT FOR DIOCESAN COUNCIL,

1887.		CREDITS.		
June 4.	Balance to credit of "General Fund", per account this date..	\$ 6,621 59		
June 4.	Balance to credit of Excelsior Church Fund, per account this date	81 23	\$	6,702 82
Oct. 3.	Coll. on acc. principal of mortgage note of E. Meier, for \$500.00			200 00
	Total principal		\$	6,902 82
1888.				
May 31.	Income from ground rent leases	\$ 701 40		
May 31.	Income from Rice street stores	755 00		
May 31.	Income from dwellings	2,447 27		
May 31.	Income from interest on Meier mortgage	86 00		3,989 67
	DEBITS.		\$	10,842 49
May 31.	Paid E. H. Holbrook, Treasurer Episcopate Fund		\$	1,947 08
May 31.	Paid E. H. Holbrook, Treasurer, bal. "Ex. Ch. Fund"			*81 23
May 31.	Taxes and assessments on real estate and personal property	\$ 1,788 02		
May 31.	Repairs	81 29		
May 31.	Insurance	40 00		
May 31.	Expenses	12 00		1,926 31
May 31.	Paid bal. building contracts, '54 and '56, Park Place	2,811 64		
May 31.	On acc. construction of brick block on lots 17 and 18 Park Place	3,880 15		6,691 79
May 31.	Balance on deposit to credit of General Fund	\$ 129 60		
May 31.	Balance on deposit to credit of Income Fund	66 33		196 13
				\$10,842 49

*Paid Mr. Holbrook, as Treasurer of Trinity Chapel, Excelsior.

GORDON E. COLE, *Treas.*
by HARVEY OFFICER, *Secy.*

Examined and found correct.

June 21, 1888. J. A. GILFILLAN,
WM. B. FOLDS.

ST. PAUL, MINN., May 31st, 1888.

The Board of Trustees of the Minnesota Church Foundation, as Trustees of "Endowment Fund," In Account with GORDON E. COLE, *Treasurer.*

1887.				
June 4.	Cash received from E. H. Holbrook, Treasurer, as per report to Diocesan Council		\$	10,105 50
June 7.	Cash from E. H. Holbrook, Treasurer			1,075 00
Aug. 24.	Cash, interest from First Nat. Bank on Cert. of Deposit	\$ 100 00		
Sep. 20.	Cash, interest from First Nat. Bank on Cert. of Deposit	40 00		
1888.				
Jan. 24.	Cash, interest from First Nat. Bank on Cert. of Deposit	269 32		409 32
			\$	11,589 82
	DEBIT.			
1887.			\$	100 00
Sep. 20.	Paid E. H. Holbrook, Jr., Treas. Episcopate Fund			
1888.				
Feb. 3.	Paid E. H. Holbrook, Jr., Treas. Episcopate Fund	309 32		
Jan. 24.	Investment in Cert. of Deposit of First Nat. Bank St. Paul, at 4 per cent. per annum if left six months	11,180 50		11,589 82

Mem. The Board of Trustees of Minnesota Church Foundation have contracted for the erection of a brick block of three buildings upon lots 17 and 18 Park Place, in St. Paul, at an estimated cost of about \$15,000. The Board of Trustees has already invested \$3,880.15 of its General Fund in this block, and will use the "Endowment Fund" to complete the same. The block is now in course of construction, and is contracted to be completed about September 1st.

Examined and found correct.
June 21, 1888.

J. A. GILFILLAN,
WM. B. FOLDS.

Parochial Reports.

Albert Lea, Population 4,000, Freeborn County: Christ Church, Vested in Christ Church Parish; The Rev. AMBLER BAILEY HILL, Rector, R. D. P. HIBBS, E. F. GAGE, Wardens.

Number of families, 32. Whole number souls, 119. Baptisms (inf. 6, ad. 4), 10. Confirmations (m. 3, f. 8), 11. Communicants (last reported, 35, added by confirmation, 11), 46. Lost (transferred to another parish, 4, di d. 2), 6. Present number confirmed (m. 8, f. 32), 40. Number communicating during year (m. 7, f. 21), 28. Marriages, 2. Burials, 5. Public Services (Sundays 102, other days 21), 123. Holy Communion (public 12, private 6), 18. Sunday School—Teachers (m. 1; f. 5), 6; Other Officers, 1; Scholars (m. 16, f. 24), 40; Total, 47. Children catechised, 40. Times catechised, 12.

Valuation of Church property: Church building, \$2,400; other Church property, \$500. Total, \$2,900.

Receipts—Communion Alms, \$16.40; Subscriptions, \$451.50; Offerings, \$73.27; Guilds and other like sources, \$180.00; Sunday School, \$6.50. Total, \$715.17.

Expenditures—Parochial: Incidental, \$95.00; Rector's salary, \$600.00; Sunday School work, \$21.13; total, \$716.13. Diocesan: Council Fund, \$1.50; Diocesan Missions, \$8.00; Bishop's salary, \$7.00; Clergy Widows and Orphans' Society, \$5.00. Total, \$20.50.

Total receipts, \$736.63; total expenditures, \$736.63.

Anoka, Population 4,700, Anoka County: Trinity Church, Vested in Rector, Church Wardens and Vestry: The Rev. ANDREW D. STOWE, Rector till April 1st, 1888. JAMES O'KEEFFE, O. L. CUTTER, Wardens.

Families, 30. Whole number of souls, 120. Baptisms, (inf.) 2. Confirmations (m.) 1. Communicants (last reported, 53, added by confirmation, 1), 54. Lost (by transferred to another parish), 3. Present number confirmed, 51; of which there are m. 13, f. 38. Communicating during year (m. 5, f. 24), 29. Marriages, 5. Burials, 2. Public Services (Sundays, 38, other days, 12), 50. Holy Communion, 11. Sunday School, Teachers (m. 2, f. 4), 6; Scholars, 90; Total, 96. Children catechised, 90. Times catechised, 35.

Value of Church building and lot, \$1500; Rectory and lot, \$1500. Total, \$3,000.

Indebtedness, \$275.

Receipts—Subscriptions and offerings, \$110.86; Sunday School, \$25.34. Total, \$136.20.

Expenditures—Parochial: Incidentals, \$17.66; Rector's salary, \$87.60; for Sunday School work, \$25.34. Total, \$130.70. Diocesan—Council Fund; \$3; Diocesan Missions, \$2.50. Total \$5.50.

Recapitulation—Total Receipts, \$136.20; Total Expenditures, \$136.20.

Appleton, Population 1,000, Swift County, Gethsemane Church; The Rev. W. C. SHERMAN, Rector; A. D. COUNTRYMAN, C. W. STANTON, Wardens.

Families, 25. Whole number souls, 90. Baptisms (infants), 8. Confirmations (females), 3. Communicants, (last reported, 43, added by confirmation, 2,) 46. Lost (transferred to another parish) 6. Present number confirmed 40, of which there are m. 9, f. 31. Number communicating during year, (m. 6, f. 20,) 26. Marriages, 1. Public services (Sundays 50, other days 6) 56. Holy Communion, 15. Sunday School—Teachers, (f.) 6; Other Officers, 2; Scholars, (m. 12, f. 28) 49; Total, 48. Children catechised, 40. Times catechised, 8.

Value of Church building, \$1,000; Rectory and lot, \$1,100. Total, \$2,100.

Indebtedness, \$80.

Receipts—Communion Alms, \$15; On Subscriptions, \$250; Offerings, \$30; Guilds and other sources, \$216.77; Sunday School, \$37.41. Total, \$549.18.

Expenditures—Parochial—Incidental Expenses, \$35; Payment of debts, 70; Rector's Salary (amount pledged), \$250; Amount Paid, \$250; Other Expenses, \$137.35; Sunday School Work, \$36.48; Total, \$529.03. Diocesan—Council Fund, \$3; Diocesan Missions, \$6; Bishop's Salary, \$4; Miscellaneous, \$3.15; Total, \$16.15. Domestic Missions, \$4. *Recapitulation*—Total Receipts, \$549.18; Total Expenditures, \$549.18.

Becker, Population 100, Sherburne County; Trinity Chapel, Vested in Parish; The Rev. ANDREW D. STOWE, Rector till April 1, 1888. SAM'L. S. THORN, JOHN HENRY MORSE, Wardens.

Families, 15. Whole number souls, 67. Baptisms (inf. 2), 2. Confirmations (m. 2, f. 2), 4. Communicants (last reported, 26; added by confirmation, 4), 30. Lost, (transferred to another parish), 10. Present number confirmed (m. 9, f. 11), 20. Number communicating during year, 20. Burials, 1. Public Services (Sundays, 19; other days, 2), 21. Holy Communion, 10. Sunday School—Teachers, female, 4; other Officers, 2; Scholars (m. 10, f. 17), 27; Total, 33.

Value of Church building and lot, \$1,200.00.

Receipts—Subscriptions and offerings, \$115.35.

Expenditures—Incidentals, \$12; Rector's salary, amount pledged \$100.00, amount paid \$89.35; For Sunday School Work, \$15.

Recapitulation—Total Receipts, \$115.35; Total Expenditures, \$115.35.

Belle Creek, Goodhue County, S. Paul's Church; REV. S. P. CHANDLER, Rector, (P. O. RED WING). JOHN M. JAMES, GEO. COOK, Wardens.

Families, 11. Whole number of souls, 54. Baptisms, (infants) 3. Confirmations, (males) 3. Communicants, (last reported, 28; added by confirmation, 3), 31. Lost (transferred to another parish), 3. Present number Confirmed, (m. 16, f. 12), 28. Number communicating during year (m. 11, f. 21), 32. Public Services, (Sundays, 64; other days, 12), 76. Holy Communion, 12. Sunday School—Teachers, (f.) 3 other Officers, 2; Scholars, (m. 20, f. 17), 37; Total, 42.

Value of Church building, \$1,000.

Receipts—Subscriptions, \$10.00; Offerings, \$62.35; Guilds and other sources, \$45.02 Total, \$107.37.

Expenditures—Parochial, repairs, \$8.08; Rector's salary, \$10.00; total, \$18.08. Charitable, \$13.00. Diocesan Council fund, \$3.00; Bishop's salary, \$9.00; Diocesan education, \$30.00; Clergy Widows and Orphans' Society, \$20.00. Domestic Missions, \$6.37.

Recapitulation—Total Receipts, \$107.37, Total Expenditures, \$109.45.

Benson, Population 1,000, Swift County; Christ Church; The Rev. W. C. SHERMAN, Rector. A. THORNTON, F. M. THORNTON, Wardens.

Families, 12. Whole number of souls, 50. Baptisms (inf. 7, ad. 3) 10. Confirmations (m. 2, f. 6), 8. Communicants (last reported, 15; added by confirmation, 8), 23. Died, 1. Present number confirmed, (m. 6, f. 16) 22. Communicating during year (m. 5, f. 16), 21. Marriages, 1. Burials, 3. Public Services (Sundays, 50; other days, 6), 56. Holy Communion (in public, 12; in private, 4), 16; Sunday School, Teachers (m. 1, f. 6), 7; other Officers, 1; Scholars (m. 12, f. 18), 30. Total, 39. Children catechised, 30. Times catechised, 15.

Value Church building, \$1500; Rectory, \$1800; other Church property, \$1000. Total, \$4,300.

Receipts—Subscriptions, \$361; Rent of Parsonage, \$110; Offerings, \$90.90; Guilds and other Sources, \$118.85; Sunday School, \$72.82. Total, \$753.57.

Expenditures—Parochial: Incidental expenses, \$46.90; Repairs, \$54.01; Taxes, \$21.98; Payment of Debts, \$182.31; Rector's salary, \$300; Sunday School work, \$57.37. Total, \$662.60. Charitable, \$18.85. Diocesan: Council Fund, \$3.60; Diocesan Missions, \$8.00; Bishop's salary, \$6.00; Disabled Clergy Fund, \$5.81; Bishop's vis. col., \$4.05. Total, \$30.86.

Recapitulation—Total Receipts, \$753.57; Total Expenditures, \$712.31.

Breckenridge, Population 800, Wilkin County; S. Luke's Church, Vested in Bishop. The Rev. WM. MORRILL, Rector. (P. O., Wahpeton, Dak.) C. F. FALLEY, Senior Warden; E. G. VALENTINE, Junior Warden.

Families, 20. Whole number souls, 60. Baptisms (inf. 4, ad. 1), 5. Confirmations (m. 1, f. 3), 4. Communicants (last reported, 31; added by confirmation, 4), 35. Present number confirmed (m. 10, f. 25), 35. Communicating during the year (m. 4, f. 10), 14. Public Services (Sundays, 27; other days, 2), 29. Holy Communion, 4. Sunday School—Teachers, (female) 4; Scholars (m. 10, f. 15), 23; Total, 29.

Value of Church property, 2 lots, \$200.00.

Receipts—Subscriptions, \$135.00; Offerings, \$62.00; Guilds and other Sources, \$24.00. Total, \$221.00.

Expenditures—Incidentals, \$55.00; Rector's salary, \$159.00. Total, \$214.00.

Recapitulation—Total Receipts, \$221.00; Total Expenditures, \$214.00.

Brownsville, Population 500, Houston County; Church of the Holy Comforter, Vested in the Diocese of Minnesota. The Rev. THOMAS K. ALLEN, Rector, (P. O. 133 S. 4th Street, LaCrosse, Wis.)

Communicants, (m. 1, f. 7), 8. Public Services, 10.

Receipts—Offerings, etc., \$27.00.

Expenditures—Repairs, etc., \$20.00

Buffalo, Wright County, Mission. Rev. FRANK R. MILLSPAUGH, Priest in charge, (1215 Hawthorne avenue, Minneapolis.)

Families, 6; Whole number souls, 12. Confirmed persons, 6. Public services, 1.

Receipts—\$1.25.

Expenditures—\$1.25.

Caledonia, Population 1,200, Houston County; Trinity Church, Vested in Diocese of Minnesota. The Rev. THOMAS K. ALLEN, Rector, (P. O. 133 S. 4th street, La Crosse, Wis.,) Mr. WHEATON, ED. H. SMALLEY, Wardens.

Families, 20. Individuals 76. Baptisms, (inf.) 1. Confirmations, (f.) 3. Communicants, (last report, 25; added by confirmation, 3), 28. Communicating during year, (m. 26; f. 34), 60. Public services, 25. Holy Communion, 5. Sunday School—Teachers, (m. 2, f. 5) 7; Scholars, (m. 20, f. 30), 50; Total, 57. Children catechised, 150. Times catechised, 5.

Value Church building, \$2,000.

Receipts—Offerings, \$36.78.

Expenditures—Rectors' salary, \$112.40. Diocesan Missions, \$13.50. Total, \$125.90.

Cannon City and Warsaw, Rice County, Holy Innocents and St. Thomas Churches; The Rev. WM. GARDAM, Priest in charge, (P. O., Faribault.)

Families, 18. Individuals, 45. Baptisms*. Communicants, last report, 18. Present number, (m. 7, f. 11), 18. Communicating during year, (m. 5, f. 8), 13. Public services, 20. Sunday School—Teachers 5; Scholars 23. Total 30.

Value Church buildings (2) \$2,500.

Receipts—Offerings, \$34.50.

Expenditures—Incidental expenses, \$42; Council Fund, \$2.50; Diocesan Missions, \$13; Bishop's salary, \$9; Total, \$66.50.

*Reported in Cathedral Report.

Cannon Falls, Population 1,200, Goodhue County; Church of the Redeemer; The Rev. HUBERT M. JOHNSON, Rector. J. H. ABBOTT, ALONZO DIBBLE Wardens.

Families, 30. Whole number souls (about), 150. Baptisms (inf. 2, ad. 2), 4. Confirmations (m. 3, f. 6), 9. Communicants (last reported, 68; added by confirmation, 9), 77.

Lost, transferred to another parish, 1. Present number confirmed, 76. Number communicating during year, 24. Marriages, 1. Burials, 2. Public Services, (Sundays, 46; other days, 18), 64. Holy Communion, 3. Sunday School—Teachers (m. 2, f. 5), 7; other Officers, 2; Scholars (m. 41, f. 32), 73; Total, 82.

Value of Church Building, \$4,550; Rectory, \$1,350. Total, \$5,900.

Receipts—Communion alms, \$3.65; Subscriptions, \$140.35; Guilds and other sources, \$24.65; Sunday School, \$28.79. Total, \$197.44.

Expenditures—Parochial: Incidentals, \$23.15; Rector's salary (amount pledged \$300.00), amount paid (to date), \$135.00; Sunday School, \$24.18; Total, \$182.33. Diocesan: Council Fund, \$3.00; Diocesan Missions, \$25.00; Bishop's salary, \$20.00; Disabled Clergy Fund, \$7.87; Bishop Gilbert's "Special Needs Fund," \$5.20; Total, \$61.07. Out of the Diocese: Domestic and Foreign Missions, \$14.47; Jewish Missions, \$2.70; Total, \$17.17.

Recapitulation—Total Receipts, \$197.44; Total Expenditures, \$260.57.

The Right Reverend M. N. Gilbert, D. D., Assistant Bishop:

RIGHT AND DEAR BISHOP: I send you herewith the report of this Parish. I took charge of the work here on the 18th of December last. I found the Parish in a good working condition, thanks to the late Rector, the Rev. W. C. Sherman, who is much beloved by all here. It is a pleasure, I assure you, to work in this Parish. Everyone seems so glad and willing to help in every good work. This report covers the period of my Rectorship, *i. e.*, from Dec. 18th, 1887, to May 31st, 1888.

Asking your prayers in my behalf, I remain, Dear Bishop,

Your affectionate Son and Servant in Christ,

HUBERT M. JOHNSON.

P. S. This Parish has suffered much, financially, by the fire last year, and by the death and removal of several of its prominent members. But those that remain are ready and willing to do gladly all that is in their power.

H. M. J.

Chatfield, Fillmore County; S. Matthew's Church. The Rev. S. PRITCHARD, Rector. (P. O. Rushford.)

Families, 50. Whole number souls, 100. Baptisms (inf. 1, ad. 11), 12. Confirmations (f.) 8. Communicants, 8. Burials, 2. Public Services (Sundays, 32; other days, 4), 36. Holy Communion, (public, 12; private, 1), 13. Sunday School—Teachers, (f.) 6; Scholars, 60.

Value Church building, \$1200; other Church property, \$200. Total, \$1400.

Receipts—Offerings at Church services, \$58.59.

Expenditures—Bishop's Salary, \$8.00.

Cordova, Population 150, Le Sueur County; Christ Church, Vested in Bishop Whipple; WM. ST. J. CRICKMER, Lay Reader. (P. O. Faribault)

JAMES FLOYD, Ch'man., THOMAS FRENCH, Treas., N. BURGESS, Sect., Bishop's Committee.

Families, 18. Whole number souls, 54. Present number confirmed, 19. Public services, Sundays, 23. Holy Communion, 2. Sunday School—Teachers, (m. 2, f. 1), 3. Scholars, (m. 4, female 12), 16. Total, 19.

Value of Church Building, \$1,000.

Receipts—Offerings at Church Services, \$14.85.

Expenditures—Parochial—Incidental expenses, \$6.66; Rector's salary, \$8.19; Total, \$14.85.

Corinna, Wright County; S. Mark's Church; Vested in Bishop Seabury Mission. OCTAVIUS LONGWORTH, Lay Reader. (P. O. Clearwater.)

Families, 7. Individuals, 35. Confirmed persons, 21. Communicating during year, 15. Public services, 52.

Value Church building, \$1,000.

Receipts—Offerings, \$38.81.

Expenditures—Council Fund, \$2; Bishop's Salary \$5; Diocesan Missions, \$7; Disabled

Clergy Fund, \$5.00; Bishop Gilbert's Special Needs Fund, \$5.63; Sheltering Arms, \$5 00. Total, \$29.63.

Crookston, Population 6,000, Polk County; Christ Church; Vested in the Bishop of the Diocese. The Rev. IVAN C. FORTIN, Rector.

Families, 40. Individuals, 120. Baptisms, (inf.) 1. Confirmed persons, 30. Burials, 5. Public services, 16. Holy Communion, 6. Sunday School, Teachers, 6; Scholars (m. 20, f. 50), 70. Total, 76.

Value Church building, \$1800; Rectory, \$2500. Total, \$4300.

Indebtedness—\$1620.

Receipts—Subscriptions, \$100; Offerings, \$48; Guilds, etc., \$271.41; Sunday School, \$26. Total, \$445.41.

Expenditures—Incidental expenses, \$30; Repairs, \$40; Insurance, \$50; Debts, \$152.61. Rector's salary, \$400; Sunday School, \$14; Disabled Clergy Fund, \$3.00. Total, \$681.61.

Delano, Wright County, Mission. ANDREW ADAMS, Lay Reader, (P. O. Minneapolis.) The Rev. FRANK R. MILLSPAUGH, Priest in charge, (P. O. Minneapolis 1215 Hawthorn ave).

Families, 7. Individuals, 20. Confirmed persons, 14. Public services, 12.

Receipts—\$20.

Expenditures—Incidental expenses, \$15; Missionary work, \$5. Total, \$20.

Rt. Rev. Sir: Delano and Buffalo should have real hard missionary work. I have not been able to give but irregular service. Affectionately, FRANK R. MILLSPAUGH.

Dakota, Winona County, S. John's Mission. The Rev. T. K. ALLEN, Priest in charge, (P. O. 133 S. 4th street, LaCrosse, Wis.), NOAH BROWN, Sr., NOAH BROWN, Jr., Wardens.

Families, 11. Individuals, 55. Confirmed persons, (m. 3, f. 11), 14. Communicating during year, 9. Public services, 13. Holy Communion, 2.

Receipts—\$47.81.

Expenditures—Rector's salary, \$44.81; Diocesan Missions, \$3.00; Total, \$47.81.

Detroit, Population 1,200, Becker County, S. Luke's Church; Vested in Minnesota Church Foundation. The Rev. E. STEELE PEAKE, Rector, THOMAS RULE, H. E. SARGENT, Secy., Wardens, HORACE A. BOWMAN, Treas.

Families, 20. Individuals, 100. Baptisms, (inf. 9, ad. 2), 11. Confirmed persons, 22. Communicating during year, 26. Marriages, 4. Burials, 9. Public services, 63. Holy Communion, 9. Sunday School—Teachers, (m. 1, f. 5), 6; Scholars, (m. 21, f. 20) 41; Total, 47 Children catechised, 47; times, 3.

Value Church building, \$2,000.

Receipts—Communion Alms, \$30 57; Subscriptions, \$336.00; Offerings, \$71.58; Sunday School, \$6.06; Total, \$444.21.

Expenditures—Incidental expenses, \$40.00; Debts, \$24.10; Rector's salary, (pledged \$386.00), paid \$386.00. Charitable, \$13.00. Diocesan, Council fund, \$1.00; Diocesan Missions, \$5.00; Bishop's salary, \$6.00; Aged and I. C. F., \$3.57; Clergy Orphans and Widow's fund, \$7.56; Domestic Missions, \$6.06; Miscellaneous, \$1.80. Total, \$494.09.

Dresbach, Population, 400, Winona County, S. James' Mission. The Rev. T. K. ALLEN, Priest in charge, (P. O., LaCrosse, Wis.), C. R. CONWAY, Warden; Mr. JOHNSON, Treas.; Mr. J. MOSS, Clerk.

Confirmations, (female), 4; Confirmed persons (last report), 10; Added, 4; Present number, (m. 2, f. 12), 14. Number Communicating during year, (m. 1, f. 7), 8. Public services, 11. Holy Communion, 1.

Receipts—\$53.00.

Expenditures—Rector's salary, \$50.00; Diocesan Missions, \$3.00; Total, \$53.00.

Elk River, population 1,100, Sherburne County, Trinity Church; Vested in Bishop, Rector, Church Wardens and Vestrymen; The Rev. ANDREW D. STOWE, Rector till April 1, 1888. GEO. B. UPHAM, J. F. BALTZELL, Wardens.

Families, 32. Individuals, 109. Baptisms, (inf.), 9. Confirmed persons, last report, 45. Present number, 83. Communicating during year, 21. Marriages, 1. Burials, 2. Public services, 38. Holy Communion, 10.

Value Church building and lots, \$100.

Receipts—Offerings, \$76.81.

Expenditures—Rector's salary, \$59.81; Incidental expenses, \$12; Council fund, \$3; Diocesan Missions, \$2; Total, \$76.81.

Elysian, Population 400, Le Sueur County, Grace Church; Vested in "Diocese of Minnesota." The Rev. JAMES CORNELL, Rector, (P. O. Janesville.) JOSEPH WARBURTON, Warden.

Families, 17. Individuals 67. Baptisms (inf. 6, ad. 1.) 7. Confirmations, (m.) 1. Confirmed persons, last report, 35. Present number, (m. 10, f. 20) 30. Communicating during year, (m. 10, f. 20,) 30. Marriages, 2. Burials, 1. Holy Communion, 11. Public services, 25. Sunday School—Teachers, (m. 3, f. 2,) 5; other Officers, 3; Scholars (m. 10, f. 15,) 25. Total, 33. Children Catechised, 25. Times Catechised, 7.

Value of Church building, \$2,000.

Indebtedness, \$300.

Receipts—Subscriptions, \$76.84; Donations, \$146.17; Sunday School, \$35.00; Total, \$258.01.

Expenditures—Incidental expenses, \$2.60; Insurance, \$15.75; Debts, \$146.51; Rector's salary (pledged, \$100,) paid, \$25; Sunday School, \$33, Council fund, \$1.50; Diocesan Missions, \$3; Bishop's salary, \$2; Total, \$229.36.

Excelsior, Hennepin County, Trinity Church, Mr. Wm. Tieson, Lay Reader. The Rev. FRANK R. MILLSAUGH, Priest in Charge, (P. O., 1215 Hawthorne Ave., Minneapolis.)

Families, 4. Individuals 7. Confirmed persons, 5. Public services, 25.

Value Church building, \$1,000.

Receipts—Donations, \$50; Offerings, \$12; Total, \$62.

Expenditures—Incidental expenses, \$12; Repairs, \$50; Total \$62.

RT. REV. SIB: Trinity Church, Excelsior, is for the most part attended by those who make Lake Minnetonka a summer resort. Mr. Tuson, a licensed Lay Reader, residing at Minnetonka Mills, gives a week day service in the winter at my expense.

Most sincerely,

FRANK R. MILLSAUGH.

Fairmont, Population 1,000, Martin County; S. Martin's Church. The Rev. R. R. GOUDY, Rector. J. A. SINCLAIR, F. A. PATERSON, Wardens.

Families, 30. Individuals, 100. Baptisms, inf., 10. Confirmations (m. 2, f. 1), 3. Confirmed persons, 50. Marriages, 1. Burials, 1. Public services (Sundays 100, other days 40), 140. Holy Communion, 14. Sunday School—Teachers, 5; Scholars, 30. Total, 35. Children Catechised, 30; times Catechised, 30.

Value Church building, \$2,100. Rectory, \$1,303. Total, \$3,400.

Indebtedness, \$500.

Receipts—Subscriptions, \$470.50; Offerings, \$145.65; Guilds, \$145.68; Sunday School, \$11.42. Total, \$773.25.

Expenditures—Incidental Expenses, \$70.01; Repairs, \$109.68; Debts, \$70; Rector's salary (amt. pledged \$500), paid \$500; Council Fund, \$3; Diocesan Missions, \$10; Bishop's salary, \$8; Disabled Clergy Fund, \$10.29; Bishop Gilbert's Special Needs Fund, \$10; Domestic Missions, \$3.37; Am. Church Building Fund, \$5.42. Total, \$799.77.

Faribault, Population 7,000, Rice County; Cathedral of Our Merciful Saviour, Vested in The Bishop Seabury Mission. The Rev. WILLIAM GARDAM, Rector. A. E. HAVEN, S. L. CROCKER, Wardens.

Families, 156. Whole number souls, 721. Baptisms (inf. 20, ad. 5), 25. Confirmations (m. 5, f. 25), 30. Communicants (last reported, 267; added by confirmation, 30), 297. Lost: transferred to another parish, 10; reported in St. Mary's, 5; died, 5. Total loss, 20. Present number confirmed (m. 153, f. 124), 277. Marriages, 10. Burials, 19. Public Services (Sundays 156, other days 185), 321. Holy Communion (public 82, private 3), 85. Sunday School—Teachers (m. 1, f. 10), 11; other Officers, 3; Scholars (m. 85, f. 114), 199. Total 213. Times Catechised during year, 52.

Value of Church building and lots, \$80,000.

Receipts—Communion alms, \$128.25; Subscriptions, \$1,496.77; Offerings, \$887.12; Guilds and other sources, \$762.63; Sunday School, \$88.46. Total, \$3,363.23.

Expenditures—Incidental Expenses and Repairs, \$610.87; Payments of Debts, \$431; Rector's salary (amount pledged \$1,000), amount paid, \$1,000; Sunday School, \$211.64; for the poor, \$119.22. Diocesan: Council Fund, \$30; Diocesan Missions, \$250; Bishop's salary, \$150; Disabled Clergy Fund, \$46.85; Domestic Missions, \$23.09; Foreign Missions, \$34.98; Church Building Fund, \$25.16.

Recapitulation—Total Receipts, \$3,363.23; Total Expenditures, \$2,982.81.

Faribault Shattuck School; Memorial Chapel of the Good Shepherd. Rev. JAMES DOBBIN, D. D., Rector.

Individuals, 198. Baptisms, ad., 1. Confirmations, (m.), 6. Confirmed persons last report, 53; added, 23. Lost by transfer, 18. Present number (m. 51, f. 7), 58. Communicating during the year (m. 51, f. 7), 58. Marriages, 1. Public Services (Sundays 40, other days 234), 274. Holy Communion, 10. Sunday School—Teachers, (m.), 2; Scholars, (m.), 190. Total, 162.

Value Chapel, \$30,000.

Receipts—Communion alms, \$32.26; Offerings, \$216.99; Sunday School, \$13.47. Total, \$262.72.

Expenditures—Diocesan Missions, \$100; Bishop's salary, \$75; Disabled Clergy Fund, \$13.47; Diocesan Education, \$10; Miscellaneous, \$38.50; Domestic and Foreign Missions, \$20.81; Miscellaneous, \$4.94. Total, \$262.72.

Faribault, S. Mary's Hall: The Rt. Rev. H. B. WHIPPLE, D. D., L. L. D., Rector, The Rev. GEORGE B. WHIPPLE, Chaplain.

Baptisms (ad.) 2. Confirmations (f.) 10. Confirmed persons, 65. Holy Communion 1. Sunday School—Teachers (f.) 11, Scholars (f.) 114. Total 125.

Receipts—\$575.00.

Expenditures—Rector's salary \$150.00; Charitable \$40.00; Diocesan Missions \$30.00; Bishop's salary \$37.50; Rev. J. A. Gilfillan (Diocesan Education) \$85.00; Church at Elysian \$75.00; Domestic Missions \$10.00; Foreign Missions \$40.00; Rev. Chas. Cooke \$87.50; Total \$575.00.

Fridley Park, Population 100, Anoka County; Holy Trinity Chapel:

The Rev. A. J. GRAHAM, Priest in charge; (P. O. Holy Trinity Rectory East Minneapolis), Wm. TUSON, JR., Lay Reader.

Families 25. Individuals 100. Baptisms (inf.) 3. Confirmed persons 7. Burials 3. Public Services 31. Sunday School—Teachers (m. 1, f. 2) 3. Scholars (m. 13, f. 20) 23. Total 36.

Value Church building and lots \$1,300.

Receipts—Subscriptions \$284.50; Guilds &c, \$23.00; Total \$321.50.

Expenditures—Repairs \$295.00; Organ \$23.00; Total \$318.00.

Glencoe, Population 2,000, McLeod County: Christ Church; Rev. J. WYNNE JONES, Rector; S. J. BROWN, Chairman Bishop's Committee; A. SNYDER, Treas.

Families 20. Individuals 85. Baptisms (inf. 6, ad. 3) 9. Confirmations (m. 1, f. 4) 5. Confirmed persons, last report, (1896) 20; added by Conf. 13. Total 33. Lost by removal 3. Present number (m. 4, f. 26) 30. Communicating during year, (m. 4, f. 26) 30. Burials 1. Public Services 104. Holy Communion 8. Sunday School—Teachers 3; Scholars (m. 15, f. 30) 45. Total 48. Children catechised 45. Times catechised 12. Value Church building \$2,000.

Receipts—Subscriptions \$3 50; Offerings \$78.39; Total \$128.39.

Expenditures—Incidental expenses \$48.00; Insurance \$16.00; Rector's Salary (Pledged \$400.00), paid \$347.89; Council fund \$1.50; Bishop's Salary \$5.00; Diocesan Missions \$10.00; Total \$428.39.

Granite Falls, Population 1,200, Yellow Medicine County; Trinity Church.

Rev. W. S. SAYERS, Rector. (P. O., Montevideo.) O. J. FOSS, Warden.

(Report begins with Nov. 11, 1897.)

Families, 25. Individuals, 88. Baptisms (inf. 4, ad. 3), 7. Confirmations, (f.), 3. Communicants, last report, 16. Present number (m. 6, f. 20), 26. Communicating during year (m. 4, f. 12), 16. Public Services, 11. Holy Communion, 1. Sunday School Teachers, 7; Scholars (m. 10, f. 15), 25. Total 32. Catechised during year, 1.

Value Church Property, \$50.

Receipts—Subscriptions, \$77; Offerings, \$10. Total, \$87.

Expenditures—Rector's salary (pledged \$150), paid \$75; other expenses, \$10; Sunday School, \$2; Council Fund, \$1.50; Bishop's salary, \$2; Diocesan Missions, \$3. Total, \$93.50.

Hassan, Population 100, Hennepin County; S. John Evangelist Church, Vested in Rector, Wardens and Vestrymen. Rev. FRANK R. MILLS-PAUGH, Priest in charge. (P. O., 1215 Hawthorn avenue, Minneapolis.) SEPTIMUS PARSLAW, JOHN TUCKER, Wardens.

Families, 17. Individuals, 65. Baptisms, inf., 1. Confirmations (m. 1, f. 1), 2. Communicants last report, 28. Present number, 25. Marriages, 1. Burials, 1. Public Services, 18. Holy Communion, 6. Sunday School—Scholars, 14.

Value Church Building, \$500.

Receipts—\$108.25.

Expenditures—Incidental Expenses, \$3.20; Rector's salary, \$83.82; Sunday School, \$10; Council Fund, \$4.50; Diocesan Missions, \$7; Bishop's salary, \$5; Special for Missions, \$1.87; Disabled Clergy Fund, \$1.50; Domestic Missions, \$2.10. Total, \$118.99.

Hastings, Population 4,000, Dakota County; S. Luke's Church. Rev. EDWARD MOYSES, Rector. JOHN R. CLAGGETT, LOUIS S. FOLLETT, Wardens.

Families, 70. Whole number souls (about), 300. Baptisms (inf. 15, ad. 7), 22. Confirmations (m. 4, f. 8), 12. Communicants last reported, 129; added by Confirmation, 12; added by Transfer, 1. Total, 142. Lost (transferred to another Parish 12, died 4), 16. Present number (m. 20, f. 102), 122. Communicating during year (m. 15, f. 98), 113. Marriages, 4. Burials, 14. Public Services (Sundays 102, other days 126), 228. Holy Communion (public 35, private 2), 37. Sunday School—Teachers, (f.) 9; other Officers, 2; Scholars (m. 30, f. 50), 80. Total, 82. Times Catechised during year, 30.

Value of Church Building, \$10,000.

Receipts—Communion alms, \$20; Subscriptions, \$1,023.85; Guilds and other sources, \$306.54; Sunday School, \$34. Total, \$1,444.39.

Expenditures—Rector's salary (pledged, \$1,000), paid, \$1,000; other expenses, \$394.39; Sunday School, \$50; Council Fund, \$6; Diocesan Missions, \$36; Bishop's salary, \$26; Disabled

Clergy Fund, \$9; Sheltering Arms, \$7; Domestic Missions, \$7.33; Foreign Missions, \$7.33; Woman's Auxiliary (1 box), \$75; Jews, \$3.25.

Recapitulation—Total Receipts, \$1,621.30; Total Expenditures, \$1,621.30.

Henderson, Population 1,000, Sibley County; S. Luke's Church; Vested in the Bishop of the Diocese; Rev. A. S. H. WINSOR, Rector; EARNEST WELSH, ALVIN POEHLER, Wardens. (Report for one-half of the year.)

Families 20. Whole Number Souls 79. Baptisms (inf. 1, ad. 3) 4. Confirmations (m. 4, f. 9) 13. Present Number Confirmed (m. 9, f. 30) 39. Number Communicating during the year (m. 10, f. 30) 40. Marriages 1. Burials 1. Public Services (Sundays 30, other days 25) 55. Holy Communion 7.

Value of Church building \$1,200.

Receipts from all Sources—Communion Alms \$12.50; On Subscriptions \$221.27; Donations \$29.15; Offerings \$8.00; Guilds and other like sources \$220; Total \$468.92.

Expenditures—Incidental Expenses \$106.42; Church Building \$220.00; Rector's Salary, amount pledged \$150.00 amount paid \$150.00; Council Fund \$2.00; Diocesan Mission \$5.00; Bishop's Salary \$3.00; Miscellaneous \$2.50.

Recapitulation—Total Receipts, \$468.92; Total Expenditures, \$468.92.

Houston, Population 500, Houston County; Church of our Saviour. Rev. T. K. ALLEN, Rector. (P. O., 133 South 4th street, La Crosse, Wis.) ED. A. HOMER, Treasurer.

Families, 12. Individuals, 40. Confirmed persons (m. 2, f. 8), 10. Communicating during year (m. 1, f. 2), 3. Public Services, 4. Holy Communion, 1.

Value Church Building, \$800.

Receipts—\$167.15.

Expenditures—Repairs, \$150; Rector's salary, \$17.15. Total, \$167.15.

Janesville, Population 1,100, Waseca County; S. John's Church, Vested in Wardens and Vestry; Rev. JAMES CORNELL, Rector. A. W. JENNISON, D. J. DODGE, Wardens.

Families, 30. Whole number souls, 116. Baptisms (inf. 5, ad. 2), 7. Confirmations (m. 3, f. 4), 7. Communicants (last reported 33, added by confirmation 7, added by transfer 11), 51. Lost by death, 1. Present number Confirmed (m. 17, f. 33), 50. Communicating during year (m. 13, f. 31), 44. Marriages, 1. Burials, 3. Public Services (Sundays 100, other days 70), 170. Holy Communion (public 20, private 3), 23. Sunday School—Teachers, 7; Scholars (m. 20, f. 30), 50. Total, 57. Children Catechised, 50. Times Catechised, 52.

Value of Church Building, \$2,500; Rectory and lots, \$1,500. Total, \$4,000.

Indebtedness, \$275.

Receipts—Subscriptions, \$385; Donations, \$50; Offerings, \$364.33; Hired, \$200; Sunday School, \$22.70. Total, \$1,022.03.

Expenditures—Insurance, \$34.80; Rector's salary (pledged \$400), paid, \$340; other expenses, \$290.20; Sunday School, \$19.15; Council Fund, \$3; Diocesan Missions, \$10; Bishop's salary, \$5; Disabled Clergy Fund, \$10.40; Domestic Missions, \$1.85; Foreign Missions, 50c.

Recapitulation—Total Receipts, \$1,022.03; Total Expenditures, \$1,022.03.

Lake City, Population 2500, Wabasha County; S. Mark's Church; Rev. J. WYNNE JONES, Rector. (Took charge June 1st.)

Families, 120. Individuals, 400. Baptisms (inf. 8, ad. 2), 10. Confirmations, 1. Confirmed persons, 166. Marriages, 7. Burials, 7. Sunday School—Teachers (m. 3, f. 14) 17 other Officers, 4; Scholars, 170; Total, 191.

Value of Church Building, \$3,500; Rectory, \$2,500. Total, \$6,000.



Receipts—Subscriptions, \$516.75; Sale of lot, \$10; Offerings, \$170.59; Sunday School, \$25; Total, \$722.34.

Expenditures—Incidental expenses, \$413.24; Rector's salary, \$200; Council Fund, \$13.50; Diocesan Missions, \$50; Bishop's salary, \$30; Disabled Clergy Fund, \$9.25; Bishop Gilbert's Special Needs Fund, \$6.35. Total, \$722.34.

Le Sueur, Population, 2500, Le Sueur County: S. John's Church: Rev. A. S. H. WINSOR, Priest in Charge, (P. O. Henderson.) WM. PLOWMAN, GEO. PLOWMAN, Wardens.

Families, 15. Individuals, 60. Baptisms (inf. 2, ad. 3), 5. Confirmed persons (m. 5, f. 10), 15. Communicating during year (m. 2, f. 8), 10. Public Services, 30. Holy Communion, 6.

Value Church Building, \$1,200; Rectory and lots, \$1,900. Total, \$3,100.

Receipts—Communion alms, \$4.80; Subscriptions, \$89.82; Offerings, &c., \$47.30. Total, \$161.73.

Expenditures—Incidental expenses, \$6; Repairs, Rectory, \$46.49; Rector's salary ($\frac{1}{2}$ yr.) \$110; Diocesan Missions, \$10. Total, \$172.49.

Le Sueur Center, Population, 200, Le Sueur County; Mission: Bishop's Committee: CHAS. H. PURINGTON, Chairman; FRED. PEPPER, Treas.; CHESTER HOBDA, Sec'y. WM. ST. JOHN CRICKMER, Lay Reader (P. O. Faribault.)

Families, 20. Individuals, 60. Baptisms, inf. 1. Confirmed persons, 16. Communicating during year, 16. Burials, 1. Public Services, 25.

Receipts—\$29.35.

Expenditures—Incidental expenses, \$6.66; Rector's salary, \$22.69. Total, \$29.35.

Litchfield, Population, 2,000, Meeker county; Trinity Church; Rev. ALFRED G. PINKHAM, Rector. C. H. STROBECK, J. H. MORRIS, Wardens.

Families, 75. Whole number souls, 375. Baptisms (inf. 41, ad. 11), 52. Confirmations (m. 3, f. 8), 11. Communicants, last reported, 100; added by Confirmation, 11; Total, 111. Lost (transferred to another parish and died), 29. Total loss 29. Present number confirmed (m. 29, f. 53), 82. Communicating during year, 50. Marriages, 6. Burials, 14. Public Services 50. Holy Communion, 10. Sunday School—Teachers (m. 1, f. 4), 5; Scholars (m. 32, f. 33), 65; Total, 70.

Value of Church Property, \$7,000.

Receipts—Subscriptions, \$544.00; Offerings, \$145.70; Sunday School, \$27.50; Total, \$717.20.

Expenditures—Incidental expenses, \$132.98; Insurance, \$15.00; Rector's salary, \$488.15; Sunday School, \$26.75; Balance on hand, \$44.32; Total, \$717.20. Council fund, \$7.50; Bishop's salary, \$15.00; Disabled Clergy Fund, \$11.00; Miscellaneous, \$24.00.

Recapitulation—Total Receipts, \$717.20; Total Expenditures, \$672.88.

Mankato, Population 10,000, Blue Earth County; S. John's Church; The Rev. T. C. HUDSON, Rector (319 S. Broad St.) A. M. SMITH, GEO. W. SLADE, Wardens.

Families, 57. Whole number souls, 215. Baptisms, (inf. 20, ad. 5,) 25. Confirmations, (m. 6, f. 7,) 13. Communicants, (last reported, 88; added by confirmation, 13; added by transfer, 3,) 104. Lost, (transferred to another parish, 12; died 2,) 14. Present number confirmed (m. 30, f. 60,) 90. Communicating during year, (m. 21, f. 55,) 76. Marriages 10. Burials 8. Public services (Sundays, 110, other days, 54) 164. Holy Communion, (public, 26, private, 1,) 27. Sunday School—Teachers (m. 2, f. 4,) 6; Scholars, (m. 14, f. 20,) 34 Total, 40. Times catechised, 4.

Value of Church building, \$5,000; Rectory and lots, \$1,800; Total, \$6,800.

Indebtedness, \$1 000.

Receipts—Subscriptions \$1,000; Donations \$450; Offerings, \$251.29; Guilds, and other like sources, \$300; Sunday school, \$50; Total \$2,051.29.

Expenditures—Parochial: Incidental expenses, \$125.36; Repairs, \$4.70; Insurance, \$27; Rectory building, \$1200; Rector's salary, (amount pledged) \$1,000; amount paid, \$400; other expenses, \$39.50; Sunday School, \$40; Charitable, \$10. Diocesan: Council fund, \$6; Diocesan Missions, \$10.30; Bishop's salary, \$20; Disabled Clergy fund, \$13.35; Miscellaneous, \$11.15; Domestic Missions, \$5; Foreign Missions, \$5; Miscellaneous, \$2.35

Recapitulation—Total Receipts, \$2,051.29; Total Expenditures, \$2,630.21.

Madelia, Population 900, Watonwan County: Christ Church. Rev. DAVID GRIFFIN GUNN, Missionary. (P. O., Wilder.)

Families, 6. Individuals, 30. Confirmed persons, last report, 12; added, 1. Present number, 7. Public Services, 22. Holy Communion, 4.

Value Church Building, \$1,500.

Receipts—Offerings, \$44.

Expenditures—Rector's salary, \$44.

Melrose, Population 1,000, Stearns County: Trinity Mission. Rev. J. F. HAMILTON, Rector. (P. O., Sauk Centre.)

Families, 4. Individuals, 19. Confirmed persons, last report, 8. Lost, 5. Present number, f., 3. Communicating during year, 3. Marriages, 2. Public Services, 22; Holy Communion, 4.

Value Church Building, \$1,000.

Receipts—Offerings, \$58.39; Guilds, &c., \$29.28. Total, \$87.67.

Expenditures—Incidental expenses, \$9.13; Rector's salary, \$72.54; Council Fund, \$1. Diocesan Missions, \$3; Bishop's salary, \$2. Total, \$87.67.

The Sunday School has been re-opened since June 1st, after having been closed nearly a year.

Minneapolis, Population 185,000, Hennepin County: All Saints' Church.

Rev. E. J. PURDY, Rector, 2914 Portland avenue. LEROY ROBERTSON, THOMAS SAEGAR, Wardens.

Families, 54. Individuals, 330. Baptisms (inf. 7, ad. 1), 8. Confirmations (m. 3, f. 3), 6. Communicants, last report, 91. Present number, 123. Communicating during year, 90. Marriages, 1. Burials, 7. Public Services, 121. Sunday School—Teachers (m. 6, f. 3), 9; other Officers, 3; Scholars, 145. Total 157. Catechised, 52 times.

Value Church Building, \$8,000; other church property, \$250. Total, \$8,250.

Indebtedness, \$1,200.

Receipts—Communion alms, \$33.52; Subscriptions, \$516.41; Donations, \$441.50; Offerings, \$240.54; Guilds, &c., \$236.18; Sunday School, \$53.40. Total, \$1,521.95.

Expenditures—Incidental expenses, \$146.44; Insurance, \$50; Church Building, \$465; Rector's salary (pledged \$900), paid \$704.15; Sunday School, \$48.30; Poor, \$33.52; City Mission, \$15.61; Council Fund, \$3; Bishop's salary, \$7; Diocesan Missions, \$7; Disabled Clergy Fund, \$2.75; Domestic Missions, \$5.06. Total, \$1,488.53.

Minneapolis, Population 185,000, Hennepin County: Gethsemane Church:

Rev. ANSON R. GRAVES, Rector, 344 E. 17th street. Rev. W. W. FOWLER, Assistant Rector. JOHN I. BLACK, OGDEN T. TUTTLE, Wardens.

Families, 350. Whole number souls, 1,539. Baptisms (inf. 17, ad. 10), 27. Confirmations (m. 15, f. 23), 38. Communicants (last reported), 751. Present number confirmed, 756. Communicating during year, 510. Marriages, 26. Burials, 34. Public Services, 390. Holy Communion (public 98, private 3), 96. Sunday School—Teachers (m. 4, f. 13), 19; other Officers, 3; Scholars, 250; Total, 272. Number of children Catechised, 180. Times Catechised during year, 52.

Value of Church Building, \$30,000.; other Church property, \$30,000. Total, \$110,000.

Indebtedness, \$32,000.

Receipts—Communion Alms, \$130.95; Subscriptions, \$3,550.00; Donations, \$867.89; Offerings, \$1,357.68; Guilds and other like sources, \$425.00; Sunday School, \$48.06; Total, \$4,519.58.

Expenditures—Parochial: Incidental expenses, \$1,850.00; Repairs, \$285.98; Insurance, \$6.70; Payments of debts, \$40.00; Rector's salary, \$2,000.00; Assistant's salary, \$1,200.00; Rent for Rectory, \$420.00; Sunday School work, 183.06; Total, \$6,785.74. Charitable: For the poor, \$130.95; City Mission work, \$247.67; Total, \$378.62. Diocesan: St. Barnabas Hospital, \$115.45; Council Fund, \$45.00; Diocesan Missions, \$300.00; Bishop's salary, \$150; Disabled Clergy Fund, \$25.00; Diocesan Education (Seabury), \$12.45; Orphans' Society Sheltering Arms, \$35.86; Miscellaneous, \$235.01; Total, \$988.77. Objects out of the Diocese: Domestic Missions, \$75.10; Foreign Missions, \$75.10; Woman's Auxiliary, \$200.00; Church Building Fund, \$13.25; Miscellaneous, \$21.00; Total, \$386.45.

Recapitulation—Total Receipts, \$4,519.58; Total Expenditures, \$3,519.58.

Minneapolis, Hennepin County: Grace Church: Rev. C. E. HIXON, Rector, 1410 19th Street, South; A. H. KITTELL, JNO. PARSLOW, Wardens.

Families, 65. Whole number souls, 300. Baptisms (inf. 24, ad. 2), 26. Confirmations (m. 3, f. 9), 12. Communicants, last reported, 150; Added by Confirmation, 12; Added by Transfer, 18; Total, 180. Lost by, Transferred to another Parish, 16; Died, 6; Total loss, 22. Present Number Confirmed (m. 59, f. 99), 158. Communicating during year (m. 54, f. 104), 158. Marriages, 13. Burials, 12. Public Services: (Mission, 40; Sundays, 130; other days, 20), 190. Holy Communion, 26. Sunday School: Teachers (m. 3, f. 11), 14; other Officers, 2; Scholars (m. 50, f. 60), 110. Total Teachers, Officers and Scholars, 126. Number of Children Catechised, 110; Times Catechised during year, 52.

Value of Church Building, \$4,500.

Receipts—Communion Alms, \$12.00; Subscriptions, \$575.04; Guilds and other like sources, \$367.44; Sunday School, \$30.00. Total, \$984.48.

Expenditures—Incidental expenses, \$75.16; Repairs, \$23.44; Payments of debts, \$40.00; Taxes, \$120.00; Rector's salary (amount pledged, \$700; amount paid, \$647.61; other expenses, \$36.00; Sunday School work, \$20; For the poor, \$3.00; For Mission work in Parish, 12.00; Council Fund, \$2.50; Diocesan Missions, \$7.00; Bishop's salary, \$5.00.

Recapitulation—Total Receipts, \$984.48; Total Expenditures, \$991.98.

Minneapolis, Population 185,000, Hennepin County: Holy Trinity Church: (Pews Rented.) Rev. ANDREW J. GRAHAM, Rector, 408 Fourth street, S. E. WINTHROP YOUNG, WILLIAM LOCHREN, Wardens.

Families, 127. Whole number souls, 612. Baptisms (inf. 21, ad. 6), 27. Confirmations (m. 9, f. 18), 27. Communicants, last reported, 213; Added by Confirmation, 27; Added by Transfer, 38; Lost by, Transferred to another Parish, 36; Died, 6. Present number Confirmed (m. 63, f. 173), 226; Communicating during year (m. 40, f. 135), 175. Marriages, 11. Burials, 23. Public Services (Sundays, 126; other Days, 27), 153. Holy Communion (Public, 57; Private, 7), 64. Sunday School: Teachers (m. 2, f. 9), 11; other Officers, 3; Scholars (m. 45, f. 65), 100. Total, 114. Number of Children Catechised, 50; Times Catechised during year, 5.

Value of Church Building, \$7,000; Rectory, \$3,500; other Church Property, \$11,500. Total, \$22,000.

Receipts—Pew Rents, \$1,474.16; Communion Alms, \$17.00; Subscriptions (Organ), \$1,000.00; Donations, \$172.76; Building Fund, \$223.00; Offerings, \$38.00; Guilds and other like sources, \$376.00; Sunday School, \$94.77. Total, \$3,485.69.

Expenditures—Parochial: Incidental expenses, \$306.00; Repairs, \$194.00; Taxes, \$35.05; New Organ, \$1,000; Rector's salary (Amount pledged), \$1,200; Amount paid, \$1,200; Other expenses, \$30.34; Sunday School work, \$85.00; For the Poor, \$78.50; City Mission work, \$126.60. Diocesan: Council Fund, \$10; Diocesan Missions, \$77.50; Bishop's salary, \$35.00;

Education of Ministry, \$25. Objects out of the Diocese: Domestic Missions, \$9.50; Foreign Missions, \$4.30; Woman's Auxiliary, \$50.00.

Recapitulation—Total Receipts, \$3,485.89 Total Expenditures, \$3,263.69

Minneapolis, Hennepin County; S. Luke's Church, Vested in one of the Members of the Mission. Rev. WM. B. HAMILTON, Rector, (No. 2646 Portland avenue).

Families, 36. Individuals, 140. Baptisms (inf. 20, ad. 9), 29. Confirmations (m. 13, f. 18), 31. Communicants, last reported, 60; added by confirmation, 30; added by transfer, 3; lost by transfer to another Parish, 22. Present number confirmed (m. 32, f. 54), 90. Communicating during year (m. 39, f. 69), 108. Marriages, 2. Burials, 12. Public Services (Sundays 191, other days 38), 229. Holy Communion (public 87, private 1), 88. Sunday School—Teachers (m. 2, f. 6), 8; other Officers, 2; Scholars, 90. Total, 100. Children (ate church), 90. Times (catechised, 52.

Value Church Building, \$2,000; Lots, \$3,000. Total, \$5,000.

Indebtedness, \$3,000.

Receipts—Subscriptions, \$989.87; Donations, \$32; Guilds, &c., \$383.25. Total, \$1,114.92.

Expenditures—Incidental expenses, \$206.90; Repairs, \$160.02; Interest, \$104; Payment of debts, \$100; Rector's salary (pledged \$600), paid \$526; Council Fund, \$3; Diocesan Missions, \$10; Bishop's salary, \$5.

Recapitulation—Total Receipts, \$1,114.92; Total Expenditures, \$1,114.92.

Minneapolis, Hennepin County, S. Mark's Church; (Seat assigned). Rev. THOMAS B. WELLS, D. D., Dean, Rector, (No. 33 South 6th street). C. M. HARDENBERG, W. B. FOLDS, Wardens.

Families, 300. Whole number souls, 900. Baptisms (inf. 18, ad. 2), 20. Confirmations (m. 4, f. 9), 13. Communicants (last reported, 349; added by confirmation, 13; added by transfer, 31); Total, 393. Lost, (transferred to another parish, 13; died, 4), total, 17. Present number confirmed (m. 121, f. 245), 386. Marriages, 19. Burials, 21. Holy Communion, 21. Sunday School—Teachers, 10; other Officers, 6; Scholars, 100; Total, 116.

Value of Church Building, Rectory and other Church Property, \$100,000.00.

Indebtedness, \$5,000.00.

Receipts—Communion Alms, \$320.00; Subscriptions, \$6,500.00; Donations, \$6,790; Offerings, \$577.00; Guilds and other like sources, \$1,389.00; Sunday School, \$125.00; Total \$15,701.00

Expenditures—Parochial and city: Salaries, \$4,853.39; Current expenses, \$1,979.70; other expenses, \$666.00; Total, \$7,499.00. Charitable: For the poor, \$475.00; Sunday School and Industrial, \$180.00; Total, \$655.00. City Mission Work: Church Mission Society, \$640.00; Individual, \$215.00; General City Mission work, \$100.00; St. Barnabas Hospital, \$373.00; other Hospitals, \$135.00; Children's Home, \$331.00; Woman's Exchange, \$28.00; Woman's Home, \$50.00; Associated Charities, \$80.00; Y. M. C. A., \$1,405.00; Total, \$3,337.00. Diocesan: Council Fund, \$45.00; Bishop's salary, \$250.00; Disabled Clergy, \$175.00; Sheltering Arms, \$777.17; Total, \$1,247.17. Missions: Apportionment, \$420.00; Individual, \$443.00; Ladies' Society, \$744.00; Young Ladies' Society, \$25.00; Miscellaneous, \$460.00; Total, \$2,689.85. Objects out of Diocese: Mission work in Kansas, \$620.00. Total, \$15,451.02.

Recapitulation—Total Receipts, \$15,701.00. Total Expenditures, \$15,451.00.

Minneapolis, Hennepin County; S. Paul's Church; (Pews rented.) Rev. FRANK R. MILLSPAUGH, Rector, (No. 1215 Hawthorne avenue). WILLIAM REGAN, CHARLES L. WELLS, M. D., Wardens.

Families, 275. Individuals, 900. Baptisms, (inf. 33, ad. 9), 42. Confirmations, Confirmed persons, last report, 305. Present number, 330. Communicating during year, 340. Marriages, 4. Burials 15. Public Services, (Sundays, 156, other days 144), 300. Holy Communion, 85. Sunday School—Teachers, 13; other officers 2; scholars 150; Total, 165. Catechised, times, 15.

Value Church building and property, \$80,000.

Indebtedness—\$7,965.

Receipts—From all sources, \$7,124.82.

Expenditures—Incidental expenses, \$1,559.90; Repairs, \$126.88; Insurance, \$218.18; Payment debts, \$2,342.07; Rector's salary, including rent for rectory, \$2,280; Other expenses, \$35; Sunday School, \$15; Poor, \$129.16; Council fund, \$5; Bishop's salary, \$25; Diocesan Missions, \$100; Disabled clergy fund, \$9; Special for Diocesan Missions, \$90.72; Diocesan education, \$20; Sheltering Arms, \$72.62; Domestic Missions, \$54.42; Foreign Missions, \$13.58; Woman's Auxiliary \$13; Am. Church building fund, \$20; Church Temperance Society, \$5; Total \$7,124.23.

Minneapolis, Hennepin County, Church Missionary Society, comprising the Missions S. Matthew's, S. John's, Ascension and Holy Innocents.
The Rev. WM. B. GUION, M. A., Missionary. (Report for six months only.)

Individuals, 1249. Baptisms, (inf. 9, ad. 4,) 13. Confirmations, (m. 1, f. 4,) 5. Confirmed persons, 125. Communicating during year, 125. Burials, 1. Public Services (Sundays, 123, other days, 41) 164. Holy Communion, 9. Sunday School—Teachers, officers and scholars, 419. Catechised Sundays. (Pastoral visits, 1,059.)

Value Church property, \$800.

Receipts—\$2,047.47.

Minneapolis, S. Andrew's Church. (No report.)

Montevideo, Population, 1,500, Chippewa County; Grace Church; Vested in Rector, Wardens and Vestry. The Rev. W. S. SAYRES, Rector. F. W. STURTEVANT, J. A. CASE, Wardens. (Report since Nov. 11, 1887.)

Families, 35. Whole number souls, 136. Baptisms (inf. 5, ad. 8), 13. Confirmations, (m. 6, f. 4,) 10. Communicants, last reported, 87. Present number confirmed, (m. 20, f. 30), 50. Number communicating (m. 13, f. 25,) 38. Marriages 1. Burials, 3. Public Services (Sundays, 44, other days, 41,) 85. Holy Communion, 14. Sunday school—Teachers, (m. 2, f. 4,) 9; other officers, 2; Scholars, (m. 25, f. 35,) 60; Total 68. Times Catechised, 12.

Value of Church building, \$3,100. Other Church property, \$800. Total, \$3,900.

Receipts—Subscriptions, \$1,148; Offerings, \$212; Guilds, and other like sources, \$200; Sunday School, \$25; Total, \$1,585.50.

Expenditures—Payments of debts, \$1,273; Rector's salary, (amount pledged, \$201;) Amount paid, \$201; Other expenses, \$75; Sunday school work, \$40; Council fund, \$1.50; Diocesan Missions, \$5; Bishop's salary, \$3; Disabled Clergy fund, \$1; Colored Mission, 50c; Jewish Mission, \$1.

Recapitulation—Total Receipts, \$1,585.50. Total Expenditures, \$1,600.50.

Moorhead, Population 3,500, Clay County; S. John's Church, Vested in Diocese of Minnesota. Rev. THOMAS E. DICKEY, Rector. SAM. PART-
RIDGE, ALMOND A. WHITE, Wardens.

Families, 48. Individuals, 200. Baptisms, inf., 6. Communicants, last report, 36. Present number confirmed (m. 14, f. 22), 36. Communicating during year (m. 20, f. 32), 52. Marriages, 3. Burials, 6. Public Services (Sundays 80, other days 20), 100. Holy Communion, 21. Sunday School—Teachers (m. 3, f. 6), 9; other Officers, 2; Scholars (m. 44, f. 41), 85. Total, 96. Children Catechised, 85. Times Catechised, 12.

Value Church Building, \$1,200; Rectory, \$1,500; other Church Property, \$5,000. Total, \$7,500.

Receipts—Balance, \$9.21; Communion alms, \$20; Subscriptions, \$777.50; Donations, \$25.96; Offerings, \$95.88; Guilds, &c., \$100. Total, \$1,028.55.

Expenditures—Incidental expenses, \$10.22; Repairs, \$105; Payments of debts, \$76; Rector's salary (pledged \$613.28), paid \$439.98; other expenses, \$165.46; Poor, \$17; Council

Fund, \$6; Diocesan Missions, \$22; Bishop's salary, \$26; Miscellaneous, \$30.65; Miscellaneous, out of Diocese, \$46.14.

Recapitulation—Total Receipts, \$1,028.55; Total Expenditures, \$1,028.55.

*Morristown, Population, 400, Rice County; S. John's Church; Rev. WEL-
LINGTON McVETTIE, Rector.*

Families, 14. Individuals 56. Baptisms (inf. 2, ad. 4), 11. Confirmations (m. 11, f. 16), 27; Confirmed persons, last report, 16; Present number, 43. Public services, 26. Holy Communion, 3.

Value Church Building, \$1,000.

Receipts—\$96.

Expenditures—Livery expense, \$24; Rector's salary, \$63; Council Fund, \$2; Bishop's salary, \$31; Diocesan Missions, \$9. Total, \$104.

*Northfield, Population, 3,500, Rice County; All Saints Church; vested in
the Bishop. (No Rector.) J. T. AMES, J. F. PRIOR, Wardens.*

Families, 64. Individuals, 217. Baptisms, inf. 3. Confirmations (m. 1, f. 1), 2; Confirmed persons, 48; Communicating during year, 50. Public Services, 52. Sunday School—Teachers, 5; Scholars (m. 20, f. 18), 38. Total, 43. Children Catechised, 38; Times Catechised, 10.

Value Church Building, \$3,500; Rectory, \$3,000. Total, \$6,500.

Indebtedness—\$140.

Receipts—Rent of Rectory, \$75; Subscriptions, \$313.54; Offerings, \$22.44; Sunday School, \$27.73. Total, \$439.26.

Expenditures—Incidental expenses, \$17.49; Insurance and Taxes, \$37.60; Debts, \$48.10; Rector's salary, \$203.37; Other expenses, \$50; Sunday School, \$23.23; Council Fund, \$12; Bishop's salary, \$8; Diocesan Missions, \$20. Total, \$422.79.

*Orwatonna, Population, 4,000, Steele County; S. Paul's Church; vested in
Vestry: Rev R. E. METCALF, Rector. G. W. CHENLEY, B. E. DARBY,
Wardens.*

Families, 54. Whole number souls, 183. Baptisms (inf. 5, ad. 5), 10. Confirmations (m. 2, f. 4), 6; Communicants, last reported, 87. Present number Confirmed (m. 26, f. 70), 96; Number Communicating during year (m. 12, f. 53), 65. Marriages, 1. Burials, 8. Public Services (Sundays, 52, other days, 70), 122. Holy Communion, 20. Sunday Schools—Teachers (m. 2, f. 5), 7; other Officers, 5; Scholars (m. 20, f. 47), 67. Total, 179. Number Children Catechised, 67; Times Catechised during year, 12.

Value of Church Building, \$5,000; Chapel, \$200. Total, \$5,200.

Receipts—Communion Alms, \$16; Subscriptions, \$456.55; Offerings, \$118.76; Guilds and other like sources, \$125.00; Sunday School, \$28.45. Total, \$744.76.

Expenditures—Incidental expenses, \$45.82; Rector's salary (amount pledged \$700); Amount paid, \$483.50; Sunday School work, \$25; Poor, \$8.00. Diocesan: Council Fund, \$6; Diocesan Missions, \$17.79; Bishop's salary, \$25; Disabled Clergy Fund, \$2.25; Bishop Gilbert's special needs fund, \$2.50; Domestic Missions, \$10.40; Jews Missions, \$0.58.

Recapitulation—Total Receipts, \$959.84; Total Expenditures, \$959.84.

Perham, Otter Tail County; Church of the Redeemer, Vested in the Bishop.

Rev. E. STEELE PEAKE, *Dean*, Rector. (P. O., Detroit.) FREDERICK CLAYDON, Secretary.

Families, 12. Individuals, 40. Baptisms, inf., 3. Confirmed persons, 11. Communicating during year, 9. Burials, 1. Public Services, 28. Holy Communion, 3.

Value Church Building, \$1,800; other Church Property, \$400. Total, \$2,200.

Receipts—Subscriptions, \$5.76; Donations (for church building), \$1,600; Offerings, \$36.50. Total, \$1,642.26.

Expenditures—Incidental expenses, \$25; Church Building, \$1,800; Rector's salary, \$80. Bishop's salary, \$4; Miscellaneous, \$1.40. Total, \$1,910.40.

Red Wing. Population 7,000, Goodhue County; Christ Church, Vested in Parish. Rev. C. H. PLUMMER, Rector, No. 706 East avenue. Hon. E. T. WILDER, J. C. PIERCE, Wardens.

Families, 125. Individuals, 500. Baptisms (inf. 27, ad. 3), 30. Confirmations (m. 12, f. 10), 22 (included 3 male, 2 female Indians). Communicants, last reported, 253; added by confirmation 22; added by transfer and restoration (1) (Indians 10), 21. Total, 296. Lost by transfer to another Parish, 19. Died, 3. Present number confirmed (15 of the communicants are Indians) (m. 90, f. 184), 274. Communicating during year, 210. Marriages, 8. Burials, 22. Public Services, 273. Holy Communion (public 36, private 3), 39. Sunday School—Teachers (m. 2, f. 20), 22; other Officers, 4; Scholars, 200. Total, 226. Times Catechised during year, 40.

Value Church Building, \$25,000; Chapel, \$1,000; Rectory, \$4,000; other Church Property, \$5,000. Total, \$35,000.

Receipts—Communion alms, \$75; Subscriptions, \$1,200; from Investments, \$140; Offerings, \$747.65; Guilds, (for Diocesan Asst., &c.), \$508.73; Sunday School, (for itself,) \$100.64. Total, \$2,772.02.

Expenditures—Incidental expenses, \$509.07; Repairs, \$76.06; Insurance, \$99; Rector's salary, \$1,200; other expenses, \$138.73; Sunday School, \$144.89; Charitable, \$75; Council Fund, \$30; Diocesan Missions, \$150; Bishop's salary, \$100; Disabled Clergy Fund, \$38.89; Diocesan Education, \$22.71; Miscellaneous, \$55.54; Domestic and Foreign Missions, \$75; Miscellaneous, \$51.45.

Recapitulation—Total Receipts, \$2,772.02; Total Expenditures, \$2,766.34.

Redwood Falls, Population, 1,500, Redwood County; — Church: vested in Bishop Whipple. Rev. D. F. THOMPSON, Priest in Charge. (P. O. St. Peter.)

Families, 28. Individuals, 124. Baptisms (inf. 7, ad. 1), 8. Confirmed persons, last report, 28; Present number (m. 5, f. 23), 28; Communicating during year (m. 5, f. 23), 28. Public Services, 10. Holy Communion, 6. Sunday School—Teachers, 5; other Officers, 3; Scholars (m. 11, f. 19), 30. Total, 38.

Value Church Building, \$1,100; other property, \$400. Total, \$1,500.

Receipts—Offerings, \$55; Guilds, &c., \$230; Sunday School, \$30. Total, \$315.

Expenditures—Incidental expenses, \$180; Rector's salary (amount pledged, \$120); Paid, \$120; Sunday School, \$10; Council Fund, \$2; Bishop's salary \$3; Diocesan Missions, \$5. Total \$300.

Richwood, Population, 15, Becker County; Church of the Holy Apostles; vested in Minnesota Church Foundation; Rev. JOSEPH A. GILFILLAN, Priest in Charge. (P. O., White Earth.)

Families, 6. Individuals, 29. Baptisms (inf. 3, ad. 1), 4. Confirmations, 4; Confirmed persons, last report, 13; Present number, 17. Communicating during year, 17. Burials, 2. Public Services, 22. Holy Communion, 4. Sunday School—Teachers, 4; Scholars (m. 12, f. 13), 25. Total, 29.

Value Church Building, \$800.

Receipts—Offerings, \$12.76.

Expenditures—Foreign Missions, \$11.76; Miscellaneous, \$1. Total, \$12.76.

Rochester, Population, 5,000, Olmstead County; Calvary Church; vested in Wardens and Vestry. Rev. R. N. AVERY, Rector. HENRY C. BUTLER, J. E. BOWERS, M. D., Wardens.

Families, 41. Whole number souls, 201. Baptisms (inf. 3, ad. 1), 4. Confirmations (f.) 4. Communicants, last reported, 80; added by Confirmation, 4; added by Transfer, 4. Total, 88. Lost by Transfer to another Parish, 6; Died, 1. Total loss, 7. Present number Confirmed, 81. Number Communicating during year (m. 11, f. 70), 81. Marriages, 2. Burials, 4. Public

Services (Sundays, 53; Other days, 96), 149. Holy Communion (Public, 67; Private, 1), 68. Sunday School—Teachers (m, 2, f. 8), 10; other Officers, 1; Scholars (m. 18, f. 24), 42. Total 53. Number of Children Catechised, 45. Times Catechised during year, 5.

Value of Church Building, \$5,000; Rectory, \$1,500 Total, \$6,500.

Receipts—Subscriptions, \$259; Offerings, \$49; Guilds and other like sources, \$466.95; Sunday School, \$63.00. Total, \$837.95.

Expenditures—Incidental expenses, \$25.10; Repairs, \$20.00; Insurance, \$20.00; Rector's salary, \$520.00; Sunday School work, \$45 00.

Recapitulation—Total Receipts, \$837.95; Total Expenditures, \$690.10.

Rockford, Wright County: Trinity Mission. Rev. FRANK R. MILLSPAUGH. Priest in Charge (P. O., 1215 Hawthorne ave., Minneapolis). ANDREW ADAMS, Lay Reader (P. O., Minneapolis).

Families, 15. Individuals, 50. Baptisms (inf. 1, ad. 10), 11. Confirmations, 18. Confirmed persons, last report, 13. Present number, 28. Burials, 1. Public Services, 20. Sunday School—Teachers, 4; Scholars, 25. Total, 29.

Receipts—\$40.

Expenditures—Incidental expenses, \$35; Diocesan Missionary work, \$5. Total, \$40.

Rt. Rev. Sir:—I feel constrained to say that the large number of baptisms and confirmations at Rockford is largely due to the great devotion of a few earnest women.

Most sincerely,

FRANK R. MILLSPAUGH.

Royalton, Population, 750, Morrison County; Grace Church; vested in Minnesota Church Foundation. Rev. C. A. CUMMINGS, Priest in Charge (P. O., St. Cloud). IRA W. BOUCK, H. C. GILBERT, T. W. MANN, Bishop's Committee. (Report since September, 1887.)

Families, 17. Individuals, 65. Baptisms (inf. 17, ad. 7), 24. Confirmations (m. 1, f. 8), 9. Confirmed persons, last report, 5. Present number (m. 1 f. 13), 14. Public Services (Sundays 2, other days 29), 31. Holy Communion, 4. Sunday School—Teachers (m. 1, f. 3), 4; Officers, 3; Scholars (m. 18, f. 30), 48. Total, 55.

Value Church Building, \$1,100.

Receipts—Subscriptions, \$15.50; Endowments, \$8.77; Guilds, &c., \$180.03; Sunday School, \$11.19. Total, \$195.49.

Expenditures—Incidental expenses, \$7.44; Finishing Church, \$90; Rector's salary, \$23.32; Sunday School, \$16.64; Council Fund, \$1; Bishop's salary, \$2; Diocesan Missions, \$3; Miscellaneous, \$3.64. Total, \$147.04.

Rushford, Population, 1,200, Fillmore County; Emmanuel Church; rested in Wardens and Vestry: Rev. S. PRITCHARD, Rector. A. E. HAZZARD, H. M. SMITH, Wardens.

(REPORT FOR SEVEN MONTHS.)

Families, 19. Individuals, 60. Baptisms (inf. 3, ad. 4), 7. Confirmations (m. 1, f. 5), 6. Confirmed persons (m. 12, f. 30), 42. Marriages, 2. Burials, 1. Public Services, 28. Holy Communion, 7. Sunday School—Teachers (m. 4, f. 7), 11; Scholars (m. 30, f. 50), 80. Total, 91.

Value Church Building, \$1,500

Receipts—Subscriptions, \$121.50; Offerings, \$138.50; Guilds, &c., \$7; Sunday School, \$18. Total, \$285;

Expenditures—Incidental expenses, \$24; Repairs, \$9; Rector's salary (pledged, \$120; Paid, \$190; Other expenses, \$13; Sunday School, \$35; Council Fund, \$3; Bishop's salary, \$10; Diocesan Missions, \$15; Disabled Clergy Fund, \$9; Miscellaneous, \$11; Domestic and Foreign Missions, \$5. Total \$264.

Sauk Center. Population 1,800, Stearns County; Good Samaritan Church:
Rev. J. F. HAMILTON, Rector. W. S. DEAN CHARLES R. TUBBS,
Wardens.

Families, 33. Whole number souls, 90. Baptisms (inf. 10, ad. 2), 12. Confirmations (f. 2). Communicants, last reported, 34; added by Confirmation, 2; added by Transfer, 4. Total, 40. Lost by, transferred to another Parish, 1; Present number Confirmed (m. 9, f. 30), 39. Number Communicating during the year (m. 6, f. 29), 35. Marriages, 2. Burials, 3. Public Services (Sundays, 71, other days, 51), 121. Holy Communion, 11. Sunday School—Teachers (m. 2, f. 4), 6; other Officers, 2; Scholars (m. 14, f. 29), 43. Total 51.

Value of Church Building and Lot, \$4,000

Receipts—On Subscriptions, \$352.40; Special Offerings, \$77.50; Offerings \$98.39; Guilds and other like sources, \$105; From the Sunday School, \$32. Total, \$635.29.

Expenditures—Parochial: Incidental expenses, \$65.79; Insurance, \$10; Rector's salary (pledged) \$500; Paid, \$450; Sunday School work, \$20. Total, \$545.79. Diocesan: Council Fund, \$3; Diocesan Missions, \$23; Bishop's salary, \$12; Disabled Clergy Fund, \$10; Sheltering Arms, \$5; Miscellaneous, \$3. Total, \$56. Objects out of the Diocese: Domestic and Foreign Missions, \$17; Church Building Fund, \$11.50; Jewish Missions, \$5. Total, \$33.50.

Recapitulation—Total Receipts, \$635.29; Total Expenditures, \$635.29.

Sauk Rapids, Population, 800, Benton County; Grace Church; vested in Vestry; Rev. CHARLES A. CUMMINGS, Priest in Charge. (P. O., St. Cloud.) E. G. WOOD, G. S. RUDER, Wardens.

(REPORT FROM SEPT. 1887.)

Families, 21. Whole number souls, 73. Baptisms (inf. 5, ad. 2), 7. Confirmations (m. 3, f. 4), 7. Present number Confirmed (m. 10, f. 28), 38. Number Communicating during year (m. 6, f. 21), 27. Burials, 2. Public Services (Sundays, 40, other days, 17), 57. Holy Communion, 7. Sunday School—Teachers (m. 1, f. 2), 3; Scholars (m. 9, f. 14), 23. Total, 26.

Value of Church Building, \$1,800; other Church property, \$250. Total, \$2,050.

Indebtedness, \$500.

Receipts—Donations, \$121; Offerings, \$91.33; Guilds and other like sources, \$51.47. Total, \$263.70.

Expenditures—Parochial: Incidental Expenses, \$51.47; Payments of debts, \$121; Rector's salary, \$7.83. Total, \$260.30. Diocesan: Council Fund, \$1; Diocesan Missions, \$3; Bishop's salary, \$2; Disabled Clergy Fund, \$0.50. Total, \$6.50.

Recapitulation—Total Receipts, \$263.70; Total Expenditures, \$266.90.

Slayton, Population, 400, Murray County; S. John's Church: Rev. C. S. WARE, Missionary. (P. O., Wilder.)

Families, 3. Individuals, 12. Baptisms (inf.) 1. Confirmations (m.), 1. Confirmed persons (m. 5, f. 7), 12. Communicating during year (m. 2, f. 3), 5. Public Services (Sundays, 34; other days, 4), 38. Holy Communion, 3.

Shakopee, Population, 2,300, Scott County; S. Peter's Church; vested in Corporation of S. Peter's Church; Rev. FRANCIS H. PORTS, Rector. W. A. COLE, D. L. HOW, Wardens.

Families, 28. Whole number souls, 74. Baptisms (inf.), 4. Confirmations (f.), 2. Communicants, last reported, 38; added by Confirmation, 2. Total, 40. Present number (confirmed), 36. Number Communicating during year (m. 12, f. 24), 36. Marriages, 1. Burials, 2. Public Services (Sundays, 70; other days, 17), 87. Holy Communion (Public, 14; Private, 2), 16. Sunday School—Teachers (m. 1, f. 2), 3; Scholars (m. 5, f. 11), 16. Total, 19. Number of Children Catechised, 16. Times Catechised during year, 12.

Value of Church Building, \$1,500; Rectory, \$2,500. Total, \$4,000.

Receipts—Balance 1887, \$78; Offerings, \$317.85; Guilds and other like sources, \$304.32; Sunday School, \$10. Total, \$710.37.

Expenditures—Parochial: Incidental expenses, \$46.42; Insurance, \$35.25; Payment of debts, \$52; Church Building, \$19.52; Rector's salary (pledged, \$500,) paid, \$500; For Sunday School work, \$5.25. Total, \$658.44. Diocesan: Council Fund, \$10; Diocesan Missions, arrearages, 1887, \$20; Bishop's salary, \$10; Disabled Clergy Fund, \$3.15. Total, \$43.15. Domestic Missions, \$4.75; Missions to Jews, \$2.28; Prayer Book Society, \$1.75.

Recapitulation—Total Receipts, \$710.37; Total Expenditures, \$710.37.

Spring Valley, Population, 2,000, Fillmore County; S. Paul's Church:
Rev. THOMAS K. ALLEN, Rector. (P. O., 133 South 4th street, La Crosse, Wis.) C. G. EDWARDS, Warden; J. R. JOHNSON, Treas.; S. C. LOBDELL, Clerk.

Families, 10. Individuals, 35. Confirmations, 1. Confirmed persons, 15. Public services, 9. Holy Communion, 2. Marriages, 2.

Receipts—\$104.61.

Expenditures—Rector's salary, \$100; Bishop Gilbert's Special Needs Fund, \$4.61; Total, \$104.61.

Stillwater, Population, 18,000, Washington County: Ascension Church: vested in Parish; Rev. ANDREW D. STOWE, Rector, 212 West Cherry street (since April 1, 1888.) ROBERT SLAUGHTER, WM. G. BRONSON, Wardens.

Families, 83. Individuals, 307. Baptisms (inf.), 4. Confirmed persons, last report, 71. Communicating during year, 63. Burials, 2. Public Services, 32. Holy Communion, 3. Sunday School—Teachers (m. 1, f. 6), 7; other Officers, 5; Scholars (m. 28, f. 43), 71. Total, 83. Children Catechised, 71. Times Catechised, 9.

Value Church Building, \$15,000; Lots, \$3,000; Rectory, \$2,000. Total, \$20,000.

Indebtedness—\$2,500.

Receipts—Communion Alms, \$122.66; Subscriptions, \$4,902.10; Insurance, \$7,750; Loan, \$2,500; Offerings \$104.06; Guilds, &c., \$558.46. Total, \$15,667.28.

Expenditures—Incidental expenses, \$147.14; Repairs, \$28.15; Insurance, \$175; Payment debts, \$454.10; Building New Church, \$12,412.42; New Organ, \$2,100; Rector's salary (since April 1, '88), \$200; Council Fund, \$18; Bishop's salary, \$60; Diocesan Missions, \$85. Total, \$15,679.81.

Besides the above, and not included in the above report, "The Parish Aid Society" raised and expended, in furnishing the New Church, \$1,152.15, and "The Ascension Church Guild" (composed of the young people of the Parish), raised and expended \$247.25 in Church work, making a total of all money raised during the year, \$17,306.68.

St. Charles, Population, 1,000, Winona County; Trinity Church: vested in Bishop Whipple in trust: Rev. JOSEPH J. HILLMER, Priest in Charge. (P. O., 203 King street, Winona.) Bishop's Committee: J. C. WOODARD, H. C. PARROTT, G. HAM.

Families, 16. Individuals, 65. Baptisms (inf.), 2. Confirmed persons, 26. Communicating during year (m. 5, f. 11), 16. Marriages, 2. Burials, 1. Public Services, 40. Holy Communion, 4. Sunday School—Teachers (m. 1, f. 2), 3; Scholars (m. 6, f. 14), 20. Total, 23. Children Catechised, 20. Times Catechised, 10.

Value Church Building, \$2,500.

Receipts—Offerings, \$87.02; Guilds, &c., \$15. Total, \$102.02.

Expenditures—Rector's salary, \$81.52; Sunday School, \$10; Diocesan Missions, \$3.50; Bishop's salary, \$5. Total, \$102.02.

St. Cloud, Population, 8,000, Stearns County; S. John's Church: vested in Vestry; Rev. CHARLES ARTHUR CUMMINGS, Rector. WM. POWELL, F. TOLMAN, Wardens.

Families, 65. Whole number souls, 289. Baptisms (inf. 9, ad. 5), 14. Confirmations (m. 9, f. 14), 23. Communicants, last reported, 96; added by Confirmation, 23; added by Transfer, 13. Total, 132. Lost by, Transfer to another Parish, 21. Present number Confirmed (m. 31, f. 80), 111. Number Communicating during year (m. 23, f. 68), 91. Marriages, 5. Burials, 2. Public Services (Sundays, 114; other days, 47), 161. Holy Communion, 24. Sunday Schools—Teachers (m. 1, f. 9), 10; other Officers, 2; Scholars (m. 30, f. 14), 74. Total, 86. Number of Children Catechised, 74. Times Catechised during year, 16.

Value of Church Building, \$1,600; Rectory, \$1,600; other Church property, \$3,600. Total, \$6,200.

Receipts—Communion Alms, \$37.69; Subscriptions, \$800; Offerings, \$273.21; Guilds and other like sources, \$119.16; Sunday School, \$45.64. Total, \$1,275.70.

Expenditures—Incidental expenses, \$172.60; Repairs, \$17.50; Insurance, \$12; Church Building, finishing, \$40. Rector's salary (pledged), \$800; Paid, \$800; Sunday School work, \$20.69; For the Poor, \$27.60. Diocesan: Council Fund, \$6; Diocesan Missions, \$30; Bishop's salary, \$20; Disabled Clergy Fund, \$10.75; Miscellaneous, \$16.60. Total, \$83.41. Out of the Diocese: Domestic Missions, \$18.37; Foreign Missions, \$12.86; Miscellaneous, \$8.33. Total, \$39.56.

Recapitulation—Total Receipts, \$1,275.70; Total Expenditures, \$1,207.36.

DEAR BISHOP:—In addition to the work reported at St. Cloud, Sauk Rapids and Royalton, I have held 10 services at Rice's Station; 2 at Little Falls, and one at Clear Lake. Baptised one at Little Falls. Buried one at Little Falls, and 2 (two) at Rice's. Besides visiting Painesville, at the request of Bishop Whipple, on Church work.

Respectfully Yours,

C. A. CUMMINGS.

June 1st, 1888.

St. James, Population, 1,000, Watonwan County; Calvary Church: The Rev. DAVID GRIFFIN GUNN, Missionary. (P. O., Wilder.)

Families, 6. Individuals, 30. Baptisms (inf.) 2. Confirmed persons, last report, 12 Added, 2. Present number, 5. Public Services, 22. Holy Communion, 4.

Value Church Building, \$1,000.

Receipts—Offerings, \$44.

Expenditures—Rector's salary, \$44.

St. Paul, Population, 175,000, Ramsey County; Christ Church: (Pews Rented); Rev. CHARLES D. ANDREWS, Rector; Rev. SIDNEY G. JEFFORDS, Assistant Minister, No. 155 West Fourth street. Hon. JAMES GILFILLAN, JOHN Q. ADAMS, Wardens.

Families, 365. Whole number souls (about) 1,800. Baptisms (inf. 24, ad. 4), 28. Confirmations (m. 13, f. 10), 23. Communicants, last reported, 566; added by Confirmation, 21; added by Transfer, 23. Total, 610. Lost by Transfer to another Parish, 8. Present number Confirmed, 602. Number Communicating during year (m. 165, f. 390), 495. Marriages, 28. Burials, 17. Public Services (Sundays, 222; other days, 183), 405. Holy Communion (public, 86, private, 5), 91. Sunday Schools—Teachers, 22; other Officers, 3; Scholars, 280. Total, 305. Times Catechised during year, 52.

Value of Church Building, \$20,000; Chapel, \$3,006; Rectory, \$10,000; other Church property, \$15,000. Total, \$48,000.

Receipts—Pew Rents, \$6,399.41; Communion Alms, \$639.14; Subscriptions, \$443.22; Offerings, \$1,240.40. Guilds and other like sources, \$3,280.35; Sunday School, \$288.25. Total, \$12,290.77.

Expenditures—Parochial: Incidental expenses, \$3,901.94; Repairs, \$1,044.16; Insurance, \$90; Rector's salary, \$2,750; Sunday School work, \$185.33. Total, \$7,950.43. Charitable: Poor, \$506.90; Mission work in Parish, \$1,755.55. Total, \$2,262.45. Diocesan: Council Fund, \$45; Diocesan Missions, \$275; Bishop's salary, \$275; Disabled Clergy Fund, \$221.01; Diocesan Education, \$84.78; Miscellaneous, \$172.93. Total, \$1,053.72. Objects out of the Diocese: Domestic Missions, \$25; Foreign Missions, \$28.11; Woman's Auxiliary, \$10; Miscellaneous, \$36.11. Total, \$99.22.

Recapitulation—Total Receipts, \$12,290.77; Total Expenditures, \$11,366.82.

St. Paul, Ramsey County; Church of the Good Shepherd; vested in Rector, Wardens and Vestrymen: Rev. WILLIAM C. POPE, Rector, No. 51, East Twelfth street. JOHN W. GROVES, GEORGE BELL, Wardens.

Families, 75. Whole number souls, 300. Baptisms (inf. 24, ad. 1), 25. Confirmations (m. 5, f. 5), 10. Communicants, last reported, 151; added by Confirmation, 10; added by Transfer, 21. Total, 182. Lost by, Transfer to another Parish, 18; Died, 2. Total, 20. Present number Confirmed (m. 62, f. 100), 162. Number Communicating during year (m. 35, f. 92), 127. Marriages, 19. Burials, 22. Public Services (Sundays, 200; other days, 850), 1,050. Holy Communion (Public, 82; private, 3), 85. Sunday Schools—Teachers (m. 2, f. 3), 5; other Officers 2; Scholars (m. 26, f. 27), 53. Total, 60. Number Children Catechised, 60. Times Catechised during year, 45.

Value of Church Building, \$30,000; Chapel, \$1,500; Rectory, \$10,000. Total, \$41,500.

Indebtedness, \$1,250.

Receipts—Communion Alms, \$1,266.83; Subscriptions, \$188.55; Donations, \$1,326.14; From Investments, \$1,124.65; Offerings, \$96.01; From the Sunday School, \$35.71. Total, \$4,059.89.

Expenditures—Parochial: Incidental expenses, \$931.92; Repairs, \$1,130.55; Payment of debts, \$550; Rector's salary, \$1,121.42; Other expenses, \$51; For Sunday School work, \$29.32. Total, \$3,814.21. Charitable: The Poor, \$6.93; Mission work in Parish, \$62.25. Total, \$69.18. Diocesan: Council Fund, \$6; Diocesan Missions, \$34.22; Bishop's salary, \$20; Diocesan Education, \$3.47; Miscellaneous, \$36.43. Total, \$120.12. Out of the Diocese: Domestic Missions, \$3.75; Foreign Missions, \$20.71; Education of Ministry, \$3.80. Total, \$33.26.

Recapitulation—Total Receipts, \$4,059.89; Total Expenditures, \$4,036.77.

St. Paul, Ramsey County; St. Paul's Church, (Pews Rented); Rev. JOHN WRIGHT, Rector, No. 383 East Ninth street. HARVEY OFFICER, G. A. HAMILTON, Wardens.

Families, 250. Whole number souls, 1,000. Baptisms (inf. 20, ad. 5), 25. Confirmations (m. 28, f. 24), 52. Communicants, last reported, 608; added by Confirmation, 52; added by Transfer, 40. Total, 700. Lost by, Transfer to another Parish, 213; Died, 7. Total, 230. Present number Confirmed (m. 190, f. 290), 480. Number Communicating during year (m. 120, f. 240), 360. Marriages, 12. Burials, 16. Public Services (Sundays, 83; other days, 120), 208. Holy Communion, (Public 74; private, 8), 82. Sunday Schools, 3—Teachers (m. 8, f. 12), 20; other Officers, 3; Scholars, St. Peter's, 80; St. James' 50; St. Paul's, 200. Total, 353. Times Catechised during year, 45.

Value of Church Building, \$12,000; Chapel, \$1,000; Rectory, \$2,000; other Church Property, \$30,000. Total, \$45,000.

Indebtedness, \$1,000.

Receipts—Pew Rents, \$5,144.17; Communion Alms, \$200.30; Subscriptions, \$3,219. Donations, \$1,057.80; Loan, \$1,000; Offerings, \$1,880; Guilds and other like sources, \$2,298.97; Sunday School, \$272.32. Total, \$15,072.56.

Expenditures—Parochial: Incidental expenses, \$2,997.09; Repairs (Rectory and street pavement), \$1,054.64; Insurance, \$54.05; Payments of debts, \$3,000; Church Building and street pavement, \$328.19; Rector's salary (amount pledged), \$3,000; amount paid (10 months), \$2,500; Pulpit supply, \$310; Episcopate Endowment Fund, \$500; Interest En-

dowment Fund, \$53.50; Sunday School work, \$105.63. Total, \$11,405.12. Charitable: The Poor, \$200.30; Mission work in Parish, \$645.13. Total, \$845.43. Diocesan: Council Fund, \$45; Diocesan Mission, \$350; Bishop's salary, \$300; Disabled Clergy Fund, \$33. Total, \$648. Objects out of Diocese: Domestic Missions, \$53.50; Foreign Missions, \$64; Woman's Auxiliary, \$41.32; Education of Ministry, \$50. Total, \$1,008.82.

Recapitulation—Total Receipts, \$15,072.56; Total Expenditures, \$14,207.37.

St. Paul, Merriam Park, Population, 1,800, Ramsey County: S. Mary's Church; vested in Rector, Wardens and Vestrymen; Rev. SIDNEY G. JEFFORDS, Rector, No. 155 West Fourth street. D. L. KINGSBURY, W. E. CHAMBERLAIN, Wardens.

Families, 45. Whole number souls, 195. Baptisms (inf.), 4. Confirmations, (m.), 2. Communicants, last reported, 59; added by Confirmation, 2; added by Transfer, 15. Total, 76. Lost by, transferred to another Parish, 6. Present number Confirmed (m. 27, f. 43), 70. Number Communicating during the year, 59. Public Services (Sundays, 52; other days, 6), 58. Holy Communion, 21. Sunday School—Teachers (m. 1, f. 5), 6; other Officers, 1; Scholars (m. 10, f. 24), 34. Total, 41. Number of Children Catechised, 35. Times Catechised during year, 52.

Value of Church Building, \$4,200; Lots, \$4,300. Total, \$8,500.

Indebtedness, \$1,500.

Receipts—Pew Rents, \$267; Subscriptions, \$20; Offerings, \$541.65; Guilds and other like Sources, \$195; Sunday School, \$20.60. Total, \$1,044.25.

Expenditures—Parochial: Incidental expenses, \$30; Payment of Debts, \$320.24; Rector's salary (amount pledged), \$440; amount paid, \$440; Other expenses, \$217.81; For Sunday School work, \$36.20. Total, \$1,044.25. Diocesan: Council Fund, \$5; Diocesan Missions, \$15; Bishop's salary, \$10; Bishop's Special Needs Fund, \$9.36. Total, \$39.36.

Recapitulation—Total Receipts, \$1,044.25; Total Expenditures, \$1,044.25.

St. Paul, Ramsey County; S. Stephens' Church; Vested in Wardens and Vestry of Christ Church; Rev. SYDNEY G. JEFFORDS, Rector, No. 155 West 4th street.

Families, 27. Whole number of souls, 42. Baptisms, (inf.) 10. Confirmations, (m. 3, f. 1), 4. Communicants, last reported, 25. Present number Confirmed, (m. 12, f. 21), 33. Number Communicating during year, 23. Public Services, (Sundays 52, other days 6), 58. Holy Communion, 12. Sunday School, Teachers (m. 3, f. 8), 11; Scholars, (m. 42, f. 56), 98. Total, 109. Number of children Catechised, 95.

Value of Church building and lot, \$1,500.

Receipts—On Subscriptions, \$110.00; Offerings, \$151.27; Sunday School, \$74.03. Total, \$335.30.

Expenditures—Parochial: Incidental expenses, \$33.70; Repairs, \$3.00; Rector's salary, (amount pledged), 150; Amount paid, \$145.87; Other expenses, \$10.00; Sunday School work, \$96.50. Total, \$289.07. Diocesan: Diocesan Missions, \$17.43; Bishop's salary, \$10.00; Disabled Clergy Fund, \$6.10; Miscellaneous, \$2.45. Total, \$36.04.

Recapitulation—Total Receipts, \$335.30. Total Expenditures, \$325.11.

St. Peter, Population 3,500, Nicollet County: Church of the Holy Communion; Vested in the Parish; Rev. D. F. THOMPSON, Rector; A. W. DANIELS, M. D., C. R. WOODS, Wardens.

Families, 50. Whole number of souls, 228. Baptisms, (inf. 2, ad. 2), 4. Confirmations (m. 6, f. 4), 10. Communicants, last reported, 73; added by Confirmation, 10. Total 83. Lost by, Transferred to another Parish, 10. Present number Confirmed, 73. Number Communicating during year, (m. 20, f. 40), 60. Marriages, 3. Public Services, (Sundays, 76, other days, 212), 288. Holy Communion, 20. Sunday School—Teachers, (m. 1, f. 5), 6

Other officers, 3; Scholars, (m. 22, f. 38), 60. Total, 69. Number of children Catechised, 69 Times during Year, 2.

Value of Church building, \$4,000; Rectory, \$2,500; Other Church property, \$200. Total, \$10,700.

Indebtedness—\$800.

Receipts—On subscriptions, \$1,300; Offerings, \$625; Guilds and other like sources, \$837; Sunday School, \$19. Total, \$2,581.

Expenditures—Parochial: Incidental expenses, \$250; Repairs \$50; Insurance, \$50. Payment of debts, \$25; Church building, \$1,600; Rector's salary, (amount pledged), \$500; Amount paid, \$500; Other expenses, \$57.50; For Sunday School work, \$15. Total, \$2,547.50. Diocesan: Council fund, \$7.50; Diocesan Missions, \$30.00; Bishop's salary, \$15.00; Clergy Widows and Orphans' Society, \$5.00. Total, \$57.50.

Recapitulation—Total Receipts, \$2,581.00. Total Expenditures, \$2,605.00.

St. Vincent, Kittson County; Christ, S. John's and other Churches. (stations in all;) Rev. T. H. M. VILLIERS APPLEBY, M. A., Rector and Missionary, (P. O., St. Vincent).

Families, 59. Whole number of souls, 295. Baptisms, (inf. 35, ad. 5), 40. Communicants, last reported, 41. Present number Confirmed, (m. 21, f. 28), 49. Number Communicating during year, (m. 17, f. 24), 41. Marriages, 5. Burials, 1. Public services, (Sundays, 153, other days, 159), 312. Holy Communion, (public, 52, private, 7), 59. Sunday Schools 2; Teachers, (m. 3, f. 7), 10; other officers, 2; Scholars, (m. 27, f. 33), 60. Total, 72. Number of children Catechised, 60. Times Catechised during year, 21.

Value of Church building, \$1,750.00; Chapel, \$2,200.00; Rectory, \$1,550.00; Other Church property, \$500.00. Total, \$5,000.00.

Receipts—Subscriptions, \$507.81; Donations from East and Missions for Church building, \$3,600.00; Sunday School, \$15.00. Total, \$4,122.81.

Expenditures—Parochial: Insurance, \$40.00; Payment of debts, \$200.00; Church building, \$2,000.00; Rector's salary, \$507.81; Sunday School, \$25.00. Total, \$2,812.81. Diocesan: Council Fund, \$1.50; Diocesan Missions, \$6.00; Bishop's Salary, \$4.00; Disabled Clergy Fund, \$5.00; Sheltering Arms, \$4.00. Total, \$20.50. Objects out of the Diocese: Domestic and Foreign Missions, \$47.23; Jews, \$5 51, Ch. B. F., \$1.75. Total, \$51.49.

Recapitulation—Total Receipts, \$4,122.81. Total Expenditures, \$2,887.80.

7121 mil s has been traveled in the performance of Mission work. The above report includes 6 stations besides Christ Church, St. Vincent. Services, salary, &c., includes all points by consent of Bishop. The Church at Bathgate is being built and will be opened about 15th, August.

T. H. M. VILLIERS APPLEBY, M. A.

Rector and Missionary.

Wabasha, Population 3,500, Wabasha County; Grace Church: Vested in the Bishop. Rev. LEWIS CASS BIRCH, Rector; Capt. J. H. MULLEN, Warden. (Report from Oct. 1, 1887.)

Families, 46. Whole number souls, 200. Baptisms, (inf. 17, ad. 2), 19. Confirmations (f.), 2. Communicants, 68. Present number confirmed, (m. 7, f. 46), 53. Number communicating during year, (m. 3, f. 43), 46. Marriages, 5. Burials, 5. Public services, (Sundays, 72; other days, 23), 95. Holy Communion, 2. Sunday School—Teachers, (m. 1, f. 6), 7. Other officers, 4. Scholars, (m. 33, f. 50), 83. Total, 94. Number of Children Catechised, 70. Times Catechised during year, 30.

Value of Church Building, \$500. Rectory, \$2,500. Total, \$3,000.

Receipts—Subscriptions, \$500; Donations, \$100.20; Offerings, \$117.34; Guilds and other like sources, \$265.39; Sunday School, \$98.70; Total, \$1,079.63.

Expenditures—Parochial: Incidental Expenses, \$100.00; Repairs, \$200.00; Insurance, \$25.00; Taxes, \$35.34; Rector's Salary, \$500.00; Sunday School work, \$96.70; Total, \$961.04. Diocesan: Council Fund, \$4.00; Diocesan Missions, \$22.00; Bishop's Salary, \$15.00; Disabled Clergy Fund, \$8.34; Clergy Widows and Orphans' Society, \$8.00. Total, \$57.34.

Recapitulation—Total Receipts, \$1,079.63; Total Expenditures \$1,023.38.



Waseca, Population 3,000, Waseca County: Calvary Church; Vested in Bishop Whipple; Rev. RUBEN E. METCALF, Priest in charge, (P. O., Owatonna).

Families, 20. Whole number of souls, 57. Baptisms, (inf.) 4. Confirmations, (f.) 3. Communicants, last reported, 37. Present number Confirmed, (m. 5, f. 22), 27. Number Communicating during year, (m. 3, f. 18), 21. Marriages, 3. Burials, 2. Public services, 32. Holy Communion, (public, 12, private, 1), 13. Sunday School—Teachers, (m. 1, f. 3), 4; Other officers, 3; Scholars, (m. 4, f. 10), 20. Total, 27. Number of children Catechised, 20. Times Catechised during year, 6.

Value of Church building, \$1,000; Other Church property, \$300. Total, \$1,300.

Receipts—Communion Alms, \$12.00; Subscriptions, \$260.00; Offerings, \$50.00; Guilds and other like sources, \$96.66; Sunday School, \$20.00. Total, \$438.66.

Expenditures—Parochial: Incidental expenses, \$60.00; Repairs, \$21.00; Rector's salary, (amount pledged, \$300.00), amount paid, \$300.00; Other expenses, \$15.00; Sunday School work, \$20.00. Total, \$416.00. Diocesan: Council Fund, \$3.00; Diocesan Missions, \$8.00; Bishop's Salary, \$7.00; Bishop Gilbert's Special needs fund, \$2.00; Domestic Missions, \$2.61.

Recapitulation—Total Receipts, \$438.61; Total Expenditures, \$438.61.

Waterville, Le Sueur County, Population, 1,000: S. Andrew's Church; vested in Bishop Whipple; Rev. WELLINGTON MCVETTIE, Rector. H. H. STOWE, JOHN RUTHS, Wardens.

Families, 14. Individuals, 95. Baptisms (inf. 10, ad. 2) 12. Confirmations, (m. 6, f. 3) 9. Present number Confirmed, 40. Public services, 49. Holy Communion, 1. Sunday School—Teachers, 5; Scholars, 25. Total, 30.

Value Church Building, \$2,300; other property, \$1,500. Total, \$3,800.

Receipts—\$156.21.

Expenditures—Rector's salary, \$136.46; Bishop's salary, \$3; Diocesan Missions, \$8.00; Disabled Clergy Fund, \$3; Bishop Gilbert's "Special Needs Fund," \$6.15. Total, \$155.76.

During the past year a bell, weighing 1295 lbs., has been hung, and new furnaces put in the Church, all of which are paid for.

Wells, Rice County; Emmanuel Church; ISAAC HOULGATE, Lay Reader. (P. O., Faribault.)

Families, 18. Individuals, 85. Baptisms (inf.), 1. Present number Confirmed (m. 4, f. 13), 17. Communicating during year, (m. 4, f. 12), 16. Public Services, 24. Holy Communion, 6. Sunday School—Teachers (m. 1, f. 2), 3; other Officers, 3; Scholars (m. 12, f. 17) 29. Total, 35.

Value of Church Building, \$1,500; other property, \$500. Total, \$2,000.

Receipts—\$116.05.

Expenditures—Repairs, \$35; Rector's salary, \$15.55; other expenses, \$84.19. Total, \$134.74.

I have read the Church Services 27 times in the Dakota (or Sioux) language, with address. Six of the services, reported above, were read by Faribault clergy.

Wells, Population, 1,100, Faribault County: Church of the Nativity; vested in the Parish; Rev. EDWARD H. CLARK, Rector. J. M. NYE, F. C. WATSON, Wardens.

Families, 21. Whole number souls, 83. Baptisms (inf. 10, ad. 2), 12. Confirmations (m. 1, f. 3), 4. Communicants, last report, 50; added by confirmation, 4; added by Transfer, 3. Total, 57. Lost, 15. Present number Confirmed (m. 12, f. 30), 42. Number Communicating during year (m. 11, f. 24), 35. Burials, 1. Public Services (Sundays, 102, other days, 56), 138. Holy Communion, 22. Sunday School—Teachers (m. 2, f. 6), 8; other Officers, 2; Scholars (m. 17, f. 33), 50. Total, 60. Times Catechised during year, 12.

Value of Church Building, \$3,000; Rectory, \$1,100. Total, \$4,100.

Receipts—Subscriptions, \$432.15; Offerings, \$239.42; Guilds and other like sources, \$101.60; Sunday School, \$102.58. Total, \$1,075.75.

Expenditures—Parochial: Incidental expenses, \$99.20; Payment of Debts, \$50; Rector's salary (amount pledged), \$600; amount paid, \$582.15; Sunday School work, \$61.50. Total, \$792.85. Charitable, \$25.70. Diocesan: Council Fund, \$5; Diocesan Missions, \$36; Bishop's salary, \$16; Disabled Clergy Fund, \$17; Sheltering Arms, \$18.85; Miscellaneous \$6.50; Domestic Missions, \$21.28; Foreign Missions, \$47.18; Miscellaneous, \$62.75.

Recapitulation—Total Receipts, \$1,075.75; Total Expenditures, \$1,049.11.

THE RT. REV. M. N. GILBERT, D. D.:—

My Dear Bishop—Enclosed is the report of the Parish of the Nativity. By the removal of the division terminus of the railway, the village has lost, during the past year, quite a large portion of the population. And as a consequence, the congregation and Sunday School have been numerically affected.

The parish has received during the year, \$200 from the Diocesan Board.

Sincerely Yours,

EDWARD H. CLARK.

White Bear, Population 1,500, Ramsey County; S. John's in the Wilderness Church; Vested in Wardens and Vestry. Rev. SYDNEY G. JEFFORDS, Priest in Charge. (P. O. 155 W. 4th St., St. Paul.) CYRUS B. COBB, THOS. C. FULTON, Wardens.

Families, 35. Whole number souls, 148. Baptisms, (inf.), 2. Confirmations, (f.), 2. Communicants—Last reported 31. Present number confirmed, (m. 11, f. 27), 38. Number communicating during year, 27. Marriages, 1. Burials, 5. Public services, 39. Holy Communion, 17. Sunday School.—Teachers, (m. 1, f. 5), 6. Other Officers, 1. Scholars, (m. 37, f. 20), 57. Total, 64.

Value of Church Building, \$2,000.00; other Church property, \$1,500.00; Total, \$3,500.00.

Receipts—On Subscriptions, \$146.00; Donations, \$113.18; Offerings, \$170.57; Sunday School, \$8.05; Total, \$445.75.

Expenditures—Parochial: Incidental Expenses, \$85.00; Insurance, \$15.00; Church Building, \$68.30; Rector's Salary, (amount pledged), \$175.00; Amount paid \$175. Charitable, \$19.00. Diocesan: Council Fund, \$4.50; Diocesan Missions, \$10.00; Bishop's Salary \$10.00; Disabled Clergy Fund \$7.00; Total, \$39.50. Domestic and Foreign Missions, \$39.50.

Recapitulation—Total Receipts, \$445.75; Total Expenditures, \$439.00.

Wilmar, Population 1,300, Kandiyohi County; S. Luke's Church, vested in Wardens and Vestrymen of S. Luke's Parish. Rev. DANIEL T. BOOTH, Rector. JOHN H. WIGGINS, EDWARD S. FROST, M. D. Wardens.

Families, 45. Whole number souls, 231. Baptisms, (inf. 11, ad. 1), 12. Confirmations, (m. 8, f. 3), 11. Communicants, (last reported 57, added by confirmation, 11; added by transfer, 6), 74. Lost, (transferred to another parish, 3; died, 1), 4. Present number confirmed, (m. 27, f. 43), 70. Number communicating during the year, (m. 18, f. 34), 47. Marriages, 5. Burials, 15. Public Services, (Sundays, 161; other days, 41), 202. Holy Communion, (public, 13; private, 3), 16. Sunday School—Teachers, (m. 1, f. 4), 5; other Officers, 1; Scholars, (m. 20, f. 39), 68. Total teachers, officers and scholars, 74. Children catechised, 64. Times catechised, 52.

Value of Church building, \$2,400.00; Rectory, \$2,100.00; other Church property, \$1,500. Total, \$6,000.00.

Receipts—Communion alms, \$43.81; Subscriptions, \$683.35; Donations, \$148.50; From Investments, \$622.00; Offerings, \$138.68; Guilds and other like Sources, \$147.00; Sunday School, \$61.07. Total \$1,484.41.

Expenditures—Parochial: Incidental expenses, \$64.75; Repairs, \$71.48; Insurance, \$45.30; Payment of debts, \$85.75; Rector's salary, amount pledged, \$259.85; Amount paid, \$259.85; Sunday School work, \$54.70. Total, \$1,361.83. Charitable, \$32.00. Diocesan:

Council Fund, \$4.50; Diocesan Missions, \$20.00; Bishop's salary, \$12.00; Disabled Clergy Fund, \$7.61; Bishop's Need Fund and Sheltering Arms, \$9.54. Total, \$53.65. Domestic Missions, \$20.77; Foreign Missions, \$12.81; Bible and Prayer Book Society, \$3.35.

Recapitulation—Total Receipts, \$1,444.41. Total Expenditures, \$1,484.00

In connection with this report, I have performed Church work and officiated in New London, Litchfield, Benson, Paysonville, Atwater, and other localities as required. D. T. B.

Wilder, Population 125, Jackson County, Church of The Redeemer; Vested in the Breck Mission and Farm School for the Diocese of Minnesota. Rev. DAVID GRIFFIN GUNN, Rector.

Families, 6. Individuals, 30. Baptisms, (inf. 10, ad. 6), 16. Present number confirmed, (m. 5, f. 12), 17. Communicating during year, 17. Public services, (Sundays, 24; other days, 52), 76. Holy Communion, 4. Sunday School—Teachers, (m. 2, f. 5), 7; officers 2; scholars, (m. 18, f. 22), 40; Total, 49. Children Catechised, 40. Times Catechised, 6. Value of Church Building, \$2,000; other Church Property, \$10,000; Total, \$12,000.

Wilder, Minn., June 6th, 1884.

Rt. Rev. M. N. GILBERT, D. D.: Since last report I have busied myself the best I knew how to keep the various appointments of the line of the Sioux City railway and its branches, and especially in trying to fulfill my contract with the Breck Mission and Farm School trustees, in finishing the School and Church of The Redeemer at Wilder. Enclosed please find my report. Faithfully yours, D. GRIFFIN GUNN, Missionary.

Windom, Population, 800, Cottonwood County; Church of The Good Shepherd; Rev. C. S. WARE, Missionary. (P. O., Wilder.)

Families, 4. Individuals, 16. Confirmed persons, 9. Communicating during year, 5. Public Services, 38. Holy Communion, 4. Value Church Building, \$1,000.

Receipts—\$164.50.

Expenditures—Rector's salary, \$150; Council Fund, \$1.50; Bishop's salary, \$8; Diocesan Missions, \$5. Total, \$164.50.

Winona, Population, 18,000, Winona County; S. Paul's Church; vested in Vestry; Rev. W. H. KNOWLTON, Rector. WM. H. YALE, CHARLES HORTON, Wardens.

Families, 110. Whole number souls (about), 509. Baptisms (inf. 11, ad. 1), 12. Confirmations (m. 2, f. 7), 9. Communicants, last reported, 165; added by Confirmation, 9; added by Transfer, 6. Total, 180. Lost by Transfer to another Parish, 13; Died, 3. Total, 16. Present number Confirmed (m. 45, f. 119), 164. Number Communicating during year (m. 43, f. 117), 160. Marriages, 3. Burials, 6. Public Services (Sundays, 150, other days, 104), 254. Holy Communion (Public, 74, private, 1), 75. Sunday School—Teachers (m. 2, f. 13), 15; other Officers, 5; Scholars (m. 50, f. 51), 101. Total, 121. Times Catechised during year, 20.

Value of Church Building, \$40,000.

Receipts—Communion alms, \$84; Subscriptions, \$5,925; Guilds and other like sources, \$300; Sunday School, \$125. Total, \$6,434.

Expenditures—Parochial: Incidental expenses, \$2,200; Payment of Debts, \$3,500; Sunday School work, \$100. Charitable, \$65. Diocesan: Council Fund, \$25; Diocesan Missions, \$100; Bishop's salary, \$100; Disabled Clergy Fund, \$9.50; Diocesan Education, \$6; Miscellaneous, \$102.50. Total, \$343. Domestic Missions, \$7.50; Foreign Missions, \$7.50.

Recapitulation—Total Receipts, \$6,434; Total Expenditures, 6,223.

Indian Missions.

The Rev. JOSEPH A. GILFILLAN, Superintendent,
White Earth, Becker County.

White Earth, Population 500, Becker County: S. Columba Church: Rev. J. A. GILFILLAN, Priest in charge; Rev. GEO. B. MORGAN, Assistant.

Families, 75. Whole number souls, 279. Baptisms (inf. 18, ad. 4), 20. Communicants, last reported, 121. Present number Confirmed (m. 54, f. 67), 121. Number Communicating during year (m. 31, f. 57), 88. Marriages, 5. Burials, 8. Public Services (Sundays, 55; other days, 20), 75. Holy Communion (Public, 14, private, 20), 34. Sunday School—Teachers (m.), 2; Scholars (m. 6, f. 3), 9. Total, 11.

Value of Church Building, \$10,000; Chapel, \$300; Rectory, \$1,600; other Church property, \$8,800. Total, \$20,700.

Receipts—D. & F. M. Society, \$1,465; Communion alms, \$32.88; Donations, \$515; Offerings, \$61.74. Total, \$2,073.62.

Expenditures—Parochial: Incidental expenses, \$6.00; Rector's salary, Assistant and Retired Clergyman, \$1,465; Other expenses, \$7.00; Sunday School work, \$15.00. Charitable: Poor, \$200; Mission work in Parish, \$300. Total, \$1,968. Diocesan: Council Fund, \$5.00; Diocesan Missions, \$35; Bishop's salary, \$20; Bishop's Special Needs Fund, \$7.50; Foreign Missions, \$13.12.

Recapitulation—Total Receipts, \$2,073.62; Total Expenditures, \$2,073.62.

DEAR BISHOP:—During the past year I have been occupied much as in previous years. Owing to the great depth of snow last winter, and no roads being broken, I missed one trip to Cass Lake, and two to Lake Winnibigoshish. Since Last Council, a new Mission has been established at Pine Point, 30 miles east of this place, among the Otter-Tail Indians, and school and teacher's house built.

Respectfully Yours,

J. A. GILFILLAN.

White Earth Agency, June 1st, 1888.

DEAR BISHOP:—A little now I tell you about this year's work, which I have in this place. Every Sunday I have stood with the brethren who preached, and as often as Mr. Gilfillan made the circuit of the Churches I had charge of this. You know that I am not well, therefore have been unable to do all the work which I should have done. It is not on purpose that I have not worked, for I have been sick, am still sick.

GEORGE B. MORGAN.

Cass Lake, Population, 250, Beltrami County; Church of The Prince of Peace: Rev. JOHN COLEMAN, Missionary. (P. O., Leech Lake.)

Families, 10. Individuals, 32. Baptisms (inf. 4, ad. 3), 7. Confirmations (f.), 2. Confirmed persons, last report, 10. Present numbers (m. 5, f. 10), 15. Communicating during year (m. 5, f. 10), 15. Marriages, 2. Burials, 5. Public Services (Sundays, 98; other days, 46), 144. Holy Communion, 5. Sunday School—Teachers, 2; Scholars (m. 5, f. 8), 13. Total, 15.

Value Church Building, \$275; Rectory, \$25. Total, \$300.

Receipts—D. & F. M. Society, \$365; Communion alms, \$8.81; Donations, \$98.00. Total, \$472.41.

Expenditures—Rector's salary, \$365; Sunday School, \$7; Poor, \$11.60; Mission work, \$40; Council Fund, \$1; Bishop's salary, \$1; Diocesan Missions, \$3; Bishop Gilbert's Special Needs Fund, \$3.81. Total, \$472.41.

YOU, WHOM I LOVE, THE BISHOP:—Once again the year comes round, and I again write you what I do, exhorting the Christians to love the Lord still more.

We have services twice on Sundays in the Church; again I gather the children; again we pray on Fridays. That is all.

(Signed)

REV. JOHN COLEMAN.

Lake Winnibigoshish, Itasca County; Church of S. Philip, the Deacon;
Rev. JOSEPH WAKAZOO, Missionary. (P. O., Leach Lake.)

Families, 15. Individuals, 40. Baptisms (inf.), 6. Confirmations, 4. Confirmed persons, last report, 19. Present number (m. 8, f. 13), 21. Burials, 4. Public Services, 136. Holy Communion, 3. Sunday School—Teachers, 1; Scholars (m. 4, f. 15), 19. Total, 20.

Value Church Building, \$275.

Receipts—D. & F. M. Society, \$365; Communion alms, \$8.42; Donations, \$88. Total, \$461.42.

Expenditures—Rector's salary, \$365; Sunday School, \$8. Charitable, \$85. Council Fund, \$1; Bishop's salary, \$1; Diocesan Missions, \$3; Bishop Gilbert's Special Needs Fund, \$3.42. Total, \$461.42.

DEAR BISHOP:—Ever since last Council I have been here. Every Sunday there is service twice and Sunday School, and on Fridays service, also. And we have social meetings during the week. And I teach a day school part of the day, every forenoon, and all who can attend. Their parents sometimes come in to my school to see them, how they get along, and are surprised to hear their children name the letters.

Yours,

JOSEPH WAKAZOO.

Leech Lake, Population, 500, Cass County; Church of The Good Shepherd;
Rev. GEORGE SMITH, Missionary.

Families, 41. Individuals, 144. Baptisms (inf. 6, ad. 5), 11. Confirmations, 1. Present number Confirmed (m. 28, f. 49), 74. Communicating during year (m. 21, f. 35), 56. Burials, 7. Public Services (Sundays, 87, other days, 25), 112. Holy Communion, 6. Sunday School—Teachers, 1; Scholars (m. 17, f. 13), 30. Total, 31.

Value Church Building, \$1,600; 2 Rectories, \$300. Total, \$1,900.

Receipts—D. & F. M. Society, \$365; Communion alms, \$34.81; Donations, \$233.30. Total, \$637.11.

Expenditures—New Church Bell, \$110.30; Wagon for Mission, \$58; Rector's salary, \$365, Sunday School, \$40; Charitable \$25; Council Fund, \$5; Bishop's salary, \$10; Diocesan Missions, \$15; Bishop Gilbert's Special Needs Fund, \$8.81. Total, \$637.11.

DEAR BISHOP:—A little I tell you of my work. We have service twice Sundays, and Sunday School, and we have service Friday evenings. That is my work in the place which I have left, Old Chief's Village, so in like manner I shall try to carry on well here. I hope the Lord will give His blessing. That is all.

GEO. SMITH.

Pembina Settlement, Population, 300, Norman County, (White Earth Reservation); Church of The Holy Spirit; Rev. CHARLES T. WRIGHT, Missionary. (P. O., White Earth.)

Families, 6. Individuals, 26. Present number Confirmed (m. 3, f. 5), 8. Communicating during year (m. 4, f. 9), 13. Public Services (Sundays, 12, other days, 12), 24. Holy Communion, 3.

Value Church property, \$380; Rectory, \$120. Total, \$500.

Receipts—Communion alms, \$2.50; Donations, \$63. Total, \$65.50.

Expenditures—Charitable, \$63; Foreign Missions, \$2.50. Total, \$65.50.

Red Lake Agency, Population, 500, Beltrami County; S. John's in The Wilderness Church; Rev. FRED W. SMITH, Missionary.

Families, 34. Individuals, 109. Baptisms (inf. 5, ad. 5), 10. Confirmations (m. 1, f. 3), 4. Confirmed persons, last report, 48. Present number (m. 19, f. 31), 50. Communicating during year (m. 16, f. 20), 36. Marriages, 3. Burials, 6. Public Services (Sundays, 40, other days, 62), 152. Holy Communion (public, 6, private, 5), 11. Sunday School—Teachers, 1; Scholars (m. 16, f. 13), 29. Total, 30. Children Catechised, 21. Times Catechised, 41.

Value Church Building, \$1,600.

Receipts—D. & F. M. Society, \$365; Communion alms, \$22.45. Total, \$387.45.

Expenditures—Rector's salary, \$365; Charitable, \$220; Council Fund, \$1; Bishop's salary, \$4; Diocesan Mission, \$8; Bishop Gilbert's Special Needs Fund, \$8.10; Disabled Clergy Fund, \$1.35. Total, \$367.45.

DEAR BISHOP:—Another year has passed since I send you of my report. I am still at the same place, and trying to do my Master's work; held services twice on every Sunday and Holy days. My people are doing very well.

Since last May I have taken charge of St. Antipas Church, and I do hope the good Lord will give me strength and health to do His work which He gave me to do. Pray for me, Dear Bishop.

Your Indian Brother,

FRED W. SMITH.

Red Lake, Old Chief's Village, Population, 115, Beltrami County; S. Antipas Church; Rev. FRED W. SMITH, Missionary.

Families, 22. Individuals, 107. Baptisms (inf. 2, ad. 1), 3. Confirmations (m. 1, f. 3), 4. Confirmed persons, last report, 40. Present number (m. 20, f. 31), 51. Communicating during year (m. 19, f. 30), 49. Burials, 7. Public Services (Sundays, 100, other days, 20), 120. Holy Communion (public, 6, private 4), 10. Sunday School—Teachers, 1; Scholars (m. 8, f. 12), 20.

Value Church Building, \$400; Rectory, \$50. Total, \$450.

Receipts—D. & F. M. Society, \$365; Communion alms, \$16.45; Donations, \$120. Total, \$501.45.

Expenditures—Rector's salary, \$365; Sunday School, \$10; Charitable, \$110; Council Fund, \$1; Bishop's salary, \$3; Diocesan Missions, \$5; Disabled Clergy Fund, \$2.45; Bishop Gilbert's Special Needs Fund, \$2. Total, \$501.45.

Wild Rice River, Norman County; Church of The Epiphany; Rev. CHARLES T. WRIGHT, Missionary. (P. O., White Earth Agency.)

Families, 23. Individuals, 78. Baptisms (inf. 1, ad. 1), 2. Confirmations, 1. Present number Confirmed Persons (m. 8, f. 21), 29. Communicating during year (m. 5, f. 14), 19. Public Services, 53. Holy Communion (public 7, private, 2), 9. Sunday School—Teachers, 1; Scholars (m. 10, f. 15), 25. Total, 26.

Value Church Building and Rectory, \$1,695.

Receipts—D. & F. M. Society, \$365; Communion alms, \$19.13; Donations, \$450. Total, \$834.13.

Expenditures—Rector's salary, \$365; Sunday School, \$15; Poor, \$70; Mission Work, \$365; Council Fund, \$2; Bishop's salary, \$5; Diocesan Missions, \$8; Bishop Gilbert's Special Needs Fund, \$4.13. Total, \$834.13.

DEAR BISHOP:—I write you a little to tell you about the place where I already am a year; and how I see the work to be I will tell you. Well, we assemble on Sundays when we are well, in Church. Midwinter, last winter, we began to have service twice on Sundays, and at three o'clock I teach the children. The attendance is very good. When I first commenced it was small, but laterly many of the Roman Catholics attend, so that sometimes we number 50, if there are many, and I pray the Lord will help us in our work.

Again, about the Pembiza Indians, I will say a little. There is a Church among them, and there I go to hold service whenever I can, or whenever I am well; a distance of perhaps 8 miles from my house. They have now no resident clergyman. That is where the deceased Rev. George Johnson preached, and this is what they say, that they wish a resident clergyman.

CHARLES T. WRIGHT.



Central Convocation.

REPORT OF THE DEAN.

TO THE RT. REV. M. N. GILBERT, D. D., *Assistant Bishop of Minnesota:*

The Central Convocation met at the Church of the Good Shepherd, St. Paul, on the 18th and 19th of January. Owing to the blockade on the railroads centering in St. Paul, the attendance was not as large as expected.

The Holy Communion was celebrated on the morning of the first day. A general Missionary meeting held in the evening. The Minnesota Branch of the "Church Temperance Society," Rev. Mr. Pope, Secretary, held its Annual Meeting Thursday p. m. The discussion of proposed topics was both interesting and profitable.

The next meeting was appointed at St. Luke's Church, Hastings, about the same date in January, 1889.

THOMAS B. WELLS, Dean.

Southern Convocation.

REPORT OF THE DEAN.

FARIBAULT, May 31, '88.

My Dear Bishop:

As Dean of the Southern Convocation I have, during the year, visited all the Missions in Rice County, excepting Dundas, Le Sueur, Centre, Cordova, Waterville, Kenyon, also the Parishes at Owatonna, Red Wing, Lake City, Wabasha, Wells and Austin.

The visits to Parishes have been in response to invitations of Rectors, except in case of vacancy.

The Clergy of the Deanery were called together for conference at Wells last September and at Austin a few weeks since. Due account of these gatherings were given to the Church at the time.

I have to thank my Rev. Brethren for their generous co-operation in carrying on the work of the Convocation.

Ever faithfully yours,

EDW. C. BILL.

Clerical Reports.

FARIBAULT, June 20, 1888.

RT. REV. H. B. WHIPPLE, D. D.: }
RT. REV. M. N. GILBERT, D. D.: }

The undersigned reports that during the last year he has been occupied with his professional duties at the Seabury Divinity School, and with literary work pertaining to the same, occasionally officiating or preaching in different places.

J. STEINFORT KEDNEY.

FARIBAULT, MINN., June 19, 1888.

RT. REV. M. N. GILBERT, D. D.

Dear Sir:

I have the honor to report that during the year just past, I have continued in the performance of my duties as professor in Seabury Divinity School, and that for a large part of the school year I read daily prayers at St. Mary Hall, in the absence of its Chaplain.

Respectfully yours,

E. S. WILSON.

TOLEDO, O., June 16, 1888.

THE RT. REV. M. N. GILBERT, D. D.

Rt. Rev. and Dear Sir:

I have only to report the discharge of my duty as Professor of Ethics and Apologetics in the Seabury Divinity School during the past scholastic year, with the exception of time for which leave of absence was granted me.

Faithfully yours,

J. MACBRIDE STERRETT.

FARIBAULT, MINN., May 31, 1888.

My Dear Bishop:

I herewith hand you the report of the Dean of the Southern Convocation as well as report of the Missions attached to the Cathedral. The Mission at Morristown has been separated from the Cathedral and joined with the Church at Waterville and during the past year has been well cared for by Mr. W. McVettie, of the Divinity School. As I have resigned the care of

the Cathedral Missions and handed them over to the Rector of the Cathedral Parish, hereafter their report will be made in connection with that Parish.

Besides my duties in the Cathedral and in the Mission field I have during the year discharged also the duties of the Professor of Liturgies in the Divinity School.

Below I add the figures taken from my private register.

Very faithfully yours,

EDW. C. BILL.

Ordinary Services, 127. Celebrations of Holy Communion, 44. Sermons and Addressess, 96. Baptisms, 22. Marriages, 2. Burials, 13.

Rt. Rev. and Dear Bishop:

St. Luke's Church, Detroit, was consecrated by the Rt. Rev. M. N. Gilbert, D. D., Assistant Bishop of Minnesota, on Friday, September the 16th, A. D., 1887. The Rev. Dr. Fletcher J. Hawley, Dean of Northern Convocation, the Rev. Charles A. Poole, of Duluth, and the Rev. J. A. Gilfillan taking part in the services.

Services are celebrated in this Church on alternate Sundays. The Missionary here has charge of a district fifty miles in extent along the Northern Pacific railway. Services are held at Perham, twenty miles east once in four Sundays, and at Lake Park, twelve miles west once in four Sundays. Services have been held at New York Mills, Lake Sybil, Winnipeg Junction, Maple Grove school house and Fletcher's school house.

At Perham the corner stone of the Church of the Redeemer was laid by the Assistant Bishop, July the 20th, 1887, the Rev. Dr. Mulchahey of St. Paul's Church, New York city, and the Reverend Dean Dr. Fletcher J. Hawley, of the Northern Convocation assisting. The church has been built and was used for Divine Service January 1st, 1888, in a rough state. It will soon be ready for consecration.

At Lake Park a lot has been promised and we shall hope to occupy it in time as the interest increases.

Faithfully yours,

May 31, 1888.

E. STEELE PEACE.

REPORT OF REV. D. GRIFFIN GUNN.

For Quarter Ending May 31, 1888.

MADELIA.

Services regularly morning and evening every second Sunday in each month. Missed one Sunday—absent in Mississippi, by permission of

Bishop Gilbert. Holy Communion, once. This Church has suffered from removals.

ST. JAMES.

Services every fourth Sunday in each month. Missed one Sunday in quarter. Absent by permission of Bishop Gilbert. Holy Communion, once. Two Baptisms. This Church has suffered also from removals; but three families have moved in.

WORTHINGTON.

Services every first Sunday in month, until present. Missed one Sunday. Absent by permission of Bishop Gilbert. Holy Communion, once. Burial of Mrs. Ann Busby. Interest awakening on account of new minister in the person of Rev. C. S. Ware, who takes charge June 1st, 1888.

WILDER.

Services first and third Sundays in each month. Holy Communion, twice. One baptism. Services every Friday night. Sunday School every Sunday afternoon at three o'clock. Interest increasing. The removal of Rev. Mr. Ware to Worthington has wrought some injury to the work, but the Missionary hopes soon to supply his place.

Respectfully your friend and brother,

D. GRIFFIN GUNN.

TINTAH, MINN. June 26, '88.

Dear Bishop Gilbert:

Please excuse me for not making my report before convention, as I ought to have done. A multiplicity of little causes led me to overlook it, or rather neglect it.

My report is simply that I have made this my home for most of the year. Am doing Missionary work as I find opportunity. Preach every Sunday at Tintah, excepting when having occasional services elsewhere, help in sustaining a Sunday School at Tintah. Hope and believe I am usefully employed.

I pray God to grant you much success in your labors.

Yours truly,

F. B. NASH.

RT. REV. M. N. GILBERT, D. D., S. T. D.,

Assistant Bishop of Minnesota.

Rt. Rev. Sir:

I beg leave to report that I am residing in Hastings, and occasionally assisted the Rev. E. Moyses, Rector of St. Luke's Church in the services of the Church and the administration of the Holy Communion.

JOHN WILLIAMSON.

June 13th, 1888.

FARIBAULT, June 20, 1888.

Dear Bishop:

During the past year I have been occupied at Shattuck School and have been unable to do any outside work during the term.

On Sundays I have assisted the Rector at the Shumway Memorial Chapel, and officiating in his absence both Sundays and week days.

During the months of July, August and September, 1887, I officiated at Cannon Falls every two weeks, administering the Holy Communion monthly. I also celebrated the Holy Communion for them the first Sunday in January. Easter Day I held services at Waterville morning and evening and celebrated the Holy Communion,

Faithfully yours,

GEO. C. TANNER,

Chaplain at Shattuck School.

FARIBAULT, MINN., June 25th, 1888.

THE RT. REV. H. B. WHIPPLE, D. D.

Dear Sir:

I have the honor to report that I have been engaged in my duties as Warden and Professor of Biblical Learning and Homiletics in the Seabury Divinity School.

Respectfully,

F. D. HOSKINS.

Lay Reader's Report.

Dear Bishop Gilbert:

I will report on the work at Excelsior. Our pretty little Chapel had become sadly out of repair, but last July, on application to the Bishop, I received of the Trustees of the Minnesota Church Foundation a balance of \$81.23 remaining in their hands of a fund, raised many years ago, belonging to Trinity Chapel, and expended this sum in necessary repairs,—shingling roof, painting, restoring glass in windows, etc. We also procured a nice organ, chandelier, lamps, stove, and other furniture and carpet. The Chapel is now comfortable and attractive. At your visit in July the attendance was seventy, and offering for your special fund \$14.38. We had service for nine Sundays, with average attendance of forty-eight. Rev. Wm. Brayshaw, of Maryland, was with us three Sundays and held service morning and evening, both well attended, showing what could be done had we the benefit of resident clergy, with proper visitation. The other services were conducted by clergy from the cities. Offerings \$52.80. Most of the clergy received only amount of their expenses, leaving us about \$24.00 towards repairs. During the winter an attempt has been made to hold lay service, with some success. There are but few resident church people, and these have been mostly absorbed by the sectarian bodies, three of which have buildings and permanent ministers. We hope the time may come when Trinity Chapel will be open for service, and well attended every Sunday in the year.

Sincerely Yours,

E. H. HOLBROOK, JR.



THE SHELTERING ARMS.

FOURTH ANNUAL REPORT.

The President and Ladies of the Board:

In behalf of the Board of Directors of the Sheltering Arms, I have the honor of presenting to you the Fourth Annual Report.

It has been the custom of this co-operation to hold its annual elections "Holy Innocents Day;" but, this year, circumstances preventing, the election took place on the tenth of January, Fifteen Directors were elected, a vacancy remaining to be filled, from St. John's Parish, St. Paul.

During the past year the Board has received the resignation of six members; ill health, and removal from the city being the causes, the death of one member is recorded.

The efficient matron, Miss Martha Wilcox, still presides at the home, and to her skillful management, much of the "home comfort" which is always apparent, is due.

The visitation of epidemics has not been so frequent, the past year as heretofore, although we have not been exempt from them.

The debt of the Home has been decreased, somewhat by the generosity of a few Christian friends, but the mortgage settlement is still a vexing question, which must be cared for.

When we consider this "Church Home" for the orphan is the only one of its kind in the diocese of Minnesota; it is astonishing that the moneyed churchmen will see it so embarrassed, and not extend a helping hand to place it on a sure foundation.

May our Heavenly Father hear the prayers of the faithful, and the coming year, be one of prosperity, for the Sheltering Arms.

The monthly meetings of the Board have been held with an average attendance of ten. The President has called extra meetings whenever she deemed it necessary.

The same earnestness of purpose which has prevailed in the past, has pervaded these meetings, and the best results have been sought for.

We have received during the year, substantial aid from friends in St. Paul and Minneapolis, in the form of money, goods and clothing, also, from numerous parishes throughout the State. To all we tender our heart-felt thanks, and assure our friends, that the disbursement of the gifts have been wisely made.

The Board feel especially grateful to Mrs. H. T. Wells, for the many useful articles of house-hold furniture, which were most acceptable.

The annual reception of the Donation Party, occurred Oct. 4th, and was well attended; the friends leaving generous reminders of their visit.

The children enjoyed two lawn parties given by members of the Board, also a visit to the Exposition, St. Paul's Parish of this city gave them a substantial Christmas dinner. The ladies of the Board, as is their custom, prepared a Christmas Tree which was very much appreciated.

Number of children cared for, 54. Removed, 23. Deaths, 5. Remaining in the Home, 26.

It remains my mournful duty, to pay a tribute, to one who has labored with you, but, who has passed into a higher life, Mrs. Sarah McDougall, a woman of many virtues, wise in council, and an earnest worker, we feel that in her death, the Board sustained an incalculable loss.

The Home has been without a Chaplain for some time, and it seems quite difficult to maintain a regular service, we trust that there will be some provision made for such a service in the future.

The Board wish to extend their thanks to Dr. Hall for his watchful care, in regard to the health of the children, which is so freely given without remuneration.

"Let us not be weary in well doing, for in due season we shall reap if we faint not."

ELIZABETH P. ULMER,

Sec. pro tem.

JUNE 12th, 1888.

Since the drawing up of the Annual Report the Sheltering Arms has been the recipient of very generous assistance for which all connected with the institution feel sincerely grateful. A reduction of six hundred dollars has been made on the debt, and by the help of donations of both money and provisions the current expenses have been easily encountered. However, the heavy mortgages on the Home, still greatly hamper its prosperity, and further and more abundant aid will be earnestly hoped for, until their dissolution is effected.

The Board of Directors sincerely regret to lose the faithful services of Miss Wilcox, who has been obliged to resign her position as Matron, by reason of failing health.

The Rev. W. B. Guion has been recently appointed Chaplain at the Home, and the regular Sunday services have been resumed.

HENRIETTA WELLES,

Secretary.

APPENDIX D.

SUMMARY OF EPISCOPAL ADDRESSES.

	BISHOP.	ASSISTANT BISHOP.	TOTAL.
Sermons and Addresses	135	227	362
Baptisms, (Inf. 3, Ad. 7)	10	26	36
Confirmations	157	581†	738
Holy Communion Celebrated	28	65	93
Marriages		9	9
Burials	3	2	5
Churches Consecrated		2	2
Ordinations, (P. 3, D. 4)	7* (P. 1, D. 3)	4	11
Visitations		134	134
Clergy Transferred	2	1	3
Clergy Received	5	6	11
Candidates for Holy Orders Rec'd		3	3
Postulants Received		2	2
Lay Readers Licensed		20	20

*Aug. 7, 1887, in Winnipeg, Manitoba, United in Consecration of Rev. Wm. Pinkham, D. D., as Bishop of Saskatchewan.

†Besides this, Confirmed 28 for the Bishop of Milwaukee.

S. Barnabas Hospital.

MINNEAPOLIS.

Board of Trustees.

I. Atwater,	Richard Martin,
Rev. A. R. Graves,	Rev. T. B. Wells,
Rev. F. R. Millsbaugh,	W. W. Folwell,
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Jno. C. Reno,	A. H. Linton,
Jno. I. Black,	L. R. Robertson.

Officers.

PRESIDENT—I. Atwater.
SECRETARY AND TREASURER—L. R. Robertson.
EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE—C. M. Hardenbergh,
Richard Martin,
M. H. Sessions.
SUPERINTENDENT AND MATRON—Mrs. Alice A. Pew.
HOUSE PHYSICIAN—Dr. Wood.

379 patients were received during the year ending June 11, 1888; 337 were cured and discharged and 41 died. Among the latter are included all that were brought to the Hospital in a dying condition.

The following statement shows the religious profession of the patients treated:

Baptist.....	3	Methodist Episcopal.....	23
Congregational.....	7	Moravian.....	1
Prot. Episcopal.....	17	Presbyterian.....	11
Free Church of Scotland.....	1	Roman Catholic.....	51
Hebrew.....	1	Universalist.....	5
Lutheran.....	100	Unknown, or belonging to no Ch.....	157

NATIVITY.

American.....	128	Irish.....	31
Bohemian.....	6	Italian.....	1
Chinese.....	1	Norwegian.....	42
Canadian.....	10	Nova Scotia.....	1
Dane.....	7	Polander.....	3
English.....	20	Russian.....	1
French.....	3	Swede.....	77
Fins.....	1	Scotch.....	6
German.....	37	Welsh.....	2

The Treasurer made the following report to the Board, for the year ending June 11, 1888:

OUTLAY.		EARNINGS.	
Personal Property,.....	\$256.73	Hospital Treatment,.....	\$10,825.91
Expense,.....	229.35	Donations.....	171.65
Gas.....	99.30	Annual Dues,.....	35.00
Repairs.....	660.44	Annual Pledges,.....	37.50
Service,.....	2,881.38	Interest,.....	127.15
Drugs & Medicines,.....	761.98	Visiting Board,.....	8.35
Surgical Appliances,.....	49.77		
Groceries,.....	1,936.50		
Meat,.....	950.55		
Milk,.....	787.77		
Ice,.....	79.90		
Taxes,.....	369.56		
Fuel,.....	1,265.25		
Insurance,.....	56.25		
Charity,.....	170.95		
Balance,.....	649.88		
	<u>\$11,205.56</u>		<u>\$11,205.56</u>

TREASURER'S RECEIPTS AND EXPENSES.

Cash on acc. of treatment of patients,.....	\$9,961.08	
Donations.		
St. Mark's Church,.....	100.00	
Gethsemane Church,.....	17.95	
Mrs. Dustin,.....	32.33	
Annual Pledges,.....	35.00	
Twilford Note,.....	19.15	
Legal fees returned.....	25.00	
Interest,.....	126.00	
Received from former Treasurer,.....	78.00	
	<u>810,394.51</u>	
Paid to sundry parties on account of above "outlay"	\$10,178.07	
Cash on hand,.....	216.44	
	<u>810,394.51</u>	
PERMANENT FUND.		
Gift of Joel B. Bassett,.....	\$ 200.00	
Legacy of Mrs. Horatio Seymour, of Buffalo, N. Y.....	1,000.00	
Legacy of John Inness.....	760.00	
	<u>81,960.00</u>	

This fund is all invested in securities drawing interest, the revenue being used for the benefit of the Hospital.

This small endowment is all that the Hospital has so far received upon which it must mainly depend to sustain its charity work and hence it is plain to be seen that the purely charity work of the Hospital must necessarily be very limited until the Churchmen take hold of the matter in earnest and either give the Hospital a charity fund through annual pledges or by large endowments. The Board of Trustees earnestly hope the day is near at hand, when the Church of this city will supply its Hospital with sufficient means to enable them to welcome every charity patient that may apply for admission. The value of the Hospital property can be safely estimated at \$60,000, possibly \$75,000.

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Number of patients admitted from Oct. 1st, 1881, to May 1, 1888,	1,318	Died, 173
" " " " " May 1, 1881, " 1882	68	" 6
" " " " " May 1, 1882, " 1883	112	" 10
" " " " " May 1, 1883, " 1884	178	" 19
" " " " " May 1, 1884, " 1885	180	" 31
" " " " " May 1, 1885, " 1886	109	" 13
" " " " " May 1, 1886, " 1887	220	" 26
" " " " " May 1, 1887, " 1888	451	" 68

SEX.

Male	1,183
Female	125

CLASSIFICATION.

Private	640
County	410
Marine	71
Charity	197

NATIONALITY.

United States	329
Sweden	244
Canada	210
Ireland	118
Finland	86
England	72
Norway	68
Germany	54
Scotland	34
France	21
Denmark	9
Poland	9
Italy	5
Switzerland	3
Wales	3
Belgium	1
Not given	52

The Secretary's report is as follows:

RECEIPTS.		ORDERS DRAWN.	
May, 1887	\$ 397.65	May, 1887	\$ 471.41
June, "	435.30	June, "	488.22
July, "	311.98	July, "	422.73
Aug., "	413.15	Aug., "	488.35
Sept., "	607.18	Sept., "	655.68
Oct., "	1,091.33	Oct., "	970.65
Nov., "	1,100.50	Nov., "	1,001.93
Dec., "	1,108.99	Dec., "	1,018.29
Jan., 1888	988.25	Jan., 1888	771.43
Feb., "	608.00	Feb., "	491.71
Mar., "	748.00	Mar., "	399.43
April, "	439.46	April, "	457.36
From St. Louis County	\$ 3,894.57	For Groceries	\$ 1,608.95
" Private Patients	3,652.25	" Meat	458.87
" Marine Patients	191.00	" Fuel	387.37
" Donations	482.55	" Drugs	289.17
		Miscellaneous	4,809.84

TREASURER'S REPORT.

May 1, 1887, Cash Balance	\$ 207.36
May 1, 1888, Receipts for Year	8,220.77
Bills Paid as per Secretary's order	\$ 7,611.30
Cash Balance, May 1, 1888	786.83

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Bishop
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Deacon
Families
Whole
Baptism
Confirmation
Communion
Communion
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Burials
Public
Holy Communion
Sunday
Sunday
Value of
Indebtedness
Communion

Rector's
Current
Church
Charity
Sunday

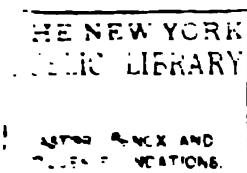
Bishop's

Domestic

Total Income

Total Receipts

Parishes



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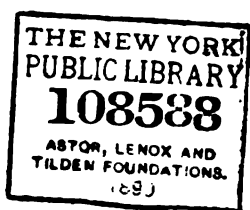
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 †The Rev. Andrew Harper, Jr., ordained December 28, 1888.
 †The Rev. Wm. St. J. Crickmer, ordained February 4, 1889.
 †The Rev. E. E. Edwards, ordained May 20th, 1889.

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Deacons	13
Total Clergy	91

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† An Alumnus or Associate Alumnus of Seabury Divinity School.

‡ Present, but not entitled to a vote.

NOTE.—The Rev. W. McVettie and the Rev. A. J. D. Kuehn were ordained Priests in Christ's church, St. Paul, June 30, 1889.

Alphabetical list and Address of the Clergy Canonically Connected with, and Residing in the Diocese June 12, 1889.

THE RT. REV. HENRY BENJAMIN WHIPPLE, D. D., L. L. D.,
Bishop of the Diocese, Faribault.

THE RT. REV. MAHLON NORRIS GILBERT, D. D.,
Assistant Bishop, 56 Park Place, St. Paul.

Adams, Rev. J. C., M. D., Lake City.
 Allen, Rev. T. K., Missionary, (P. O. La Crosse, Wis.)
 Andrews, Rev. G. D., Rector, Christ Church, St. Paul.
 Appleby, Rev. T. H. M. V., Diocesan Missionary, (P. O. 138 Carroll street,
 St. Paul.)
 Barker, Rev. Wm. M., Rector, S. Paul's Church, Duluth.
 Beer, Rev. Henry, Rector, Christ Church, St. Vincent.
 Beaulieu, Jr., Rev. C. H., Missionary, Leech Lake.
 Birch, Rev. Lewis C., Rector, Grace Church, Wabasha.
 Bill, Rev. Edward C., D. D., Dean, Prof. Liturgics Seabury Divinity School
 and Assistant Cathedral, Faribault.
 Booth, Rev. Daniel T., Rector, S. Luke's Church, Willmar.
 Bryde, Rev. C. E., England.
 Capron, Rev. Cyrus K., Missionary, Duluth.
 Clark, Rev. Edward H., Rector, Church of the Nativity, Wells.
 Coleman, Rev. John, Indian Missionary, Prince of Peace Church, Leech
 Lake.
 Cornell, Rev. James, Rector, S. John's Church, Janesville.
 Crickmer, Rev. Wm. St. J., Missionary, Ascension Church, Kenyon.
 Cummings, Rev. Charles A., Rector, S. John's Church, St. Cloud.
 Currie, Rev. Samuel, Missionary, Crookston.
 Dickey, Rev. Thomas E., Rector, Bishop Whipple School, and S. John's
 Church, Moorhead.
 Davis, Rev. Geo. H., Rector, S. Paul's Church, Brainerd.
 Dobbin, Rev. James, D. D., Rector, Shattuck School, Faribault.
 Edwards, Rev. E. E., Red Wing.
 Fortin, Rev. Ivan C., Rector, Christ Church, Crookston.
 Fowler, Rev. W. W., Rector, Calvary Church, Rochester.
 Gardam, Rev. Wm., Rector, Cathedral of Our Merciful Savior, Faribault.
 Gilfillan, Rev. Joseph A., Superintendent Indian Missions, White Earth.

Goudy, Rev. Robert R., Rector, Good Shepherd Church, Blue Earth City.
 Graham, Rev. A. J., *Dean* and Rector, Holy Trinity Church, Minneapolis.
 Graves, Rev. Anson R. Rector, Gethsemane Church, Minneapolis.
 Guion, Rev. Wm. B., City Missionary, Minneapolis.
 Gunn, Rev. David G., Missionary on the Sioux City Railroad (P. O. Wilder).
 Hamilton, Rev. J. F., Rector, Church of the Good Samaritan, Sauk Center.
 Hamilton, Rev. Wm. B., Rector, S. Luke's Church, Minneapolis.
 Harper, Jr., Rev. Andrew, Rector, Church of Our Saviour, Little Falls.
 Hart, Rev. Mark, Indian Missionary, charge Church of Good Shepherd, Leech Lake.
 Hawley, Rev. Fletcher J., D. D., (P. O. Lake Park.)
 Hill, Rev. A. Bailey.
 Hillmer, Rev. Joseph J., charge Trinity Church, St. Charles, (P. O. Winona.)
 Hills, Rev. Horace J., Wabasha.
 Hinman, Rev. Samuel D., Indian Missionary and teacher Birch Coolie.
 Hixon, Rev. Charles E., Rector, Grace Church, Minneapolis.
 Hudson, Rev. Theodore O., Rector, S. John's Church, Mankato.
 Jeffords, Rev. Sydney G., Assistant Christ Church, St. Paul.
 Johnson (Enmegahbowh), Rev. John, White Earth Reservation.
 Johnson, Rev. Hubert M.
 Johnson, Rev. Edwin, Rector, Christ Church, Austin.
 Jones, Rev. J. Wynne, Rector, S. Mark's Church, Lake City.
 Jukes, Rev. Mark, Rector, Emmanuel Church, Alexandria.
 Kedney, Rev. J. S., D. D., Prof. Divinity, Seabury Divinity School, Faribault.
 Kittson, Rev. H. W., Canada.
 Knowlton, Rev. Wm. H., Rector, S. Paul's Church, Winona.
 Kuehn, Rev. Alexander, D. J., Rector, Christ Church, Glencoe.
 Lloyd, Rev. John H., Rector, Ascension Church, 479 Greenwood ave., West St. Paul.
 McVettie, Rev. Wellington, Missionary, (P. O. Waseca.)
 Millsbaugh, Rev. Frank R., Rector, S. Paul's Church, 1213 Hawthorne ave., Minneapolis.
 Mills, Rev. Samuel, City Missionary, St. Paul.
 Morgan, Rev. George B., Indian Missionary, Church of Holy Spirit, Pembina Settlement (P. O. White Earth).
 Moysees, Rev. Edward, Rector, S. Luke's Church, Hastings.
 Mueller, Rev. G. H., Rector, All Saints Church, Northfield.
 Nash, Rev. F. B., Sr., Tintah.
 Peake, Rev. E. S., *Dean* and Missionary, S. Luke's Church, Detroit.
 Pinkham, Rev. Alfred G., Rector, Trinity Church, Litchfield.
 Plummer, Rev. Charles H., Rector, Christ Church, Red Wing.
 Pope, Rev. Wm. C., Rector, Church of the Good Shepherd, St. Paul.
 †Pritchard, Rev. J., Charge, Emanuel Church, Rushford.
 Purdy, Rev. E. J., Rector, All Saints' Church, Minneapolis.
 Poole, Rev. Charles A., Professor, Seabury Divinity School, Faribault.
 Potte, Rev. Francis H., Rector, S. Peter's Church, Shakopee.
 Prosser, Rev. J. W., Managing Editor Diocesan Organ, 1922 Fourth street S. E., Minneapolis, and Missionary.
 Purves, Rev. Stuart B., Missionary, Redwood Falls.
 Root, Rev. Herbert, Valley City, Dak.
 Sayres, Rev. William S., Rector, Grace Church, Montevideo.
 Smith, Rev. Frederick W., Indian Missionary, Church S. John in the Wilderness, Red Lake.
 Smith, Rev. Geo., Indian Missionary, Church S. Antipas, Red Lake.
 Sterrett, Rev. J. McBride, D. D., Professor Ethics and Apologetics, Seabury Divinity School, Faribault.

Stowe, Rev. Andrew D., Rector, Ascension Church, Stillwater.
 Tanner, Rev. George C., Chaplain, Shattuck School, Faribault.
 Tassell, Rev. Frederick J., Missionary, Mentor.
 Townsend, Rev. I. Jerome, Fairmont.
 Walden, Rev. Treadwell.
 Wakazoo, Rev. Joseph, Indian Missionary, S. Phillip's Church, Lake Win-
 nebegoshish (P. O. Leech Lake).
 Ware, Rev. Charles S., Missionary, Worthington.
 Wells, Rev. Thomas B., D. D., S. Mark's Church, 33 S. 6th, Minneapolis.
 Wells, Rev. Charles L., Professor Ecclesiastical History, Seabury Divinity
 School, Faribault.
 White, Rev. John H., Rector, Church of S. John the Evangelist, St. Paul.
 Williamson, Rev. John, Hastings.
 Wilkinson, Rev. Wm., Rector, S. Andrew's Church, Minneapolis.
 Wilson, Rev. E. Stuart, D. D., Professor O. and N. T. Exegesis and Hebrew,
 Seabury Divinity School, Faribault.
 Winsor, Rev. A. S. H., Rector, S. Martin's Church, Fairmont.
 Woodward, Rev. Charles, residing in Olmsted county (P. O. Rochester).
 Wright, Rev. Charles, Indian Missionary, Assistant S. Columbia Church,
 White Earth Reservation.
 Wright, Rev. John, Rector, S. Paul's Church, 383 E. 9th St. Paul.

‡ Not Canonically connected with the Diocese.

Candidates for Holy Orders.

JUNE 12, 1889.

*Francis Willis, Jr.,	*Arthur R. Taylor,
Charles Ferdinand Drake, M. D.,	Earnest M. Benedict,
*Charles Edgar Haupt,	*Charles H. Sherman,
*Charles Carter Rollit,	Rowland S. Nichols,
*John Biddle Halsey,	*William Tuson, Jr.,
Martin N. Ray,	Wm. H. Dewart,
Chas. B. Fosbrooke,	R. M. Baker.

*Ordained Deacons in Christ Church, St. Paul, June 30, 1889.

Postulants.

JUNE 12, 1889.

Geo. L. Keefer,	Arthur T. Gesner,
Thomas P. Thurston,	Frank H. Barton,
G. F. G. Hoyt,	Albert E. Fillmore,
Wm. J. Cordick,	Arthur Chard,
Frank Durant,	Chas. F. Kite,
John Caldwell.	

lay Readers.

Licensed During the Year 1889.

S. H. Hudson.....	Benson.	Arthur H. Mowbray.....	Slayton.
C. B. Fosbrooke.....	Paynesville.	Lawrence C. Miller.....	Wells.
Russell Freeman.....	St. Paul.	Arthur H. Lewis.....	Minneapolis.
Geo. C. Cochrane.....	St. Paul.	Robert Lyle.....	Minneapolis.
E. G. Valentine.....	Breckenridge.	Martin N. Ray.....	Appleton.
J. A. Scott.....	Duluth.	Charles A. Lovell.....	Tower.
S. L. Fraser.....	Duluth.	Wm. H. Dewart.....	Cambridge, Mass.
E. E. Richardson.....	Duluth.	W. W. Lowrey.....	Faribault.
S. F. Sniveley.....	Duluth.	Frank Durant.....	Faribault.
E. E. Edwards.....	Red Wing.	H. M. Hood.....	Merriam Park.
John Caldwell.....	Faribault.	Walter Keene.....	St. Paul.
John Houlgate.....	Faribault.	Francis M. Bacon.....	Faribault.
Joseph D. Greene.....	Lake Benton.	Edward T. Simpson.....	Faribault.
John Soher.....	Minneapolis.	Mrs. Sarah Warren.....	Worthington.
R. Tuson.....	Minnetoka Mills.	Mrs. Sallie B. Ware.....	Worthington.

Parishes and Congregations.

Organized and Incorporated and Entitled to Representation in Council, June 12, 1889.

Place.	County.	Name.
Albert Lea.....	Freeborn.....	Christ.
Appleton.....	Swift.....	Gethsemane.
Anoka.....	Anoka.....	Trinity.
Austin.....	Mower.....	Christ.
Alexandria.....	Douglas.....	Emmanuel.
Basswood Grove.....	Washington.....	S. Mary's.
Becker.....	Sherburne.....	Trinity Chapel.
Belle Plaine.....	Scott.....	Church of the Transfiguration.
Benson.....	Swift.....	Christ.
Brainerd.....	Crow Wing.....	S. Paul's.
Browns Valley.....	Traverse.....	S. Luke's.
Chatfield.....	Fillmore.....	S. Mathew's.
Caledonia.....	Houston.....	Trinity.
Cannon Falls.....	Goodhue.....	Redeemer.
Crookston.....	Polk.....	Christ.
Duluth.....	St. Louis.....	S. Paul's.
Elk River.....	Sherburne.....	Trinity.
Fairmont.....	Martin.....	S. Martin's.
Faribault.....	Rice.....	Cathedral of Our Merciful [Savior.
Farmington.....	Dakota.....	Church of the Advent.
Fergus Falls.....	Otter Tail.....	S. James.
Granite Falls.....	Yellow Medicine.....	Trinity.
Hastings.....	Dakota.....	S. Luke's.
Hassan.....	Hennepin.....	S. John the Evangelist.
Henderson.....	Sibley.....	S. Jude's.
Janesville.....	Waseca.....	S. John's.
Kenyon.....	Goodhue.....	Ascension.
Lake City.....	Wabasha.....	S. Mark's.

neur.....	Le Sueur.....	S. John's.
field	Meeker	Trinity.
Falls	Morrison	Our Savior.
ato	Blue Earth.....	S. John's.
video	Chippewa	Grace.
apolis	Hennepin	Gethsemane.
apolis	Hennepin	Grace.
apolis	Hennepin	Holy Trinity.
apolis	Hennepin	All Saints'.
apolis	Hennepin	S. Mark's.
apolis	Hennepin	S. Andrew's.
apolis	Hennepin	S. Paul's.
apolis	Hennepin	S. Luke's.
ead	Clay	S. John's.
field	Rice	All Saints'.
anna	Steele	S. Paul's.
Douglas	Washington	S. Paul's.
Island	Goodhue	Grace.
Ving	Goodhue	Christ.
ord	Fillmore	Emmanuel.
ster	Olmstead	Calvary.
ton	Morrison	Grace.
Center	Stearns	Good Samaritan.
Rapids	Benton	Grace.
pee	Scott	S. Peter's.
ster	Washington	Ascension.
aries	Winona	Trinity.
oud	Stearns	S. John's.
ul	Ramsey	Ascension.
ul	Ramsey	Christ.
ul	Ramsey	Good Sepherd.
ul	Ramsey	S. John the Evangelist.
ul	Ramsey	S. Paul's.
ul	Ramsey	S. Peter's.
ul (Merriam Pr)	Ramsey	S. Mary's.
ster	Nicollet	Holy Communion.
ncent	Kittson	Christ.
sha	Wabasha	Grace.
Bear Lake	Ramsey	S. John's in the Wilderness.
na	Winona	S. Paul's.
ville	Le Sueur	S. Andrew's.
.....	Faribault	Nativity.
ar	Kandiyohi	S. Luke's.
a	Waseca	Calvary.
Earth	Becker	S. Columba.
rota	Goodhue	Trinity.
Total		74

MISSIONS.

Not Entitled to Representation in Council, June 12, 1889.

<i>Place.</i>	<i>County.</i>	<i>Name.</i>
Aitkin.....	Aitkin.....	
Atwater.....	Kandiyohi.....	
Belle Creek.....	Goodhue.....	S. Paul's
Belle Wood.....	Dakota.....	S. Barnabas'
Birch Cooley.....	Redwood.....	S. John's
Blue Earth City.....	Faribault.....	Good Shepherd
Breckenridge.....	Wilkin.....	S. Luke's
Brownsville.....	Houston.....	Holy Comforter
Brownston.....	McLeod.....	S. Mary's
Buffalo.....	Wright.....	
Corinna.....	Wright.....	S. Marks'
Cannon City.....	Rice.....	Holy Innocents
Cardova.....	Le Sueur.....	Christ
Cass Lake.....	Beltrami.....	Prince of Peace
Detroit.....	Becker.....	S. Luke's
Dundas.....	Rice.....	Holy Cross
Delano.....	Wright.....	
Dresbach.....	Winona.....	
Dakota.....	Winona.....	S. John's
Excelsior.....	Hennepin.....	Trinity
Elysian.....	Le Sueur.....	Grace
Eden Prairie.....	Hennepin.....	S. John's
Frontenac.....	Goodhue.....	Christ
Faribault.....	Rice.....	Scandinavian Mission
Fridley Park.....	Anoka.....	Holy Trinity Chapel.
Glencoe.....	McLeod.....	Christ
Glenwood.....	Pope.....	
Glyndon.....	Clay.....	
Houston.....	Houston.....	Our Savior
Howard Lake.....	Wright.....	All Saints'
Hallock.....	Kittson.....	
Heron Lake.....	Jackson.....	
Kasson.....	Dodge.....	S. Peter's
Lake Crystal.....	Blue Earth.....	All Angels
Lake Park.....	Becker.....	
Leech Lake.....	Cass.....	Good Shepherd
Luverne.....	Rock.....	Holy Trinity.
Madelia.....	Watsonwan.....	Christ
Mantorville.....	Dodge.....	S. John's
Melrose.....	Stearns.....	Trinity
Mentor.....	Polk.....	
Minneiska.....	Wabasha.....	
Minnetonka.....	Hennepin.....	S. John's
Morris.....	Stevens.....	All Saints'
Morristown.....	Rice.....	S. John's
New Hartford.....	Winona.....	
New London.....		
New York Mills.....	Otter Tail.....	
North Branch.....	Chisago.....	S. Thomas

Ortonville	Big Stone	Christ
Perham	Otter Tail	Epiphany
Preston	Fillmore	
Princeton	Mille Lacs	
Pembina (settlement)	Norman	Holy Spirit
Pipe Stone	Pipe Stone	
Richwood	Becker	Holy Apostles
Redwood Falls	Redwood	
Reno	Pope	
Rockford	Wright	Trinity
Red Lake Falls	Polk	
Red Lake Agency	Beltrami	S. John in the Wilderness
Red Lake	Beltrami	S. Antipas
Rice's	Morrison	
Rush City	Chisago	Grace
Skyberg	Goodhue	
South Kenyon	Goodhue	
Spring Valley	Fillmore	
Stanton	Goodhue	
Stockton	Winona	Trinity
Slayton	Murray	S. Paul's
St. Paul	Ramsey	S. Stephen's
St. Paul	Ramsey	S. James'
St. Paul	Ramsey	Resurrection
St. Paul	Ramsey	Nativity
St. James	Watsonwan	Calvary
Wadena	Wadena	Grace
Warsaw	Rice	S. Thomas'
Waseca	Waseca	Calvary
Wells	Rice	Emmanuel
Wilder	Jackson	Redeemer
Windom	Cottonwood	Good Shepherd
Winnibigoshish Lake	Itasca	S. Phillip's
Wild Rice River	Norman	Epiphany
Worthington	Nobles	St. Johns
Total		84

Parishes	74
Missions	84
Total	158

Roll of Lay Delegates.

Entitled to Seats and Present in the Thirty-Second Annual Council of the Diocese, June 12, 1889.

<i>Basswood Grove</i>	S. MARY'S CHURCH: Mr. W. G. Hetherington.	Mr. D. B. Gallinger.
<i>Belle Creek</i>	S. PAUL'S CHURCH: Mr. W. W. Lowry.	
<i>Benson</i>	CHRIST CHURCH: Mr. S. H. Hudson.*	
<i>Brainerd</i>	S. PAUL'S CHURCH: Capt. W. P. Spalding. Mr. L. P. White.*	Mr. W. D. McKay (alt.) Mr. C. L. Spalding.*
<i>Cannon Falls</i>	CHURCH OF THE REDEEMER: Mr. Wm. Tauder.*	Mr. F. Youngberg.*
<i>Crookston</i>	CHRIST CHURCH: Mr. Geo. MacManus.*	Mr. A. G. Gallasch.
<i>Chatfield</i>	S. MATTHEW'S CHURCH: Mr. Theodore Woodruff.	
<i>Duluth</i>	S. PAUL'S CHURCH: Mr. S. P. Snively.*	
<i>Elysian</i>	GRACE CHURCH: Mr. Geo. E. Ray.	
<i>Fairmont</i>	S. MARTIN'S CHURCH: Mr. P. Wollaston.	Mr. J. A. Sinclair.*
<i>Faribault</i>	CATHEDRAL OF OUR MERCIFUL SAVIOR: Hon. Gordon E. Cole. Mr. E. A. Havens. Mr. S. L. Crocker.	J. W. Daniels, M. D.* Mr. E. K. Clements.* Mr. E. L. Kinsey.*
<i>Fergus Falls</i>	S. JAMES' CHURCH: Mr. James A. Brown.*	Mr. A. J. Grant.*
<i>Hassan</i>	S. JOHN'S CHURCH: Mr. W. S. Parslow.*	
<i>Hastings</i>	S. LUKE'S CHURCH: Mr. Denis Follett.* Mr. John H. Rhodes.*	Mr. Edward Vose.*
<i>Janesville</i>	S. JOHN'S CHURCH: Mr. D. J. Dodge.*	Mr. Thos. Kellmer.*
<i>Kenyon</i>	ASCENSION CHURCH: Mr. S. A. Bullis.*	Mr. N. J. Boblke.
<i>Lake City</i>	S. MARK'S CHURCH: Mr. R. H. Moore.	Mr. L. H. Buck.*
<i>Litchfield</i>	TRINITY CHURCH: Mr. Chas. H. Strobeck. Mr. Hamlet Stevens.	Mr. J. H. Morris.*
<i>Mankato</i>	S. JOHN'S CHURCH: Mr. A. M. Smith.	Mr. S. D. Parsous.

<i>Minneapolis</i>	ALL SAINTS' CHURCH: Mr. Thos. Saeger.	Mr. Robt. Lyle.
<i>Minneapolis</i>	GETHESEMANE CHURCH: Hon. I. Atwater. Mr. J. I. Black. Mr. E. H. Holbrook, Jr. Mr. F. G. Atkinson. Mr. W. E. Hartshorn (alt.) Mr. A. G. Dunlap (alt.) Mr. H. Twyford (alt.) Mr. E. H. Mathes. Mr. Wm. Saegar.	Mr. O. B. Bass. Mr. O. T. Tuttle.* Mr. E. P. Hawthorne.* Mr. W. D. Lawrence.* Mr. S. A. March.* Mr. P. H. Smith.* Mr. E. S. Weitzel.* Mr. L. A. Grant.*
<i>Minneapolis</i>	GRACE CHURCH: Mr. John Parslow. Mr. J. B. Powles.	Mr. G. A. Code (alt.)
<i>Minneapolis</i>	HOLY TRINITY CHURCH: Mr. John G. Hall. Mr. Fred. Farrington.	Mr. Charles H. House. Mr. F. L. Lynde.*
<i>Minneapolis</i>	S. PAUL'S CHURCH: Mr. B. S. Russell. Mr. A. H. Adams. Mr. A. S. Lovett.	Hon. M. H. Sessions.* Mr. H. A. Towne.* Mr. S. J. Murton.*
<i>Minneapolis</i>	S. MARK'S CHURCH: Mr. Hector Baxter. Capt. J. C. Reno. Mr. Fred'k Paine.* Mr. Wm. B. Folds.*	Mr. F. W. Forman.* Mr. C. W. Case.* Mr. Wesley Neill.*
<i>Moorhead</i>	S. JOHN'S CHURCH: Mr. A. A. White.*	Mr. W. R. Farmer.*
<i>Morristown</i>	S. JOHN'S CAURCH: Dr. W. Gibson.	Mr. Joshua Buck.*
<i>Montevideo</i>	GRACE CHURCH: Mr. J. M. Severens.	Mr. J. A. Case.*
<i>Northfield</i>	ALL SAINTS' CHURCH: Mr. J. F. Prior.*	Mr. C. W. Pye.*
<i>Owatonna</i>	S. PAUL'S CHURCH: Mr. B. F. Welch.* Mr. H. F. Harvey.*	Mr. W. A. Chesley.*
<i>Rochester</i>	CALVARY CHURCH: Mr. H. C. Butler.*	Mr. H. A. Brown.*
<i>Royalton</i>	GRACE CHURCH: Mr. A. W. Swanson.*	
<i>Red Wing</i>	CHRIST CHURCH: Judge E. T. Wilder. Mr. J. C. Pierce.* Mr. W. C. Williston.*	Mr. H. S. Rich.* Mr. S. B. Foote.* Mr. G. C. Davis.*
<i>Sauk Rapids</i>	GRACE CHURCH: Mr. C. G. Wood.*	
<i>Shakopee</i>	S. PETER'S CHURCH: Mr. J. A. Wilder.	
<i>St. Cloud</i>	S. JOHN'S CHURCH: Mr. Frank Tolman.	Mr. R. H. Sanford.

<i>Stillwater</i>	ASCENSION CHURCH: Mr. I. E. Staples. Mr. Robt. Slaughter.	Mr. H. E. Smith.*
<i>St. Paul (West)</i>	ASCENSION CHURCH: Mr. John Dale. Mr. Wm. K. Dixon (alt.)	Mr. Samuel Dearing.*
<i>St. Paul</i> ..	CHRIST CHURCH: Judge Jas. Gilfillan.* Mr. S. R. McMasters.* Mr. W. H. Lightner. Mr. W. R. Ladd. Mr. H. P. Hoppin. Mr. Ruben Warner.	Mr. Whitney Wall (alt.) Mr. Martin W. Albin (alt.) Mr. S. P. Hayes (alt.) Mr. J. C. Hill (alt.) Mr. Yardley (alt.) Mr. H. B. Wenzel (alt.)
<i>St. Paul</i>	CHURCH OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD: Mr. George Bell. Mr. Peter Baldy.	Mr. J. B. Jett.* Mr. W. D. Arnold.*
<i>St. Paul</i>	S. JOHN'S CHURCH: Mr. G. W. Dellinger.* Mr. C. W. Peet.*	Mr. J. H. Ames.* Mr. V. M. Watkins.*
<i>St. Paul</i>	S. MARY'S CHURCH (M. P.) Mr. D. S. Kingsbury.*	Mr. H. B. Dutcher.*
<i>St. Paul</i>	S. PAUL'S CHURCH: Hon. W. R. Merriam.* Hon. A. H. Wilder.* Mr. Harvey Officer.* Mr. Geo. A. Hamilton. Mr. Wm. J. Sleppy.*	Mr. Wm. J. Cordick (alt.) Hon. H. H. Sibley.* Mr. Samuel S. Breed.* Mr. Wm. H. Easton.* Mr. Edward Kopper.*
<i>St. Paul</i>	S. PETER'S CHURCH: Mr. C. H. Stevenson.*	Mr. J. M. Smith.*
<i>St. Peter</i>	CHURCH OF THE HOLY COMMUNION: Mr. A. L. Sackett.*	A. W. Daniels, M. D.*
<i>St. Vincent</i>	CHRIST CHURCH: Mr. A. H. Paston.*	Mr. S. B. Ross.*
<i>Warsaw</i>	S. THOMAS CHURCH: Capt. Platt.	Mr. Hueston.
<i>Waseca</i>	CALVARY CHURCH: D. S. Cummings, M. D.*	Mr. Chas. Ward.*
<i>Waterville</i>	S. ANDREW'S CHURCH: Hon. Lewis Stowe.	
<i>Wells</i>	CHURCH OF THE NATIVITY: Mr. L. C. Miller.	
<i>White Bear</i>	S. JOHN IN THE WILDERNESS CHURCH: Mr. Cyrus B. Cobb.	Mr. Thos. C. Fulton.*
<i>Willmar</i>	S. LUKE'S CHURCH: Mr. J. H. Wiggins.	Mr. John M. Spicer.*
<i>Winona</i>	S. PAUL'S CHURCH: Mr. Chas. Horton.* Mr. Jas. A. Merigold, Jr.*	Mr. Thos. Chappell.

* Not present at Council.

Number of Parishes entitled to representation	74
Number of Parishes represented	31
Number of Delegates entitled to seats	160
Number of Delegates present	69

Journal.

FIRST DAY.

FARIBAULT, MINN., }
CATHEDRAL OF OUR MERCIFUL SAVIOR, }
Wednesday, June 12, 1889. }

This being the day, by Canon appointed, for the meeting of the Thirty-second Annual Council of the Diocese of Minnesota, the Bishop, the Assistant Bishop, a large number of the Clergy and Lay Delegates of the Diocese assembled in the Cathedral Church, Faribault, at 9:30 a. m. The Rev. Ivan C. Fortin read Morning Prayer to the Creed, the Rev. W. W. Fowler taking the Creed and Prayers to the Litany, the Rev. Mark Jukes reading the Litany. The Rev. Wm. C. Pope read the first lesson and the Rev. E. H. Clark read the second lesson. The Rt. Rev. the Bishop of the Diocese took the ante-Communion Service and acted as Celebrant, being assisted by the Rt. Rev. the Assistant Bishop. The Rev. S. Pritchard read the Epistle and the Rev. J. Steinfort Kedney, D.D., read the Gospel.

Morning Service being ended, the Rt. Rev. the Assistant Bishop delivered his annual address as follows:

DEAR BRETHREN OF THE CLERGY AND LAITY OF THE DIOCESE OF MINNESOTA:

It is my pleasing duty and privilege to tell you to-day the record of my work as Assistant Bishop for the year since last we met in Council. A loving Providence has watched over and protected me in all my works and ways, and my heart goes out in warmest gratitude for His many signal mercies and preserving care. The year has been altogether too brief to accomplish all I wished, and the Diocese too large to reach as often as I would like the points where the voice of the Church is or ought to be frequently heard.

The encouragements have far exceeded in number the discouragements, and my heart has been made strong by the evidences of growth and development in all portions of the Diocese. The report I now make of visitations is required by the Canon, and is made as concise as possible. I shall report only those visitations which were official in their character.

Wednesday, June 27th, in St. Mark's Church, Lake City, ordained to the Priesthood Rev. Messrs. Lewis C. Birch, Hubert M. Johnson and J. Wynne Jones. The candidates were presented by Revs. Messrs. Tanner, Plummer and Knowlton, and the sermon preached by Rev. F. R. Millsbaugh.

In the evening preached and confirmed eleven persons in the Church at Onalaska, Diocese of Milwaukee.

Thursday, June 28th, consecrated the beautiful St. Paul's Church, Winona. It was a happy day in this parish, being, as it was, the culmination of work long carried on under many discouragements.

Sunday, July 1st, held services in the morning in the Hotel Lafayette Minnetonka Beach, and in the afternoon in Trinity Church, Excelsior.

Friday, July 6th, in the afternoon held services in the school house at Good Thunder's Sioux village near Redwood and confirmed five.

In the evening preached in the Church of the Holy Communion, Redwood Falls, and confirmed 7.

Sunday, July 8th, preached twice and baptized seven children in the Methodist church, Marshall. A Ladies' Guild here has been doing good work and is hoping soon to have regular services.

Monday evening, July 9th, preached in the school house in Coon Creek township, Lincoln county. A colony of young English churchmen have recently settled in this vicinity, and are making strenuous efforts to build a little church.

Sunday, July 14th, held services and preached in St. Mark's Church, Longworth. Since my visit, Mr. Octavius Longworth, a father in Israel, a devoted churchman, a man of spotless Christian character, and for many years the faithful Lay Reader of this little church, has gone to his rest. Full of years and of service, he has set a high example for others to imitate.

Sunday, July 22d, in the morning preached and confirmed one person in "St. John in the Wilderness" Church, White Bear Lake, and in the evening preached in the Church of the Holy Cross, Dundas.

Tuesday, July 24th, said the words of our burial service over our dear Brother Rev. George Brayton Whipple.

Friday, July 27th, preached and confirmed four persons in Grace Church, Wadena. This mission has been under the careful charge of Mr. Hoyt, of Seabury.

Saturday, July 28th, preached in New York Mills, one of the Stations of Dean Peake.

Sunday, July 29th, consecrated the Church of the Redeemer, Perham. This church is a model of good taste, constructed solidly as it is out of prairie boulders. I also at the same service confirmed a class of three.



In the evening preached and confirmed eight persons in St. Luke's Church, Detroit.

Monday, July 30th, preached in the school house, Lake Park. Money is being collected and plans made for the construction of a church during the year in this place.

Spent the greater portion of August in Montana, preaching in Missoula, Bitter Root Valley and Deer Lodge while there.

Saturday, Sept. 1st, attended opening services of Seabury Hall and made an address.

Sunday, Sept. 2d, consecrated the Camp Memorial Chapel, Minnetonka Beech, and confirmed one. This exquisite Chapel is the gift of Maj. G. A. Camp, and was built under his own personal supervision, and given to the Church as a memorial to loved ones in Paradise.

Friday, Sept. 7th, preached in the Church of the Holy Apostles, Richwood.

Sunday, Sept. 9th, in the morning, preached and confirmed 12 Chippewa Indians in St. Columba Church, White Earth. Our work here is now in a very satisfactory condition and moving on most harmoniously.

Monday, Sept. 10th, in the Church of The Epiphany, Wild Rice River, preached and confirmed two persons presented by Rev. Chas. Wright.

In the evening, in a school house in township 13, Polk county, preached and confirmed 4, prepared and presented by Rev. J. A. Gilfillan.

Thursday, Sept. 14th, in St. John in the Wilderness Church, Red Lake, preached and confirmed three, and in the afternoon preached and confirmed one in St. Antipas Church, Old Chief's village. These Missions are at present under the charge of Rev. Mark Hart, native Deacon. Rev. Fred Smith, so long in charge, has been suffering from a long and protracted illness, but has now, after treatment in St. Luke's hospital, St. Paul, quite recovered his health.

Sunday, Sept. 16th, in the house of an Indian, at Little Nat Lake, I preached, baptized 12 and confirmed 2.

Tuesday, Sept. 18th, in the Chapel of The Prince of Peace, Cass Lake, preached and confirmed two, presented by the native Deacon, Rev. John Coleman.

Wednesday, Sept. 19th, preached in St. Philip the Deacon's Church, Lake Winnebegoshish, under the charge of Rev. Joseph Wakazoo.

Sunday, Sept. 23d, preached and confirmed 9 in chapel of The Good Shepherd, Leech Lake, Rev. George Smith, Deacon in charge.

This entire trip, although in some respects trying physically, was most enjoyable. The work is moving on in a blessed and helpful way, and many souls among these natives of the wilderness are pushing their way out of darkness into the glorious light and liberty of the Children of God.

Thursday, Sept. 27th, attended annual meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary, in St. Paul's Church, St. Paul.

Sunday, Sept. 30th, in the morning consecrated St. John's Church, Hallock, Kittson county, and confirmed 4. This beautiful Church is the result of Rev. Mr. Appleby's wise and persistent work.

In the afternoon preached and confirmed seven persons in Christ Church, St. Vincent, and in the evening preached in Grace Church, Pembina, North Dakota. Since my visitation, the Rev. Mr. Appleby has resigned this field to become Diocesan Missionary, and Rev. H. Beer, from the Diocese of Algoma, has taken charge and is meeting with success.

Tuesday, Oct. 2d, preached in the Presbyterian Church, Fisher's, and baptized 7 persons.

In the evening preached and confirmed 23 persons in Christ Church, Crookston. The success attending the work of the Rector, Rev. I. C. Fortin, is placing this important Parish squarely upon its feet.

During my visit in Crookston the Northern Convocation was in session, and was full of interest.

Thursday, Oct. 4th, in the Church of The Beloved Physician, Mentor, Rev. S. Currie, Missionary, preached and confirmed a class of 5.

Sunday, Oct. 7th, held two full services in All Saints' Church, Morris.

Tuesday, Oct. 9th, in St. Luke's Church, Brown's Valley, preached and baptized two persons.

Wednesday, Oct. 10th, held services in the Congregational Church, Breckenridge.

Thursday, Oct. 11th, preached and confirmed four in St. John's Church, Moorhead, Rev. T. E. Dickey, Rector.

Friday, Oct. 12th, preached and confirmed one person in Gethsemane Church, Appleton. This little Parish is now in charge of Mr. M. N. Ray, candidate for Holy Orders.

Saturday, Oct. 13th, consecrated Grace Church, Montevideo. The work accomplished here both in building and paying for the Church and in the development of the Parish reflects great credit upon Pastor and people. Rev. Mr. Sayres from this time on will at the earnest request of the people, give his full time to Montevideo.

Sunday, Oct. 14th, in the morning preached and confirmed a class of seven in Grace Church, Montevideo, and in the evening preached and confirmed two in Granite Falls. Steps are being taken to erect a church at once in this growing town.

Tuesday, Oct. 16th, in Christ Church, Glencoe, preached and confirmed seven. Wednesday, Oct. 17th, preached and confirmed four in the Mission at Brownston. These two places are in charge of Rev. A. J. D. Kuehn.

Thursday, Oct. 18th, attended meeting of southern convocation in St. Mark's Church, Lake City.

Sunday, Oct. 21st, preached twice and confirmed four in Holy Trinity Mission, Luverne. Efforts are being made to erect a church, which promises to be successful in the near future. Monday, Oct. 22d, assisted by Rev. Mr. Ware, held Services in the Presbyterian Church, Pipe Stone, and Baptized two children.

Tuesday, Oct. 23d, in St. Paul's Church, Slayton, preached and confirmed one.

Wednesday, Oct. 24th, consecrated St. John's Church, Worthington, and confirmed one.

Friday, Oct. 26th, in the afternoon preached in the hall at Wilder, and in the evening preached and confirmed one person in the Church of The Good Shepherd, Windom. The Missions at Luverne, Slayton, Worthington and Windom, are under the charge of our zealous missionary, Rev. C. S. Ware, who is meeting with good success.

Sunday morning, Oct. 28th, preached and confirmed one person in Christ Church, Madelia, presented by the Missionary in charge, Rev. D. Griffin Gunn. In the evening preached in all Angels Church, Lake Crystal.

Monday, Oct. 29th, preached and confirmed three in the Church of The Good Shepherd, Blue Earth. Rev. R. R. Goudy is now the Rector of this little Parish.

Tuesday, October 30th in St. Martin's Church, Fairmont, preached and confirmed one person. Rev. A. S. H. Winsor has recently entered upon the charge of this work.

Wednesday, October 31st, in the Church of the Nativity, Wells, preached and confirmed one person. Rev. Mr. Clark is the rector of this excellent Parish.

Thursday, Nov. 1st, preached and confirmed one in Christ Church, Albert Lea, presented by the Rector Rev. A. B. Hill.

Friday, Nov. 2d, preached and confirmed five in Calvary Church, Waseca, Rev. W. McVettie missionary in charge. The Church property has been much improved and beautified during the year.

Sunday, Nov. 4th, preached and confirmed four in St. John's Church, Janesville, Rev. Jas. Cornell Rector. In the afternoon preached and confirmed two in Grace Church, Elysian, and in the evening preached and confirmed one in St. Andrew's Church, Waterville.

Monday, November 5th, in Gethsemane Church, Minneapolis, preached and confirmed a class of 20.

Spent the remaining days of November in the East in attendance upon the Missionary Council in Washington and elsewhere. Preached and made addresses while absent in Trinity Church, Pittsburgh, Epiphany Church, Washington, Christ, St. Lukes and Emanuel Churches, Baltimore, before the students of Trinity College and of the General Theological Seminary, also at a meeting of the Women's Auxiliary in Christ Church, Hartford.

Sunday, Dec. 2d, preached and confirmed two in St. John's Church, Man-
kato.

Tuesday, Dec. 4th, attended matriculation exercises in Seabury Hall, and in the evening addressed the Breck Missionary Association.

Sunday, Dec. 9th, in the morning consecrated St. John's Church, Le Sueur, preached and confirmed 10 persons. In the afternoon preached in St. Jude's Church, Henderson, and in the evening preached and confirmed two persons in Church of the Transfiguration, Belle Plaine. These stations have been most indefatigably cared for by Rev. Mr. Winsor.

Wednesday, Dec. 12th, in the Oratory of Seabury Hall ordained Mr. Stuart Ballantyne Purves as Deacon, Rev. C. D. Andrews presenting Priest.

Thursday, Dec. 13th, in St. John's Church, Minnetonka Mills, baptized 12 persons and confirmed a class of 8, presented by the Lay Rector Mr. Roger Tuson. In the evening preached in the school house at Hopkins.

Tuesday, Dec. 18, confirmed 11 persons in the Church at Chippewa Falls, Diocese of Milwaukee.

Thursday, Dec. 20th, preached and confirmed nine in Emmanuel Church, Rushford, Rev. S. Pritchard, Rector.

Sunday, Dec. 23, in Carist Church, St. Paul, preached and confirmed six persons.

Sunday, Dec. 30, opened the new Holy Trinity Church, St. Paul Park, preached and confirmed 2. In the evening preached and confirmed seven in St. James Church, St. Paul. These two Churches are under the care of Rev. S. Mills, the industrious city missionary.

Sunday, Jan. 5th, 1889, in the morning held service in St. Paul's Church, Duluth, in the afternoon in St. Luke's Mission, West Superior, and in the evening in Holy Spirit Mission, West End, Duluth.

During a portion of the month of January, was confined to the house by a painful illness.

Sunday, Feb. 3d, in the Cathedral, in Faribault, preached and confirmed 13 persons presented by Rev. Wm. Gardam. Mr. Gardam is doing an admirable work in the Cathedral Parish.

Monday, Feb. 4th, in the Cathedral ordained to the Diaconate Mr. Wm. St. John Crickmer, Mr. Gardam presenting the candidate. In the evening presided at a meeting of the Cathedral Chapter of St. Andrew's Brotherhood.

Sunday, Feb. 10th, in St. Paul's Church, Brainerd, preached and confirmed 10 persons. This Parish is very fortunate in having for a Rector Rev. Geo. H. Davis.

Sunday, Feb. 17th, in St. Peter's Church, St. Paul, preached and confirmed 14, presented by Rev. Mr. Mills.

Sunday, Feb. 24th, preached in St John's Mission, Minneapolis, and confirmed 4 persons, presented by the City Missionary, Rev. W. B. Guion.

Monday, March 25, in the afternoon preached and confirmed 8, in St Thomas' Church, Warsaw, and in the evening preached and confirmed 25 in St John's Church, Morristown. These churches are under the charge of Rev. Mr. McVettie, who has conducted the work with energy and success.

Wednesday and Thursday Feb. 27th and 28th, presided at the first annual meeting of the Minnesota Church Sunday School Association in St Paul's Church, Minneapolis.

Sunday, March 3d, instituted Rev. John Hazen White, as Rector of St John The Evangelist's Church, St Paul.

Ash Wednesday, March 6th, opened a mission in Stillwater.

Sunday, March 10th, in the evening preached and confirmed 8 persons in All Saint's Church, Minneapolis. Rev. E. J. Purdy, the Rector, is working this Parish with earnestness and wisdom.

Wednesday, March 13th, preached and confirmed 2 persons in St Luke's Church, Shakopee. Rev. F. H. Potts, Rector.

Thursday, March 14th, preached and confirmed 12 persons in All Saint's Church, Northfield.

Friday, March 15th, preached and confirmed 2 in Holy Cross Church, Dundas. Rev. Mr. Mueller, Rector of these two Parishes, is meeting with great encouragement.

Sunday, March 17th, in the morning in Holy Trinity Church, Minneapolis, preached and confirmed a class of 9, presented by the Rector, Rev. A. J. Graham.

In the evening in the Church of the Ascension, St. Paul, preached and confirmed 12. Rev. J. H. Lloyd rector of this parish has had a year of hard work, but he has triumphed with most happy results.

Tuesday, March 19, in the Church of the Redeemer Cannon Falls, preached and confirmed a class of eight presented by the Lay Reader in charge Mr. W. W. Lowry.

Wednesday, March 20th, in the afternoon preached and confirmed four in the school house at Skiberg, Goodhue county, and in the evening preached and confirmed three in Ascension Church, Kenyon. Rev Wm. S. J. Crickmer, Rector, Thursday, March 22d, in St. Peter's Church, Kasson, preached and confirmed eleven.

Friday, March 23d, preached and confirmed six persons in St. John's Church, Mantonville. The revival of life and interest in these two places under the careful direction of Mr. Alexander of Seabury is most gratifying.

Sunday, March 24th, preached twice and confirmed three persons in Calvary Church Rochester. Mr. Taylor has most acceptably supplied this parish during the vacancy and prepared the way for the present Rector, Rev. W. W. Fowler.

Tuesday, March 26th, acted as one of the presenting Bishops at the consecration of Bishop Knight in All Saint's Cathedral, Milwaukee.

Wednesday, March 27th, preached in St. John's Church, Blooming Prairie.

Thursday, March 28th, in Christ Church, Austin, preached and confirmed seven persons, presented by Rev. Edwin Johnson. This parish has wonderfully strengthened during the year.

Friday, March 29th, preached and confirmed fourteen in St. Paul's Church, Owatonna, presented by Mr. Haupt, of Seabury. This parish is now vacant through the removal of Rev. Mr. Metcalf to Tennessee, but steps are being taken to fill it.

Sunday, March 31, preached and confirmed twelve in St. Luke's Church, Hastings, presented by the Rector, Rev. E. Moyses; in the afternoon preached and confirmed two in St. Mary's Church, Basswood Grove, and in



the evening preached and confirmed six persons in St. Paul's Church, Point Douglas. These two stations are cared for by Rev. J. W. Prosser.

Monday, April 1, preached and baptized one in Church of the Advent, Farmington.

Wednesday, April 3d, preached and confirmed fourteen in the Church of The Good Samaritan, Sauk Centre, Rev. J. F. Hamilton, rector.

Tuesday, April 4th, preached and baptized a child in Emmanuel Church, Alexandria. Since my visit Rev. Mark Jukes, of the Diocese of Rupert's Land, has entered upon the charge of the work.

Friday, April 5th, preached in St. James' Church, Fergus Falls. This parish has been vacant for a year, but frequent services have been held by the General Missionary, and a clergyman will be put in charge July 1st.

Sunday, April 7th, preached twice and confirmed a class of nine in St. Paul's church, Winona, Rev. W. H. Knowlton, rector.

Tuesday, April 9th, preached and confirmed four in Trinity church, St. Charles, Rev. J. J. Hillmer in charge.

Wednesday, April 10th, preached and confirmed eleven in the Methodist church, Dresbach. Preparations are being made to build a church at Dakota, near by. Rev. T. K. Allen is meeting with much success in this work.

Thursday, April 11th, preached in the Church of the Holy Comforter, Brownsville.

Friday, April 12th, preached and confirmed four in Trinity church, Caledonia. This little parish is being cared for at present by Rev. Mr. Ten Broeck, of La Crosse.

Sunday, April 14th, in the morning in Gethsemane church, Minneapolis, preached and confirmed 28, two of them being from the mission of Rev. Mr. Guion. In the afternoon preached and confirmed 14 in St. Luke's church, Minneapolis, Rev. W. B. Hamilton, rector. During the year this work has become a parish, and is having a substantial growth. In the evening in Christ church, St. Paul, preached and confirmed 27. This parish will build a new Guild house during the coming year.

Monday, April 15th, preached and confirmed one person in Grace church, Rush City.

Tuesday, April 16th, preached and confirmed four in St. Thomas church, North Branch. These stations are cared for by Rev. Mr. Wilkinson, of Minneapolis.

Wednesday, April 17th, preached and confirmed six in Grace church, Minneapolis. This parish has never been in so good a condition as now.

Good Friday, in the afternoon, preached and confirmed ten in St. Mary's church, Merriam Park, and in the evening preached and confirmed five in St. Stephen's church, St. Paul. These churches are cared for by Rev. Mr. Jeffords, assistant at Christ church.

Saturday, April 20th, in the afternoon, preached and confirmed nine in St. Johns in the Wilderness church, White Bear Lake, and in the evening preached and confirmed two persons in St. Peter's church, St. Paul. A beautiful stone chapel has been erected during the year by this new parish.

Easter night in the Church of the Ascension, Stillwater, preached and confirmed 56 persons. The year's Rectorship of Rev Mr. Stowe has been most signally blessed in every way.

Monday, April 22d, preached in Trinity Church, Elk River.

Tuesday, April 23d, consecrated Holy Trinity Chapel, Fridley Park, preached and confirmed three persons. This work has been successfully developed by Rev. Mr. Graham. In the evening of the same day preached and confirmed two persons in Trinity Church, Becker, presented by the Priest in charge, Rev. J. W. Prosser.

Thursday, April 25th, acted as one of the presenting Bishops at the consecration of Bishop Grafton in the Cathedral at Fond du Lac.

Sunday, April 28th, in the morning, preached and confirmed nine in St. John's, Mankato. A new Rectory has been completed during the year, adding much to the value of the property.

In the evening preached and confirmed a class of five in All Angels Church, Lake Crystal.

Monday, April 29th, preached and confirmed three persons in Trinity Church, Anoka. The services in this Parish have been acceptably maintained during the year by Mr. Rollit, of Seabury.

Wednesday, May 8th, confirmed a supplementary class of nine in Holy Trinity Church, Minneapolis.

Thursday, May 9th, in the Church of the Holy Communion, St. Peter, preached and confirmed eight. The Rectory built during the year is one of the most beautiful and complete in the Diocese. The removal of Rev. Mr. Thompson is a great loss to this Parish.

Friday, May 10th, preached in the Congregational Church, Sleepy Eye. Services will be commenced here in July.

Sunday, May 12th, consecrated the Church of the Holy Communion, Redwood Falls, and confirmed fifteen.

In the afternoon preached in the Chapel at Good Thunder village, Rev. S. D. Hinman interpreting.

Tuesday, May 14th, in Trinity Church, Litchfield, preached and confirmed seventeen, presented by Rev. Mr. Pinkham. A new pipe organ has been placed in the Church recently, and the Church property improved in many ways. The Parish is in a flourishing condition.

Wednesday, May 15th, preached in Christ Church, Benson. Services have been maintained here by that venerable missionary, Rev. F. B. Nash.

Thursday, May 16th, lectured in Willmar for the benefit of the Church.

Friday, May 17th, opened the new St. Stephen's Church at Paynesville. Preached and confirmed four persons. This is a very complete Church, and will do much good in this community. Mr. C. B. Fosbooke, Lay Reader, has charge of the work.

Saturday, May 18th, confirmed four in private in St. Paul's parish, Minneapolis.

Sunday, May 19th, preached and confirmed seven in St. John's Church, St. Cloud. In the afternoon preached and confirmed two in Grace Church, Sauk Rapids.

Monday, May 20th, preached and confirmed nine in Grace Church, Roylton. This work has been under the charge of the rector at St. Cloud, and has had a remarkably satisfactory development.

Tuesday, May 21st, in The Church of Our Savior, Little Falls, preached and confirmed a class of ten the result of the earnest work of Rev. A. Harper, temporarily in charge.

Wednesday, May 22d, in the court house at Glenwood preached and confirmed two, presented by our General Missionary.

Thursday, May 23d, held services in Zion Church, Reno. The two stations will be worked from Alexandria by the rector there.

Sunday, May 26th, in St. Matthew's Church, Chatfield, preached and confirmed a class of eight, presented by Rev. S. Pritchard, who is generally beloved.

Wednesday, May 29th, preached in the Congregational Church, Spring Valley.

Ascension day, preached and confirmed 4 in Emmanuel Church, Rushford, presented by Rev. Mr. Pritchard. In the afternoon preached in Emmanuel Church, Houston.

Sunday, June 2d, preached in St Paul's Church, Duluth, Rev. W. M. Barker, rector. The outlook of this strong Parish, is most encouraging. In the afternoon preached in St Luke's Mission, West Superior, and in the evening preached and confirmed 10 in Holy Spirit Mission, Duluth, West End. These two Missions are under the charge of Rev. C. K. Capron and are very promising.

Monday, June 3d, preached and confirmed 4 in Christ Mission, Tower, presented by our General Missionary. An important work is opening up at this point and a church will be built at once. Steps are being taken to secure a Rector.

Friday, June 7th at 10:30 a. m., preached and confirmed 2 persons in St John's Church, Hassan. In the afternoon confirmed a class of 8 in Rockford and laid the cornerstone of the new Church. In the evening preached and confirmed two persons in Delano. These three stations receive the valuable oversight and attention of Rev. F. R. Millsbaugh.

Whitsunday, June 9th, in the morning preached and confirmed 6 persons in the Methodist Church, Le Sueur Center. Steps are being taken to build a Church here soon. In the afternoon preached and confirmed 4 in Christ Church, Cordova. These stations are cared for by Mr. Arthur Chard, of Seabury. In the evening preached and confirmed 7 in St Andrew's Church Waterville.

I will summarize and tabulate the above visitations and confirmations:

Good Thunder's vil. (2 visitations).....	5	Shakopee	2
Redwood Falls (2 visitations)....	22	Northfield	12
Marshall.....	0	Dundas (2 visitations).....	2
Coon Lake.....	0	Minneapolis,	
White Bear Lake (2 visitations)..	10	Holy Trinity (2 visitations)....	18
Wadena	4	St. Paul,	
Perham.....	3	Ascension	12
Detroit.....	8	Cannon Falls	8
Minnetonka Beach.....	1	Skiberg	4
White Earth.....	12	Kenyon.....	3
Wild Rice River.....	2	Kasson	11
Thirteen Towns.....	4	Mantorville	6
Red Lake.....	3	Rochester.....	3
Old Chief's village	1	Austin.....	7
Little Nat Lake	2	Blooming Prairie.....	0
Cass Lake.....	2	Owatonna	14
Leech Lake.....	9	Hastings	12
Pine River.....	1	Basswood Grove	2
Halleck.....	4	Point Douglass	6
St. Vincent.....	7	Farmington	0
Fisher's	0	Sauk Centre.....	14
Crockston	23	Alexandria.....	0
Mentor's.....	5	Fergus Falls.....	0
Morris.....	0	Winona	9
Brown's Valley.....	0	St. Charles.....	4
Breckenridge	0	Dresbach	11
Moorhead.....	4	Brownsville	0
Appleton	1	Caledonia	4
Montevideo.....	7	Minneapolis,	
Granite Falls.....	2	St. Luke's.....	14
Glencoe.....	7	Rush City	1
Brownton.....	4	North Branch.....	4
Merriam Park.....	12	Minneapolis,	
Luverne.....	4	Grace Church.....	6

Pipestone.....	0	St. Paul,	
Slayton.....	1	St. Stephen's.....	5
Worthington.....	1	Stillwater.....	56
Windom.....	1	Fridley Park.....	3
Wilder.....	0	Elk River.....	0
Madelia.....	1	Becker.....	2
Lake Crystal (2 visitations).....	5	Longworth's.....	0
Blue Earth.....	3	Anoka.....	3
Fairmount.....	1	St. Peter.....	8
Wells.....	1	Sleepy Eye.....	0
Albert Lea.....	1	Litchfield.....	17
Waseca.....	5	Benson.....	0
Janesville.....	4	Willmar.....	0
Elysian.....	2	Paynesville.....	4
Waterville (2 visitations).....	8	Minneapolis,	
Minneapolis, Gethsemane (2 vis).....	48	St. Paul's.....	4
Mankato (2 visitations).....	11	Saint Cloud.....	7
Le Sueur.....	10	Sauk Rapids.....	2
Henderson.....	0	Royalton.....	9
Belle Plaine.....	5	Little Falls (2 visitations).....	10
Minnetonka Mills.....	8	Glenwood.....	2
Hopkins.....	0	Reno.....	0
Rushford (2 visitations).....	13	Chatfield.....	8
St. Paul Christ Church (2 vis).....	34	Duluth,	
St. Anthony Park.....	0	Holy Spirit (2 visitations).....	10
St. Paul Park.....	2	St. Paul's.....	0
St. Paul St. James.....	7	Tower.....	4
Faribault.....	13	Excelsior.....	0
Brainerd.....	10	Hassan.....	2
St. Paul St. Peter's (2 visitations).....	16	Rockford.....	8
Minneapolis St. John's Mission.....	4	Delano.....	2
Warsaw.....	8	Le Sueur Centre.....	6
Morristown.....	25	Cordova.....	4
Minneapolis,			
Holy Innocents.....	0	Total.....	798
All Saints.....	8		

I have confirmed twenty-one persons for the Bishop of Milwaukee, and three for the Missionary Bishop of Montana.

The Bishop of North Dakota kindly confirmed a class of 12 in Christ Church, Crookston.

I have visited during the council year within the Diocese 144 different Parishes, several of them twice; delivered 241 sermon and addresses, not including confirmation addresses; celebrated the Holy Communion 67 times; baptized 34 persons not entered on Parish registers; married 10 couples.

I have ordained two Deacons, viz., Messrs. Stuart Ballantyne Purves and Wm. St. John Crickmar; and have ordained three priests, viz., Revs. Louis Cass Birch, Hubert Malcolm Johnson and J. Wynne Jones.

I have admitted as postulants: Albert E. Fillmore, William J. Cordick, John Caldwell, Rowland S. Nichols, Arthur Chard, William H. Dewart, Charles B. Fosbrooke, E. E. Edwards, Ernest Benedict, Martin N. Ray, Charles F. Kite; and as candidates for Holy Orders: Rowland S. Nichols, William H. Dewart, Charles B. Fosbrooke, E. E. Edwards, Martin N. Ray, R. M. Baker and Albert M. Hilliker.

I have licensed as Lay Readers: S. H. Hudson, Benson; C. B. Fosbrooke, Paynesville; Russell Freeman, St. Paul; Geo. C. Cochrane, St. Paul; E. G. Valentine, Breckenridge; J. A. Scott, S. L. Fraser, C. E. Richardson, S. F.

Snively, all of Duluth; John Soper, Minneapolis; Roger Tuson, Minnetonka Mills; Arthur H. Mowbray, Slayton; Laurence C. Miller, Wells; Arthur M. Lewis, Minneapolis; Robert Lyle, Minneapolis; Martin N. Ray, Appleton; Charles A. Lovell, Tower; William H. Dewart, Cambridge, Mass.; W. W. Lowry, Faribault; Frank Durant, Faribault; H. M. Wood, Merriam Park; Walter Keene, St. Paul; Mrs. Sarah Warren and Mrs. Sallie B. Ware, of Worthington. 27.

There have been transferred: Rev. E. P. Chittenden and Rev. P. B. Peabody to the diocese of Kansas; Rev. R. N. Avery, to the diocese of Indiana; Rev. R. E. Metcalf, to the diocese of Tennessee; and Rev. Delbert F. Thompson, to the diocese of Milwaukee. And have received: Rev. Henry Beer, from the diocese of Algoma; Rev. Andrew Harper, jr., from the diocese of Milwaukee; Rev. Wm. M. Barker, from the diocese of Maryland; Rev. John H. White, from the diocese of Chicago; Rev. George H. Davis, from the missionary jurisdiction of Wyoming and Idaho; Rev. Clement H. Beaulieu, from the diocese of Iowa; Rev. Cyrus K. Capron, from the diocese of New York, and Mark Jukes, from the diocese of Rupert's Land.

I have given canonical consent to the consecration of Rev. Boyd Vincent, D. D., as Assistant Bishop of Southern Ohio; Rev. J. Mills Kendrick, D. D., as Missionary Bishop of New Mexico and Arizona; Rev. Cyrus F. Knight, D. D., as Bishop of Milwaukee, and Rev. C. C. Grafton, as Bishop of Fond-du-Lac.

The postulants are:

Arthur T. Gesner, Thomas P. Thursten, Albert E. Fillmore, G. T. G. Hoyt, George L. Keeter, Frank H. Barton, William J. Cordick, John Caldwell, Arthur Chard, Charles F. Kite, Frank Durant. Candidates for Holy Orders, Francis Willis, Chas. F. Drake, Arthur R. Taylor, Ernest Benedict, Charles C. Rolit, James B. Halsey, Chas. H. Sherman, Wm. Tuson, Rowland S. Nichol, William H. Dewart, Charles B. Fosbrooke, Martin N. Ray, R. M. Baker.

I have consecrated nine churches, viz: St. Paul's, Winona; Redeemer, Perham; Camp Memorial, Minnetonka Beach; St. John's, Hallock; St. John's, Worthington; St. John's, Le Sueur; Grace, Montevideo; Holy Trinity, Fridley Park; Holy Communion, Red Wood Falls. And have consecrated one cemetery at Leech Lake, and laid the corner stone of a church at Rockford.

During the absence of the Diocesan in Europe, and also during his sojourn in Florida, the care of the diocese devolved upon me.

Churches have been built during the year at Minnetonka Beach, Dayton's Bluff, St. Paul, St. Paul Park and Paynesville. Rectories have been completed at Glencoe, Mankato, St. Peter and Red Lake. Lets have been secured for the church in Brownton, Granite Falls, St. Anthony Park, Tower, Lake Park, Luverne, Dakota, Rockford and Madison Lake and upon most of these, God willing churches will be built this year. Improvements and enlargements have been added to the churches in Kasson, Mantorville, St. John, The Evangelist's St. Paul, Worthington, Royalton, Holy Trinity Minneapolis and Waseca. The condition of the work generally throughout the Diocese is very satisfactory. The clergy have done most faithful and self-sacrificing work, in the face of times of serious difficulties, and the Laity have shown a spirit of interest and co-operation. The salaries of our missionaries are inadequate, and yet on the average are considerably larger than in some of the older dioceses. I have made strenuous efforts to secure increased local subscriptions, and the Diocesan Missionary has rendered great assistance in this matter. As I go about from point to point in the diocese and see with my eyes the trying experiences to which many of our missionaries are subjected, and note moreover the cheerful, self-denying spirit they display, together with the helpfulness and interest of the loving wives of these

brave men, my prayer is for the means to aid them and to make their lots easier and their burdens lighter. Dear brethren of this Council, can you not devise some means of evoking more missionary aid from your parishes? Can you not take some practical steps looking towards greater individual interest in the work of missions? If the duty and privilege of giving for our missionary work could be brought before each communicant of the Church and cause him to feel that the Church expects him personally to contribute, at least double the amount now given in the diocese for this purpose could be realized. This matter rests largely in the hands of the clergy. They alone can arouse the laity to their full duty.

The action taken at the last council, in providing the means for a general diocesan missionary enabled me, with the approval of the Diocesan, to carry the plan into effect. One of our missionaries who had, by many years of successful and devoted labors in a large mission field in the diocese, proven his fitness for larger responsibilities, was appointed and entered upon his work the middle of October. The results of our action have proven even more satisfactory than I had dared to hope. He has been constantly traveling throughout all portions of this vast diocese, holding services in vacant parishes and mission stations, celebrating the holy communion, arranging by personal canvass for the support of the clergymen or for the coming of a pastor, and aiding me in many ways in the work resting upon my shoulders. His report submitted to you will tell its own story. It will be a serious disaster to the work of the church if this council should fail to arrange for his continuance. Let us not draw back in any way in the aggressive policy which has been the marked characteristic of the church in the diocese of Minnesota, but go steadily forward, having faith that God will sustain us in all our ventures for Him.

The impression left upon my mind by my last visit to our Indian missions was altogether favorable.

Under the experienced and altogether devoted work of our superintendent, Rev. J. A. Gilfillan, the work is being pressed with a wisdom and vigor which are beyond all praise. Good boarding schools have been opened at Wild Rice River, Pine Point, Leech Lake and Cass Lake, and the material is on hand for the erection of a building at Red Lake. These schools have been largely attended, and the superintendent reports good results. The Roman Catholics are extending their own work among them, but our church is much more acceptable to the large majority of the Chippewas, and if we can sustain these schools and increase their efficiency, we shall do much to elevate and Christianize these neglected people. This work is an integral part of the diocese, and should receive the interest and consideration of the council.

Our diocesan paper, the Missionary and Record, has been of much service in disseminating Church information, and in affording a medium for official communications. It should be in the hands of every Church family in the diocese. It is essential to the proper administration of the work.

One of the greatest difficulties in carrying on the work of the Church is the difficulty of providing clergy for our missionary fields. It is almost impossible to induce suitable men from the East to come to our help. Sometimes my heart grows sick when I hear the calls from our mission stations and know not how to answer them. Were it not for Seabury Divinity School supplying us as it does every year with reinforcement the condition would be alarming. We can only hope and pray and work.

The system of utilizing the services of lay readers, which I have encouraged and sustained especially during the past year, has proved satisfactory. I cannot forbear, bearing testimony to the very earnest and efficient labors of the students of Seabury Divinity School during their vacations in stimu-

lating, sustaining and developing the mission fields committed to their care. In many instances moreover this work has been continued successfully during two terms in places adjacent to Faribault.

The "Special Needs Fund" has accumulated during the year to \$878.42. This fund is a necessity. Without it my hands would be tied as far as any pecuniary aid is concerned, to any persons or places.

Will not the laity of this diocese remember this valuable fund in their special offerings.

In conclusion, I would add, that with one or two exceptions, I have been able to visit every parish and mission station in this diocese, except those visited by the Diocesan, besides holding services in a few places where no clergyman has found it possible to go. My visits in some instances have been hurried ones, but the diocese is very large and the number of days in the year cannot be increased. We have every reason to enter upon the new year with good cheer and courage. The past one has been the most fruitful in the history of the diocese. To God's name be the praise.

To my beloved superior, the Bishop of this diocese, I render the tribute of the deepest love and gratitude of my heart. He has been as a father to me in helpful counsel and unselfish confidence. May God spare him to the diocese, and, may I add, to me, for many years to come.

We go forth, dear brethren, as workers together with God. Bear with my mistakes and shortcomings in the future as in the past. I need your love, your forbearance, your counsel and your prayers. We are united in one common work. Ours is the glory now to suffer if need be, for the Master, but some day reward shall be ours, and with it, rest. Amen.

Mahlon N. Libb

*Assistant Bishop
Minnesota*

The offering taken was for Diocesan Missions.

Divine Service being concluded, The Rt. Rev. The Bishop of the Diocese, took the chair and called the Council to order, under whose direction the Secretary of the Diocese called the roll of the Clergy, provided by the Diocesan, when forty-five Priests and nine Deacons, fifty-four in all, answered to their names, took seats, and a quorum of Clergy found present.

The list of Parishes was then called and the credentials of Lay Delegates placed in the hands of the Secre-

tary. The Rt. Rev. The President, appointed the Rev. Danl. T. Booth and Mr. R. H. Sanford to act with the Secretary, as a Committee on Lay Credentials,

On motion the Council adjourned until 2:30 p. m.

THE CATHEDRAL, Faribault, }
Wednesday, June 12th 2:30 p. m. }

Council re-assembled and called to order by the Rt. Rev. The President. The Committee on Lay Credentials reported to the Council as follows:

REPORT.

Your Committee, to whom was referred the Credentials of Lay Delegates beg to report that they find the persons named in the list herewith, entitled to seats in this Council. (See list on page 18.)

DANIEL T. BOOTH, }
R. H. SANFORD, } Committee.
ANDREW D. STOWE }

On motion the report was adopted, the roll of Lay Delegates called, and a quorum found present, whereupon the Rt. Rev. the President, declared the Council open for business.

On motion of the Rev. Geo. H. Mueller, the ballot was dispensed with, and The Rev. Andrew D. Stowe, of Stillwater, unanimously re-elected Secretary of the Diocese, who appointed The Rev. Charles A. Cummings, of St Cloud, Assistant Secretary.

On motion, Mr. H. P. Hoppin was unanimously re-elected Treasurer of the Diocese.

On motion, Mr. E. H. Holbrook, Jr, was unanimously re-elected Treasurer of the Episcopate Fund.

The Rt. Rev. The President announced the following *Standing Committees*:

ON INCORPORATION OF PARISHES—The Rev. Anson R. Graves, W. H. Lightner, Hon. Gordon E. Cole.

ON FINANCE—The Rev. Joseph A. Gilfillan, Mr. Chas. H. Strobeck, Mr. P. Wollaston.

ON PRIVILEGE—The Rev. Charles H. Plummer, Dr. J. W. Daniels, Mr. J. I. Black.

ON LEGISLATION—The Rev. J. Steinfort Kedney, D. D., The Rev. Thos. B. Wells, D. D., Judge E. T. Wilder, Hon. I. Atwater.



ON STATE OF THE CHURCH—The Rev. Edward C. Bill, D. D., The Rev. Theodore C. Hudson, The Rev. Charles A. Cummings, Hon. Lewis Stowe, Mr. Thos. Chappel, Mr. Fred Farrington.

ON UNFINISHED BUSINESS—The Rev. Wm. C. Pope, The Rev. Andrew J. Graham, The Rev. T. H. M. V. Appleby.

ON ASSESSMENTS—The Rev. Anson R. Graves, The Rev. Charles D. Andrews, The Rev. Charles H. Plummer, Mr. E. H. Holbrook, Jr., Mr. H. P. Hoppin, Mr. P. Baldy.

The Rt. Rev. The President made the following appointments: The Rev. Edward Moyses on *Ecclesiastical Court*, for five years; and the Rev. George H. Davis on *Appellate Court*, for five years.

On motion of The Rev. Charles H. Plummer it was

Resolved, That visiting Clergy and Divinity Students be invited to seats on the floor of this council.

Mr. E. H. Holbrook, Jr., Treasurer of the Episcopate Fund, read his report which was referred to the Finance Committee. (See appendix A.)

On motion of The Rev. C. D. Andrews it was

Resolved, That the arrearages of Ascension Church, West St Paul, be remitted.

On motion of Mr. E. H. Holbrook, Jr., it was

Resolved, That in the matter of arrears on assessments for the Episcopate Fund and Council Fund, any parishers desiring a rebate of the whole or a part of such arrears may apply to the Committee on Assessments, who for good cause, may allow such rebate.

On motion of Mr. E. H. Holbrook, Jr., it was

Resolved, That the report of the Treasurer of the Episcopate Fund be referred to a special committee.

The Rt. Rev. The President appointed as such committee The Rev. John Wright, The Rev. Wm. H. Knowlton, and Mr. S. D. Parsons.

Mr. H. P. Hoppin, Diocesan Treasurer, read his report which was referred to the Finance Committee. (See appendix B.)

The Rt. Rev. The President read the report of the Minnesota branch of the Woman's Auxilliary to the Board of Missions for 1888-89.

Offertory at annual meeting Sept. 27, 1888.....	\$ 50.00
The same sent to Rev. Jas. Gilfillan for Indian schools.	
St. Paul's Church, St. Paul, (mite chest, \$29.72; other work, \$891.14)	920.86
Christ Church, St. Paul.....	333.20
Church of the Good Shepherd, St. Paul.....	59.75
St. John the Evangelist, St. Paul.....	19.15
St. Mark's, Minneapolis.....	658.17
Gethsemane, Minneapolis.....	137.55
St. Paul's, Minneapolis.....	112.55
Holy Trinity, Minneapolis.....	81.50
St. Andrew's, Minneapolis.....	6.38
All Saints', Minneapolis.....	5.14
Grace Church, Minneapolis.....	12.04
Christ Church, Red Wing.....	99.25
St. Luke's, Hastings.....	113.65
Cathedral of Our Merciful Saviour, Faribault.....	163.03
Church of the Nativity, Wells.....	52.30
St. Paul's, Winona.....	122.55
St. John's, Janesville.....	13.14
St. Luke's, Willmar.....	11.07
St. John's, St. Cloud.....	17.04
St. John's, Moorhead.....	8.68
St. John's, Mankato.....	4.80
Mentor.....	3.15
St. Martin's, Fairmont.....	8.35
Euclid, Euclid.....	1.05
St. Anthony Park.....	1.80
Church of the Ascension, Stillwater.....	68.00

Total.....\$ 3,084.15

This includes the money collected from the mite chests, which has been expended as follows:

Total collections.....	\$523.04
Sent Miss Emery for Sister Mary's salary, Mobile.....	\$100.00
Sent Miss Emery for General Missions.....	50.00
Sent Mr. Hoppin for Diocesan Missionary.....	300.00
Sent Rev. J. A. Gilfillan for Indian School.....	70.24

\$520.24

Balance.....2.80 \$523.04

MARY D. FOLDS, Secretary.

On motion of the Rev. E. H. Clark, it was

Resolved, That the thanks of this Council be extended to the ladies of the Minnesota Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary for their grand work in the cause of missions as shown in their report, and that the same be printed in the Journal of the Diocese.

On motion of the Rev. Chas. D. Andrews, it was

Resolved, That the Secretary be authorized to print an edition of 500 copies of the Constitution and Canons of the Diocese of Minnesota, and that the Rules of Order be printed with the Constitution and Canons, and in the Journal.

The Rev. Anson R. Graves submitted the following, which was adopted:

REPORT.

The Committee on the incorporation of new parishes reports that an application has been made for admission to the Council, by St. Peter's parish, St. Paul, and having examined the papers, find that the Constitution and Canons in such cases have been complied with and recommend the parish be received into the Council.

The Rev. Wm. C. Pope submitted the following:

REPORT.

The Committee on unfinished business beg to report that the following Committees have reports to make: ON THE CATECHETICAL WORK OF THE CHURCH; ON THE EDUCATIONAL WORK OF THE CHURCH; ON MISSIONS AND CHARITIES; ON TITLE OF CHURCH PROPERTY; ON CHANGE OF DATE OF HOLDING COUNCIL; ON A MEETING IN THE INTEREST OF THE CHURCH TEMPERANCE SOCIETY.

The Rev. Wm. C. Pope submitted the following:

REPORT.

The Committee appointed to find out in whom the title of the Church property is vested in the Diocese, reports as follows:

Vested in the Vestries of the respective Parishes:

Willmar, Church. Wells, Church. Red Wing, Church property. Sauk Center, Church property. Hastings, Church property. Stillwater, Church property. Montivideo, Church. Mankato, Church. Canon Falls, Church. Shakopee, Church and Rectory. Rushford, Church property. Winona, Church property. Janeville, Church.

St. Paul; in Vestry of Christ Church: Christ Church and Rectory, Guild House. St. Stephen's Church.

In Vestry of St. Paul's Church: St. Paul's Church and Rectory, St. James' Chapel.

In Vestry of Good Shepherd: Church of the Good Shepherd, Rectory, school house, Chapel of the Resurrection.

In vestries of the respective churches.

St. John Evangelist.

Church of the Ascension. St. Peter's, Church. St. Matthew's, Church. Trinity, Church. St. Mary's, Church, Rochester, Church and Rectory.

Minneapolis; Gethsemane, Church. Holy Trinity, Church and Rectory. St. Mark's, Church and Rectory. Grace, Church. All Saints, Church. St. Andrew's, Church and Rectory. St. Paul's, Church. Vested in Dr. Wells for the Minneapolis Missionary Society, one lot.

Vested in the Bishop: Chatfield, Church. Crookston Church property. Windom, Church. Worthington, Church property. St. Charles, Church property. Austin, Church property. Austin, Church Lots and Rectory.

Vested in the Diocese: St. Cloud, Church and Rectory. Blue Earth, Two lots and Rectory. Litchfield, Church property. Madelia, Church. Lake Crystal, Church. Kenyon, Church, Rectory and four lots.

Vested in Trustees of Bishop Seabury Mission, Faribault, Cathedral, Chapel of Good Shepherd, Shattuck School, Oratory of Seabury Hall, Scandanavian Chapel, House for sexton.

Vested in Church Foundation. Royalton, Church property. Glencoe, Church property. Brainerd, Church property.

Vested in U. S. Government. On White Earth Reservation: 8 Churches, 8 Parsonages, 1 Hospital, 4 Schools.

Vested in Brotherhood of Gethsemane, Minneapolis, Howard Lake Church property.

Vested in "Trustees Breck Mission and Farm school." Sundry property in Wilder.
WILLIAM C. POPE.

The Rev. Chas. A. Cummings offered the following which was referred to the Committee on Legislation.

Resolved, That the Council of the Diocese of Minnesota memorialize the General Convention of the Protestant Episcopal Church, praying them to amend Canon 12 of title 2, section 1, in the digest of the Canons, as follows, viz.: by adding the words, "And any rector of a parish or minister of a congregation receiving any such certificate from a communicant, on entering his or her name in the parish register shall, without needless delay, notify the rector of the parish or minister of the congregation from which said communicant shall have removed, that he or she has so done. And in such case his or her name shall be removed from the list of communicants in the register of the parish or congregation, to which he or she formerly belonged."

The Rt. Rev. the Bishop of the Diocese read the annual report of the Board of Trustees of the Minnesota Church Foundation, which was submitted by the Secretary, Mr. Harvey Officer. (See appendix C.)

The Rev. J. A. Gilfillan, chairman of the Finance Committee, submitted the following, which was adopted :

REPORT.

Your committee to whom was referred the several Treasurer's accounts have examined the same, and find them correct in every particular, and also offer the following.

Resolved that the reports of the Treasurer of the Diocese and of the Episcopate fund shall be made up ten days before the meeting of the council, and any parishes in debt to the Council or Episcopate fund at that date, shall be reported as in arrears.

The Rev. James Dobbin D. D. submitted the following which was adopted.

REPORT.

Your Committee, to whom was referred the resolution providing for a change in the time of holding the annual Council, beg leave to submit the following.

Resolved. That Canon XIV be and the same is amended so as to read as follows: The annual meeting of the council shall be held on the first Wednesday in June of each year at such place as shall be designated by the next preceding council.

Judge E. T. Wilder offered the following preamble and resolution which, after considerable discussion, was adopted.

WHEREAS at the General Convention of 1880 a resolution was adopted in which appear these words—"in view of the fact that this Church is soon to enter upon the second century of its organized existence in this country"—the work of "enrichment" of the book of Common Prayer was inaugurated.

AND WHEREAS, this promise of enrichment or revision has since been and now is before the Church.

AND WHEREAS, This year of our Lord 1889 completes the century of the organized life of this Church in America; therefore,

Resolved, That it is the sense of this Council that the succeeding General Convention should definitely conclude this work of enrichment and revision; that a second standard Book of Common Prayer may be established and published as of this centennial year.

Resolved further, That the Secretary prepare and deliver to the deputies from this Diocese to the General Convention a certified copy of the above preamb'e and resolutions. and they are hereby requested to present the same to the House of Deputies.

On motion the Council adjourned until 7:30 p. m.

• THE CATHEDRAL, Faribault, {
Wednesday, June 12th, 7:30 p. m. }

Council re-assembled and called to order by the Rt. Rev. the President. Prayers were said by the Rt. Rev. the Assistant Bishop, when the Bishop of the Diocese delivered his annual address as follows:

BISHOP WHIPPLE'S ADDRESS.

BELoved BRETHREN: It was not my privilege to meet with you in our last Diocesan Council. I attended the Lambeth conference, and at the request of the Archbishop of Canterbury and upon the nomination of our presiding bishop, I preached the opening sermon. As it sets forth the principles which have been my guide during the thirty years that I have been your bishop, I would like to have it incorporated in our Diocesan Journal.

The first Lambeth conference was convened by Archbishop Longley in 1867. This conference was largely due to the great missionary, Bishop Selwyn, who believed that such a conference would unite in closer bonds the different branches of the English-speaking people. South Africa was then suffering from the Colenso trouble. The Vatican council had decreed a new article of faith—the immaculate conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary; some of the teachers of the Church had cast doubt on the verities of divine revelation. Seventy-six bishops were present in this conference. They wisely confined their work to the re-affirmation of the Church's belief in the inspiration of the sacred Scriptures, the binding obligation of the two sacraments appointed by Christ, the threefold ministry of the Catholic Church, and the faith once delivered to the saints as set forth in the Catholic creeds before there was any east and west in the Church. The encyclical letter, written by Bishop Wilberforce, had the ring of apostolic days. The second Lambeth conference, composed of ninety-five bishops, was convened by that great ecclesiastical statesman, Archbishop Tait, whose dying legacy to his brethren was, "Love one another." This conference arranged plans for mutual co-operation in missionary work, and for closer union between the branches of the Anglican Church. The conference of 1888 was attended by one hundred and forty-five (145) bishops, all having charge of dioceses and missionary fields. It devoted itself to the consideration of those burning questions which affect the work of the Church, intemperance, impurity, lawlessness, divorce and unbelief, which threaten all which Christian men hold dear for themselves, their homes and their country. The discussions were marked by earnestness and brotherly love. The influence of the church in the United States was felt in avoiding all questions which could affect the autonomy of national Churches, or which looked toward the centralization of authority.

In all of these conferences there was a deep underlying desire for the reunion of Christendom, for the healing of alienated hearts and the taking

away of all hedges which men have builded in the garden of the Lord. I had the honor to be a member of the committee on "Home Reunion." This committee reported and the conference adopted, the declaration of unity put forth by the Bishops of our Church in 1886—that as essential to the restoration of unity among the divided branches of Christendom we account the following:

1. The holy scriptures of the Old and New Testament as the revealed word of God.
2. The Nicene creed as the sufficient statement of the Christian faith.
3. The two sacraments, Baptism and the Supper of the Lord, administered with unailing use of Christ's words of institution and of the elements ordained by Him.
4. The historic Episcopate locally adapted in the methods of its administration to the varying needs of the nations and peoples called of God into the unity of His Church.

The committee believed that even if the historic Episcopate was accepted as the future rule of a united Church, there was no hope of a present reunion, unless there was some provision made for the employment of the ministers of non-episcopal bodies. They therefore expressed the belief, that God had been pleased to bless the ministrations of ministers, not Episcopally ordained, in the salvation of men and the advancement of the Kingdom of Christ on the earth, and that some provision should be made, as might be mutually agreed upon, for the acceptance of such ministers as fellow workers with us in the service of Our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ. The committee made no suggestions as to what these terms ought to be, it set forth no standard of scholarship, it suggested no mode of reception. It simply stated the fact that there was no present hope of reunion unless we were prepared to consider the employment of these ministers as fellow laborers for Christ on terms to be mutually agreed upon. Sickness and pain prevented my attending the meetings of the committee. I accepted their report and all responsibility which belongs to it. I do not believe the wit of man can frame an eirenicon to heal Christian division, I said at Lambeth: "There are alienations to be healed, unkind words to be taken back and heart burnings to be forgiven. When the God of Peace dwells in all Christian hearts Our Lord's prayer will be answered that they all may be one." No one branch of the Church is by itself the Catholic Church.

All branches need re-union in order to the completeness of the Church. This divided Christianity cannot conquer the world. The world needs the witness of a united Church. The opinions which separate Christians are not necessary for salvation. The truths in which all agree are parts of the Catholic faith. As baptised in Christ we are brothers. The Holy Spirit has passed over these human barriers and set His seal to the labors of separated brethren in Christ and rewarded them in the salvation of many precious souls." I have dwelt upon these things because I am responsible to you, to the Church and to God for my every act as Bishop of this diocese. I have never in these thirty years concealed from you one thought which I believed concerned the welfare of the Church. I do believe that we are living in the eventide of the world, and that there are signs of the second coming of Jesus Christ our King. I believe that the Church of the English speaking people is the only branch of the Catholic Church which can become the Church of the reconciliation, and that God designs this reunited Church to do the work of the last time. I am sure that those who are in the forefront of the battle, the world over, are longing and praying for this reunion, and that they are or will be ready "in all things which are of human ordering, or human choice relating to modes of worship and discipline, or to traditions

customs, in a spirit of love and charity, to forego all preferences of their own."

Time forbids the calling over the roll of well nigh one hundred and fifty Bishops from every quarter of the world. Archbishop Benson, whose Christian courtesy and hospitality won every heart; Archbishop Thompson, whose closing sermon at St. Paul stirred us to the very depths; Bishops Browne, Lightfoot and Ellicott, like St. Timothy, deeply learned in the sacred scriptures; Bishops Stubbs and Wordsworth, canonists and historians; Bishops Magee, Moorhouse, Wilkinson, Hale, Carpenter, Goodwin and a host of others who are among the first preachers of the Church of England; Bishop Thorold, of Rochester, whose grandfather was one of the three members of Parliament who voted against the American war, and who well deserves his place in every American heart; great scholars like Bishop Temple; Bishops of Ireland, who, under the lead of the Archbishops of Dublin and Armagh, are building the waste places made desolate by spoliation; Bishops of Scotland, whose fathers gave our own Seabury the apostolate. What shall I say of the brave men who carried on their bodies the marks of the Lord Jesus, and whose story ought to melt hearts to tenderness and blind the eyes with tears. Bishop Horden who has lived thirty-five years amid the solitudes of Hudson's Bay, and has won whole tribes of heathen men to Christ; Bishop Medley, on whose shoulders has fallen the mantle of Bishop Mountain, and after forty years of service in the episcopate, is a patriarch of Israel; Bishop Maechray, of Rupert's land, the only Bishop in Christendom who is president of a university made up of a Presbyterian, a Roman Catholic and a Church of England college.

Bishop Crowther, rescued when a boy from a slave ship, placed in a Christian school, then transferred to the university, and now for twenty-five years the black Bishop of Niger. Bishop Smythies, of Central Africa, following in the footsteps of the martyred Bishop Hannington. Bishop Austin, the metropolitan of the West Indies, almost fifty years a missionary bishop. Who can tell the history inwrought in the lives of these apostles from India, China, Africa, North America and the isles of the sea? Less than one hundred years ago the Church of England did not have one single missionary bishop. There are to-day fifteen bishops in Africa, six in China, and Japan ten in India, twenty-three in Australia and the Pacific Islands, and eighty-two in British North America and the United States. The church is feeling the pulsation of a new life from her incarnate Lord, which will constrain her in His love to carry the Gospel to the people of every tongue and clime. One century ago there were not twenty millions of English speaking people. To-day there are one hundred and fifty millions who speak our English tongue. When you remember that God's providence made the Greek tongue the language of the civilized world to prepare the way for the first preaching of the Gospel, may we not see in these facts that God designs the English speaking people to prepare the way for the second coming of Jesus Christ.

The services held in connection with the Conference will always be precious memories. Our first meeting was in Canterbury Cathedral. It was here that Cæsar landed for the conquest of Britain, and here Augustine came to preach the Gospel to Ethelbert, the Saxon king, whose wife Bertha was a Christian. Our heart is almost too full for utterance as we remember the events which cluster around this sacred place. Here are the graves of Bishop Stephen Langton, who, at the head of English nobles, wrung from King John that "Magna Charta" which has made the English race the representatives of constitutional government, and who divided the Bible into chapters for the people; of Anselm, the great scholar and doctor; of Thomas a Becket, statesman, bishop and martyr, and a host of others, prelates and nobles and kings, whose names are intertwined with English history.

Archbishop Benson bade us welcome from the chair of St. Augustine, and his words breathed the same charity which characterized the instructions of Gregory to Augustine. As you think of that first service held thirteen hundred years ago, and then see gathered in Canterbury bishops from every quarter of the globe—all speaking one language, using one service, holding one Faith—the heart cries out with grateful love, "What hath God wrought." The service in Westminster Abbey was grand and worthy of such a gathering. The Archbishop of Canterbury preached. I remember one incident: As dear Bishop Crowther's eyes rested on the grave of Livingstone, he trembled with emotion, and his cheeks were wet with tears. The Society for the Propagation of the Gospel, to whom America owes a debt of gratitude for its fostering care in colonial days, the Church Missionary Society, and civic, eleemosynary, and religious societies vied with each other in an almost boundless hospitality. Even the Lord Mayor of London celebrated our Fourth of July by a banquet to the bishops. It so happened that I was the senior bishop present from the United States, and the universities of Cambridge and Durham conferred on me honors which were the expression of the love of the authorities of these ancient seats of learning for a sister Church. Perhaps the grandest of all the services which I attended was that held in the Cathedral of Durham. A thousand years of history cluster around this place. The Cathedral is over five hundred feet in length, two hundred feet in width; the roof ninety feet from the floor and supported by pillars thirty-six feet in circumference, where every stone was as carefully cut as if it was to be a separate monument to God. There were sixty bishops present, the service was sung by two thousand choristers in surplices, the choirs of the north of England, and all trained so it sounded as one voice. I could only think of that song St. John heard as the sound of many waters. Bishop Coxe preached the sermon and did honor to the Church in America. This grand service preceded the setting apart by Bishop Lightfoot of some lay readers and lay preachers, who were to go out into the by-ways and hedges to constrain men by the love of Christ to come to the marriage feast of the Gospel.

There has never been a time when the Church of England was more earnest in Christian work. You see signs of it everywhere. In brotherhoods, sisterhoods and deaconesses, in women of gentle birth going among the poor and wretched to minister unto Christ. In university men, who have won honors, going to live in the slums of London to rescue the fallen; in men of the best blood of England offering themselves to go to Africa, China and the ends of the earth to labor, and if need be die for Christ. The same awful problem stares them in the face which we meet here. The centralization of swarms of souls in the cities, the wealth of the nation concentrated in fewer hands. Competition making a life and death struggle for bread, the poorest sinking into a hopeless despair and the richest often forgetful that Lazarus at his gate is a child of the same God and Father. Added to all these social problems is the sad truth that every form of sin and unbelief is sapping the faith of men in God and in a hereafter, and by an inevitable law sowing the dragons teeth of envy towards their more favored brethren. In some things the Church of England is blessed. The whole land is covered with a net work of parishes. They touch each other at every point—there is not a man, woman or child in all England who does not live within the bounds of some spiritual cure, and if he will he may claim its minister as his pastor. Although they have copied some of our restless ways Englishmen are not such nomads as we. Thanks to the brave men of the past who believed in giving to God, parishes, schools, churches, cathedrals and charities are endowed, and a church builded is there to stay and will stay so long as any souls need the consolation of our holy religion.

A fellow passenger on our steamer said to me "I am a Wesleyan Methodist and have built a church for our people. You will find the Church of England busy in all good work. Had it been so in our fathers day there would have been no separation. Old differences are being healed and it is only a question of time when we shall come back to our fathers home."

The problems to which I have alluded press upon us here and demand our serious attention. Much as I rejoice at the blessed fruits of your labors under the wise leadership of the Assistant Bishop, who has been to me all a son could be to a father, I see difficulties and dangers which fill my heart with sad forebodings. There has been a large emigration from our rural parishes into our larger cities. In many of our towns the parish has less financial strength than ten years ago. Thank God that by the fidelity of the pastor and the kind welcomes of the people many who are poor in this world's goods have found their home in the church. In our cities society has not crystalized into parish life. The older churches maintain their wonted prosperity, but there are large numbers of the children of the Church who are stray waifs, helpless and shepherdless. With all our prosperity the Church is not relatively stronger than a score of years ago. The tide of emigration flows westward. The call for laborers is always sounding in our ears. Hundreds of the children of the Church live where they are not under its care. Our Diocesan Missionary has been the right hand of the Bishops, he has many times overpaid his stipend in adding to the material prosperity of missions. What is one such itinerant for a country larger than England? Each year we are perplexed for means to care for our missions. God has wonderfully helped our schools which have sent out their thousands of sons and daughters. Our Divinity school is the only well equipped Divinity school west of the Mississippi and has the confidence and love of our Missionary Bishops. I wish I could read to you their grateful letters, thanking God for Faribault. I do thank God for his goodness, yet when I remember that no school can have a guarantee of perpetuity until it has an ample endowment, I am not hopeful for the future and cannot be until this endowment is secured. May I not say in my Master's name that the time has come when those whom God has entrusted with means must fulfill their stewardship for His glory and the salvation of men. We have not one parish, hospital, home or school which is endowed. I could repeat the prophet's sad story of "the putting of wealth into a bag with holes." I can tell you instance after instance of those who have admitted their obligation to use their wealth as His stewards, who have put off the duty to a distant future and in a few years counted their losses by tens of thousands. I have so often known the failure of wise laid plans for future benevolence, sickness and death coming to prevent the fulfillment of a bounden duty, that I long to tell men "Whatsoever thy hand findeth to do, do it with thy might for there is no work, nor device nor knowledge nor wisdom in the grave whither thou goest."

The confirmations have been large. In this day of worldliness and unbelief there is greater reason for the most careful preparation of those who are presented for this holy rite. I fear that an examination of the lists of those confirmed in the diocese since I became your bishop would fill our hearts with sadness at the numbers of those who like Demas of old had forsaken the Church "having loved this world." There are now no sharp lines which separate the Church from the world as in days of persecution, and there is the greater reason to see that they who are admitted to the full fellowship of the Church are rooted and grounded in the faith, that they have counted the cost, that they show forth in their lives the fruits of repentance and faith in Jesus Christ. I know that tares will grow with the wheat until the harvest day of God, but an awful responsibility rests on us who are

ambassadors for God and stewards of His Kingdom that by earnest prayer, watchful care and faithful teaching we do not heal wounds slightly and cry peace where there is no peace. We have no right to drop these names from our communion lists—in their neglect and sin they are still Christ's wandering sheep and we are Christ's shepherds to bring these back to His fold.

I have often called your attention to the question of the ritual of the Church. Whatever changes are made must be made by authority and symbolize the faith. There will always be in the Church those who love to dwell on the subjective side of the faith and others who love most its outward manifestation in worship. There is no room for difference so long as Christ be first, Christ be last, Christ be everything. Our danger is in placing the one for the other. There was no lack of beauty in the ritual of the Jewish temple, no question of the validity of orders when the hearts of priests and people were so far from God that they crucified His Son. So it has happened that there have been in Christian lands times when men have repeated the old creed, have sung the old psalms and used prayers which rested on martyrs' lips, and yet holy men have wept at the decay of godliness, and worldliness and wickedness have found a home in the Church of God. Do not think I love a bald, barren service. I know of nothing too beautiful for the bride of Jesus Christ. But we cannot forget that our parishes are full of unbaptized men and women, that there are multitudes around us who have lost all faith, to whom God is a name, the Bible a tradition, and heaven and hell fables, and, alas! impurity and vice place in peril all we hold dear. These are not the times to busy ourselves with discussions about rites and ceremonies which are no better than garments for the dead unless they are the expression of lives hid with Christ in God. A voice comes pealing to us through centuries, "son of man, I have made thee a watchman unto the house of Israel, therefore hear the word at my mouth and give them warning from me; when I say unto the wicked, thou shalt die, and thou givest him not warning nor speakest to warn the wicked from his evil way to save his life, the same wicked man shall die in his iniquity, but his blood will I require at thy hand." There is only one subject for lost men—Christ crucified. This St. Paul preached to philosophers at Athens and to sensualists at Corinth, and to all who received his message it was the power of God unto salvation. We must, by the study of God's word, by earnest prayer, have our hearts so full of the love of Christ that by the Holy Spirit our words will find their way to the hearts of men, and in this spirit we must go out into the highways and hedges and compel them to come to the Gospel feast.

We never come to these councils without missing the forms and faces of those who have passed on before to the other home. Since our last general convention Bishop Alfred Lee, one of the saintliest men of the Church; Bishop Horatio Potter, the wise executive; Bishop Wm Mercer Green, simple as a child and firm as a rock; Bishop Wm Bacon Stevens, a rare preacher of Christ and Him crucified; Bishop Robert W. B. Elliot, our St. John; Bishop Samuel Smith Harris, the soldier, the jurist, the priest, the Bishop who won all hearts; Bishop Edward R. Welles, who was for fifteen years my own son in the Gospel, and one of the wisest and truest pastors I ever knew; Bishop John Hobart Brown, who will always be loved and revered for his Catholic spirit, and Bishop George Kelly Dunlop the brave soldier on the outpost—nine Bishops have entered into the rest of the people of God. Our own diocese mourns for my dear brother Rev. George Brayton Whipple, the self-denying missionary of the Pacific Islands, the loving pastor of the Cathedral parish, and the faithful chaplain of St. Mary's Hall. You will not blame me if I say I never knew the heart of a

pastor which went out in deeper sympathy and tenderness for all the children of sorrow. I never knew one who was more ready to share all he had with suffering brothers. I never knew one who felt greater joy when permitted to lead wandering souls to Jesus Christ. Why tell you this? The story is written on your hearts. When he died I lost half of myself. Many of you will miss to-day our brother Rev. Samuel P. Chandler, who was "Father Chandler" to all who knew him. He came to the church in his maturer years from convictions of duty to Jesus Christ. He lived an humble life in his country cure. They did not know him in the crowded city. He was a plain man; his was not an eloquent tongue. But, brothers, none of us had more of Holy Herbert's love than he. We had no better preacher, for he preached Christ in his daily life. He knew nothing among men but Christ and His Church. Time would fail me to go from parish to parish and call over the roll of my children who are in Paradise. I never go to mission or parish without missing those like J. W. Bass, Dr. D. W. Hand, Maj. Young, Mrs. John McKusick, Mrs. Wm. Champlin, and a host of others, whose love cheered and helped me in the days long ago. One name I may not omit, Mrs. S. S. Breed, of whom we can say of her to-day as her Master said, "She hath done what she could." I may not forget Octavius Longworth, who, like Nathaniel of old, was an Israelite in whom there was no guile. For thirty years he was one of the most faithful of our lay readers, a man who was loyal to his home, to his country and to his God. I never knew a man who lived more nearly by the prophet's rule "to do justly, to love mercy and to walk humbly with God." Are not these of that number whose names are written in the Lamb's book of life?

The question of the further revision of the Prayer Book will come before the next General Convention. I believe further changes will bring pain to many children of the Church, that it will be perilous to the work of the Church and that it may fetter us in our efforts to heal Christian divisions. This is not an age to write liturgies. Liturgies are the outgrowth of the life of the Church. They cannot be made to order—such mosaic will be the representation of the individuality of schools of thought, rather than of the faith once delivered to the saints. The Book of Common Prayer is the outgrowth of the life of the Church of the English speaking race. Next to the Bible it contains the purest English. The monk Augustine found in England an ancient British Church whose services came from the liturgies of the East. Bede tells us that when Augustine asked Gregory what service he should adopt for England, Gregory said; "What the Roman use is thou knowest well, my brother, for thou thyself hast been brought up in its use. Nevertheless, my sentence is, that thou diligently cull out whatever thou findest in the Roman, in the Gallican or in any other Church most likely to be acceptable to God; that thou impart to the Church of England, a Church as yet new in the faith, the very best ritual thou art able, gathered out of many Churches. We may not thrust our Roman ritual on other Churches simply because it is the use of the Church of Rome, for Rome is only entitled to the respect of Christendom, because, as we believe, its ritual is pure and scriptural. From every single Church, therefore, select thou whatsoever things are pious, whatsoever things are religious, whatsoever things are right, and of those carefully put together, establish a use to be observed by the Church of England." The ritual of the Church of England was never Roman. The Church of England divides the Church's year at Trinity, the Church of Rome at Whitsunday. The Church of Rome used St. Jerome's first translation of the Psalter; the Church of England used his second translation. The rubric which command the priest to kneel in worship after the consecration of the elements in the Holy Communion never found a place in the English Prayer Book. In the revision of 1552

where we repeat the words in the Gloria in Excelsis, "Lamb of God who taketh away the sins of the world," it was copied from an eastern version found in the Codex Alexandria. The form of the Ter Sanctus was taken from the use of York and Hereford. Much of the service came from the use of Sarum. The words in the administration of the Holy Communion, "preserve thy body and soul unto everlasting life," were from the use of York. The comfortable words in the communion office, the addition in the Litany, "by thine agony and bloody sweat," the cry of Bartimeus, "Son of David have mercy on us," the sentence, "O God we have heard with our ears and our fathers have declared unto us the noble works that Thou didst in their days and in the old time before us," are all English. The direction to place pure water in the font at each baptism, the joining of hands in holy matrimony, the committing in the burial service of "dust to dust, ashes to ashes," are distinctive marks of our English service. All the changes in the collects are to bring out in the simplest language the lessons of the Bible and the Church. This book of Common Prayer represents the faith, the worship, the devotion and the history of the Church of our English speaking race. The English Bible and English Prayer Book are the most precious inheritance of our race, and they under God have placed us in the fore front of the nations of the earth.

Thousands of holy men have found in this Book of Common Prayer inspiration and helps to devotion, and have said in the words of Robert Hall, the great Baptist, "next to the Bible the Book of Common Prayer is the book of my my understanding and my heart." Men of all schools of thought have loved it because Christ incarnate, Christ crucified, Christ risen, Christ ascended, Christ the mediator, Christ the judge, was everywhere set forth. In the midst of a divided Christendom no other service bears such faithful witness to the faith, and thousands believe that the possession of this precious inheritance will enable us to do what no other body of Christians can do for the reunion of Christendom. Surely we may well pause in the work of revision. I hesitate to speak of the proposed changes in the Hymnal, because I am not a poet and have no knowledge of music. I do know the hymns which our fathers sang. I do know the words and tunes which have lifted my dull unmusical heart to God. I can tell you of hours when my soul has held sweet communion with my Savior, as I have listened to songs which have for generations been the inheritance of the Church. I am sure I speak for many older folk, who will say with me, let us hear the songs our mothers sang, until we are permitted to hear that song which no man could learn, but they who are redeemed among men. In speaking to you of revision I have expressed the views of the Assistant Bishop, who agrees with me that no further changes shall be made.

I desire to place on record my deep gratitude to my benefactor and friend, Junius Spencer Morgan, of London, for the generous gift of fifty thousand dollars for the erection of a noble dining hall for our boys' school. Mr. Morgan was the partner, counsellor and friend of George Peabody. Shortly after I began my work here he gave me one thousand dollars for our first hall and now has helped me to crown the work with success. His name will forever be linked with those of Duncan, Mason, Aldrich, Wyman, Shattuck and a host of others to whom under God the Church owes these noble schools. May God, who never forgets a deed of love, repay them in *that day* which some of us look for and long for.

During this conventional year I have delivered 140 sermons and addresses, confirmed 315 persons, making, with 798 confirmed by Bishop Gilbert and 12 by Bishop Walker, 1125; celebrated holy communion 25 times, baptized 5 adults and 4 children, celebrated 1 marriage and officiated at 5 burials. I have licensed E. E. Edwards, John Caldwell, Ernest M. Benedict, John

readers. May 12, 1889, in Christ Church, Red Wing, I laid on the hands of John Evan Edwards deacon, and May 20, 1889, in Christ Church, I laid on the hands of Rev. Edwin Johnson priest. I have laid on the hands of St. Peter's Church, St. Paul, and of Junius Spencer Morgan alt., and gave my consent to the organization of St. Stephen's Church, St. Louis. I have deposed from the office of a deacon Rev. J. H. Smith, having placed his resignation in my hands. I have also deposed Rev. C. Sherman priest, he having resigned the ministry. I have sent to the consecration of Rev. Boyd Vincent, D. D., Bishop of Ohio; Rev. J. Mills Kendrick, D. D., Missionary Bishop of New Mexico; Rev. C. P. Knight, D. D., Bishop of Milwaukee; Rev. J. D. D., Bishop of Fond du Lac. I have said to the clergy and laity, "It is toward evening, and the day is far gone; the love which has united us in the past keep us closer unto one another, nearer to each other. Of everything done ask if it will make for the glory of His kingdom and the salvation of men. Speak no word that will divide Christian hearts; labor for the things which make for peace and work; it will not be long before they who have loved and labored shall have a harvest home in heaven."

Prayers and benediction by the Diocesan, the session adjourned until 9 A. M. Thursday, June 13th.

SECOND DAY.

THE CATHEDRAL, Faribault, }
Thursday, June 13th, 9 a. m. }

Council assembled. After morning prayer, conveyed by The Rt. Rev. the Assistant Bishop, assisted by Rev. E. S. Peake and The Rev. John Wright, the Bishop took the chair and called the Council to order. The Secretary called the roll of Clerical and Lay members. The minutes of the previous sessions of the Council were read and approved.

Rev. Frank R. Millsbaugh offered the following resolution, which was adopted:

In consideration of the fact presented in the Episcopal address that there is a need of men for smaller stations, be it resolved That the Diocese enter upon a District Presbyter system, viz: That we shall appoint any Rector or Incumbent (who is willing) over the parished places as he may deem it expedient, to give a week day service at least once a quarter.

Resolution of the Rev. E. C. Bill, D. D., it was—

That the special order of business for the hour of 11:00 a. m. be the report of the Standing Committee and Deputies to the General Con-

The Rev. J. S. Kedney, D. D., Chairman, submitted the following report, which was adopted:

REPORT.

The Committee on Legislation to whom was referred the resolution that this Council memorialize the General Convention, praying them to amend Canon 12, of Title 2, Section 1, reports favorably and recommends the passage of the resolution.

J. S. Kedney, *Chairman.*

On motion of Rev. Edward Moyses it was—

Resolved, That our Rt. Rev. Fathers in God, the House of Bishops, be and are hereby requested to appoint a day of solemn Fasting and Prayer to Almighty God, because of the unhappy "divisions" in the Christian Church, and that all who name the Name of Christ may be one as He and the Father are one.

On motion of the Rev. E. S. Wilson, D. D., it was—

Resolved, That the House of Bishops be requested to invite all Christian people who deplore the existing state of religious schism, in their own modes of worship and in their own places of worship, to unite with us in a day of fasting and prayer, that we may humble ourselves and confess our sins before Almighty God, beseeching Him to heal our unhappy divisions and restore the lost unity of His Church.

The Rev. A. R. Graves, Secretary of the Diocesan Board of Missions, read the report for the year ending May 31, 1889, as follows:

REPORT.

The Board has held six meetings during the past year, four of which were regular quarterly meetings and the other two special meetings.

The Diocesan Board, by the use of Diocesan funds and those granted by the General Board of Domestic Missions, has aided in the support of forty-five different Missionaries during the year, who have held services at ninety-two stations.

Two stations have been discontinued—Red Lake Falls and Shakopee, and the following eight new stations have been opened—Atwater, Fisher, Marshall, Madison Lake, New London, Long Prairie, Sleepy Eye and Skiberg.

There have been a few changes in the Missionaries. Four have left the Diocese, one has been deposed and five have come in from other Dioceses, besides several have been set at work from Seabury Divinity school.

The new features in the work of the board during the past year and worthy of note are the following:

First, Missionaries have been required to report quarterly to the board and blanks have been furnished with spaces for reporting the average attendance, the offerings taken, apportionments, payments and general remarks. The advantages of this are: That it keeps the board posted and interested in the work of each station; the assessments and apportionments are more promptly paid; and it encourages and strengthens the Missionaries to know that a central body of interested men are constantly and carefully observing their work.

Second, It has been the duty of the Missionary, in each case to see that the apportionments are paid. Owing to this, and the fact that they report quarterly, the apportionments have been much better paid during the past year.

Third, All Missionaries are required, by resolution of the board, to take an offering every Lord's day at each station. This has worked satisfactorily as far as heard from.

Fourth, The publication and sale of the tract "The Church and Her Ways." About 40,000 of these have been sold this year in the United States and Canada, at a profit of \$90 to the board. It was not the object or expectation of the board to make money by its publication, but some profit has come to the board. We believe by the publication of this tract our Diocese has done good missionary work in every part of the United States and Canada.

Fifth, The work of the General Missionary: Since last October the General Missionary, provided for at the last Council, has been at work. He has visited every vacant station and many others, held services and given Holy Communion, solicited subscriptions to support the clergy, helped to secure clergymen for the vacant places and in many other ways, as will appear from his own report, furthered the missionary work of the Diocese.

We believe that the missionary work of the Diocese is in a better and more promising condition than it has been for many years past.

Respectfully submitted,

A. R. GRAVES, Secretary.

The Rev. T. H. M. V. Appleby, M. A., the Diocesan Missionary, read his report as follows:

DIOCESAN MISSIONARY'S REPORT.

By the grace of God I have been enabled to perform the following work during the seven months last past.

Sunday, October 21st, held morning service at Fergus Falls with celebration of H. C.; 15 persons communicated. Held also evening service.

Monday, Oct. 22d, visited in Fergus Falls and married a couple in the evening.

Tuesday, Oct. 23d, visited all day in Barnesville and held a hearty service there at 7:30 p. m.

Wednesday, Oct. 24th, visited in Alexandria and held Divine service in Emmanuel Church there at 7:30 p. m.

Thursday, Oct. 25th, celebrated Holy Communion in Emmanuel Church, Alexandria, and proceeded to Glenwood for the evening.

Friday, Oct. 26th, visited all the morning in Glenwood, and held evening service in Zion Church, Reno, which was largely attended.

Saturday, Oct. 27th, held Baptismal service in Zion Church, Reno, at 9 a. m. and baptized three children.

Sunday, Oct. 28th, held morning service in All Saints Church, Morris, and administered the Holy Communion, also held evening service.

Monday, Oct. 29th, read the burial service over an infant at 10:30 a. m., and started for Brown's Valley, where a reception was tendered me in the evening.

Tuesday, Oct. 30th, visited in Brown's Valley and held service at 7:30 p. m. in St Luke's Church, which was well filled.

Saturday, Nov. 3d, visited in Marshall.

Sunday, Nov. 4th, held morning and afternoon service in Marshall, with morning celebration of the Holy Communion.

Monday, Nov. 5th, visited in Marshall.

Sunday, Nov. 11th, held Divine service in St John's Church, St Paul, and in the evening preached for Rev. S. Mills, St Peter's Mission.

Tuesday, Nov. 13th, held a most hearty service in Trinity Church, Elk River.

Wednesday, Nov. 14th, visited in Becker, and appointed Tuesday, 27th of Nov., for a service there.

Thursday, Nov. 15th, visited all day in Princeton and held Divine service in the evening there.

Friday, Nov. 16th, visited all day in Anoka, and held Divine service in Trinity Church in the evening.

Sunday, Nov. 18th, held Divine service at West Superior at 11 a. m. with celebration of the Holy Communion; also held Divine service in West Duluth at 7:30 p. m.

Monday, Nov. 19th, visited the sick and others in the above Mission.

Tuesday, Nov. 20th, had a delightful visit with Rev. Geo. H. Davis, Brainerd, who is doing most successful work.

Thursday, Nov. 22d, visited in Madelia, and held Divine service in Christ Church at 7:30 p. m.

Friday, Nov. 23d, visited in the country near Madelia all the morning and held Divine service in St James' at 7:30, where I had visited all the afternoon.

Saturday, Nov. 24th, went to Slayton and visited.

Sunday, Nov. 25th, held Divine service at 11 a. m. in St. Paul's Church, Slayton, with celebration of the Holy Communion, and afternoon service at 3 p. m. with two baptisms and a churching.

Tuesday, Nov. 27th, held Divine service in Trinity Church, Becker, with a celebration of the Holy Communion.

Thursday, Nov. 29th, read prayers in St Paul's Church, St Paul, and was celebrant.

Saturday, Dec. 1st, at Rochester, visited.

Sunday, Dec. 2d, held morning service with celebration of Holy Communion in Calvary Church; opened Sunday school and took the Bible class. At 3 p. m. I baptized three children and at 7:30 p. m. held Divine service.

Monday, Dec. 8d, canvassed Rochester with great success towards a resident clergyman's salary all Monday and part of Tuesday. \$1,175 was subscribed. Held Divine service assisted by Mr. Crickmer in The Church of the Ascension, Kenyon, also celebrated the Holy Communion.

Saturday, Dec. 8th, visited in West Duluth.

Sunday, Dec. 9th, held Divine service in the Mission of the Holy Spirit, Duluth, and also St Luke's Mission, West Superior.

Monday, Dec. 10th, visited in Duluth.

Wednesday, Dec. 12th, started north for my old Mission.

Thursday, Dec. 13th, held Divine service in St John's Church, Hallock.

Friday, Dec. 14th, canvassed Hallock toward clergyman's salary, with good success.

Saturday, Dec. 15th, drove over to Bathgate with my successor, Rev. H. Beer, and visited there in the afternoon. Here I raised \$400 towards Mr. Beer's salary, by pledges.

Sunday, Dec 16th, I opened the beautiful Church of "Our Merciful Saviour," Bathgate, ably assisted by The Rev. H. Beer, and administered the Holy Communion. In the afternoon I preached in Christ Church, St Vincent, to a large congregation. At 7:30 p. m. I preached in Grace Church, Pembina, and addressed the congregation on the duty of liberally supporting the Church services.

Monday, Dec. 17th, canvassed the Parish.

Tuesday, Dec. 18th, finished the canvass and had on my list subscriptions to the amount of \$1100.

Saturday, Dec. 22d, went to Fergus Falls and visited in afternoon.

Sunday, Dec. 23d, held Divine service in St James' Church, Fergus Falls, both morning and evening; administered Holy Communion in the morning.

Monday, Dec. 24th, visited in morning.

Thursday, Dec. 27th, held Divine service in Paynesville, assisted by Mr. Fosbrook, the Lay Missionary.

Friday, Dec. 28th, held Divine service in Christ Church, Benson, assisted by Rev. F. B. Nash.

Saturday, Dec. 29th, went on early freight to Appleton and visited there all day.

Sunday, Dec. 30th, held Divine service in Ge'hsemane Church with celebration of the Holy Communion in the morning, also evening service at 7:30 p. m. The ladies offered to raise \$400 towards a resident candidate for Holy Orders as lay reader here, which has since been done.

Sunday, Jan. 6th, held Divine service in the morning at St Paul Park, and in the evening took the duty at St Stephen's, Randolph street.

Saturday, Jan. 12th, went to Duluth and visited a little.

Sunday, Jan. 13th, held Divine service in St Paul's church, Duluth, in the morning. In the afternoon I baptized Mr. and Mrs. Suffels' infant child, and in the evening held Divine service.

Monday, Jan. 14th, held a meeting at Mrs. Lawbridge's, Tower, and organized the Mission of Christ Church, subject to the approval of the Bishop. At 5 p. m. I baptized Mr. and Mrs. Owen's two beautiful children. At 7:30 Divine service was held in a crowded hall and pledges taken towards a clergyman's salary, amounting to \$468, which has since been increased to \$800.

Tuesday, Jan. 15th, I held a celebration of the Holy Communion at 7 a. m. and ten were present.

Saturday, Jan. 19th, went to Little Falls where I was the guest of Mr. Williams.

Sunday, Jan. 20th, held Divine service in the Church of Our Savior, Little Falls, in the morning, with celebration of the Holy Communion, and in the evening at 7:30 p. m. I also addressed the congregation at the close of the service on the subject of Church support and liberality.

Monday, Jan. 21, canvassed the Parish with Mr. Rothwell with great success, which I also continued Tuesday, so that with the ladies' guarantee, the amount secured was \$950.

Tuesday, Jan. 22d, went to Royalton, in the afternoon visited from house to house, looked into the Church title and appointed 6th of February for a service.

Friday, Jan. 25th, went to Breckenridge. Held evening and morning prayers at Dr. Falley's. A blizzard was raging.

Saturday, Jan. 26th, visited at Morris and appointed Monday evening next for a service, and went on to Brown's Valley.

Sunday, Jan. 27th, held Divine service in St Luke's church, Brown's Valley, with celebration of the Holy Communion, also evening service.

Monday, Jan. 28th, visited and held service in Morris.

Tuesday, Jan. 29th, visited in Glenwood and secured pledges towards a clergyman's support; also held Divine service in the evening.

Wednesday, Jan. 30th, was driven over to Reno by Mr. Brewer, and held Divine service in Zion Church. At 7:30 p. m. addressed and took pledges towards salary of a missionary.

Laid up two weeks in February with severe inflammation of the eyes.

Saturday, Feb. 16th, visited in Marshall.

Sunday, Feb. 17th, held morning service with celebration of the Holy Communion, in Marshall, also evening service.

Monday, Feb. 18th, canvassed towards Missionary's salary, but not with much success, on account of local difficulties.

Tuesday, Feb. 19th, held divine service at Island Lake.

Wednesday, Feb. 20th, held divine service at Lake Benton.

Thursday, Feb. 21st, administered the Holy Communion and baptized two adults and three children.

Saturday, Feb. 23d, went to Glencoe.

Sunday, Feb. 24th, held divine service in Christ Church, Glencoe, in which I was ably assisted by the Rev. A. J. D. Kuehn. I also administered the Holy Communion, and held divine service in the evening.

Monday, Feb. 25th, visited and attempted to raise the salary, but was asked to postpone the same until June next.

Tuesday, Feb. 26th, held divine service in Hutchinson.

Wednesday, Feb. 27th, held divine service, with celebration of the Holy Communion, in Brownton.

March 2d, attended a meeting of the Mission Board, and went to Willmar.

Sunday, March 3d, held divine service, with celebration of the Holy Communion, in St. Luke's Church, Willmar; also evening service.

Monday, March 4th, held divine service in Paynesville, assisted by Mr. Fosbrooke, and administered the Holy Communion. Hard and successful work is being done here.

Tuesday, March 5th, held preliminary examination of Mr. Fosbrooke, and visited in the afternoon, with him, some families in Paynesville.

Wednesday, March 6th, held divine service in St. Luke's Church, Willmar, and baptized one child.

Saturday, March 9th, visited in Alexandria.

Sunday, March 10th, held divine service, with celebration of the Holy Communion, in Emmanuel Church, Alexandria; also evening service. Also baptized one child.

Monday, March 11th, visited in Alexandria in the morning. Administered the Holy Communion to a sick person.

Tuesday, March 12th, held divine service, with celebration of the Holy Communion, in Breckenridge.

Wednesday, March 13th, visited in Breckenridge and Wahpeton.

Friday, March 15th, went to Duluth and had a very pleasant visit with Rev. Wm. M. Barker, who is doing most excellent work.

Saturday, March 16th, went to Tower.

Sunday, March 17th, held divine service, with celebration of the Holy Communion, in the morning; also held evening service.

Monday, March 18th, visited in Tower, and saw some candidates for confirmation.

Friday, March 22d, held divine service in Royalton, assisted by Rev. C. A. Cummings; also made canvass of the place towards clergyman's salary, with good success.

Saturday, March 23d, canvassed in Royalton in the morning and visited in Little Falls in the afternoon.

Sunday, March 24th, held divine service in the Church of Our Saviour, Little Falls, in the morning, with celebration of the Holy Communion. Organized Sunday School in the afternoon, and baptized two boys. Also held divine service in the evening.

Monday, March 25th, visited all morning in Little Falls.

Sunday, March 31st, assisted at Christ Church, St. Paul.

Thursday, April 4th, went to Little Falls to arrange with the vestry there in re Rev. A. Harper, as Deacon in charge of their parish for three months.

April 6, went to Willmar and visited.

Sunday, April 7th, held morning service, with celebration of the Holy Communion, in St. Luke's Church, Willmar; 42 communicated. Also held evening service.

Monday, April 8th, held special baptismal service in Glenwood and bap-

tized two children; visited all the afternoon and held divine service in the evening. Took pledges here to the amount of \$240.

Tuesday, April 9th, visited in the afternoon in Reno and held divine service in Zion Church in the evening. Took additional pledges here towards Rev. M. Jukes' salary, which in all amount to \$265.

Wednesday, April 10th, had a very pleasant visit with Rev. C. A. Cummings, and attended with him a very impressive Lenten service at St. John's, St. Cloud.

Thursday, April 11th, visited from house to house in Marshall.

Friday, April 12th, visited in Lake Benton. Held a baptismal service in the afternoon, and divine service, with celebration of the Holy Communion, in the evening.

Saturday, April 13th, drove over and visited at Coon Lake.

Sunday, April 14th, held divine service in the school house, Island Lake, in the morning, with celebration of Holy Communion.

Held divine service in the evening at Marshall.

Monday, April 15th, held a morning celebration of the Holy Communion, and visited at different houses in Marshall. Held also evening service in St. Luke's Church, Willmar.

Thursday, April 18th, Maundy Thursday, held divine services in St. James' Church, Fergus Falls.

Friday, April 19th, Good Friday, held morning and evening services in St. James' Church, Fergus Falls.

Saturday, April 20th, held divine service at 9 a. m., and visited and secured some pledges towards a clergyman's stipend.

Sunday, April 21st, Easter Day, held divine service in St. James' Church, Fergus Falls, with celebration of the Holy Communion, in the morning, and also evening service; 39 communicated.

Monday, April 22d, attended the vestry meeting of Emmanuel Church, Alexandria, and spent the balance of that and the 23d in raising the amount required of that portion of the field towards the salary of Rev. M. Jukes.

Sunday, April 28th, held divine service in Christ Church, Albert Lea, with celebration of the Holy Communion, in the morning; 27 communicated. Addressed the Sunday School in the afternoon, held divine service in the evening, and addressed the people on the importance of maintaining regular services.

Monday, April 29th, went around Albert Lea with Judge Whylock to secure guarantees towards salary and was successful.

Monday, April 29th, held Divine service in Calvary Church, Waseca, in the evening.

Tuesday, April 30th, held morning service in Calvary Church, Waseca, administered the Holy Communion and addressed on the subject of the Centennial.

Tuesday, April 30th, held divine service in St. Andrew's Church, Waterville, and administered the Holy Communion.

Wednesday, May 1st, visited Waterville.

Saturday, May 4th, visited Seabury Divinity School with a view to suppling Albert Lea.

Sunday, May 5th, held divine service assisted by Mr. Haupt in St. Paul's Church, Owatonna, in the morning. I also celebrated the Holy Communion, 33 partaking. Addressed the Sunday School also held evening service and held a conference with the vestry after the service.

Monday, May 6th, visited in Owatonna and started salary list with Mr. Welch.

Tuesday, May 7th, held divine service assisted by Rev. E. Johnson in Christ Church, Austin, and administered the Holy Communion.

Friday, May 10th, held divine service assisted by Rev. F. B. Nash in Christ Church, Benson.

Saturday, May 11th, went to Appleton and in the evening an informal reception was given me at Mr. Ray's house.

Sunday, May 12th, held morning and evening services assisted by Mr. Ray in Gethsemane Church, Appleton. I also administered the Holy Communion in which 27 participated. An excellent and successful work is being done here.

Monday, May 13th, held a preliminary examination of Mr. Ray, and with him in the afternoon made 21 house-to-house visits.

Tuesday, May 14th, visited in Glenwood all day and prepared two candidates for confirmation.

Wednesday, May 15th, visited the Rev. J. F. Hamilton, of Sauk Centre.

Friday, May 17th, went to Duluth enroute to Tower.

Saturday, May 18th, visited old and new friends in Duluth and West Superior. Church work growing rapidly in both places.

Sunday, May 19th, held Divine service assisted by Mr. Lovell in Tower, also administered the Holy Communion, 15 received the Holy Sacrament. Addressed the Sunday School, held confirmation class, also evening service. Appointed Church Building Committee, Church to be built at once.

Tuesday, May 21, visited in Little Falls, administered the Holy Communion to a sick person. Assisted Bishop Gilbert at the evening service. Mr. Harper presented 10 candidates for confirmation.

Wednesday, May 22, Bishop and I went to Glenwood, visited there a little and assisted the Bishop in the evening and presented two candidates for confirmation.

Thursday, May 23, assisted the Bishop in the administration of the Holy Communion at 8 a. m., Glenwood.

Sunday, May 26, held Divine Service in Christ Church, Crookston, assisted by the Rector Rev. I. C. Fortin in the morning and drove with him to Fisher's Landing, where we again held service and I addressed and preached. We also held service in Christ Church, Crookston, in the evening and addressed the congregation on the importance of becoming self-supporting.

Monday, May 27th, attended Vestry meeting in Christ church, Crookston, and arranged to make a personal canvass of the parish. Rev. I. C. Fortin has been most successful here.

Tuesday, May 28th, canvassed with Messrs. McManus and Sweatt in Crookston and went with the Rector to Fisher's Landing where \$150 per annum was promised.

Wednesday, May 29th, visited in Hallock among old parishioners.

Thursday, May 30th, Ascension Day, held Divine service in St. John's Church, Hallock, and proceeded to St. Vincent to confer with Rev. H. Beer, the hardworking missionary at the northern outpost.

Friday, May 31, attended a meeting of the Mission Board.

• Saturday June 1st, went to Tower.

Sunday, June 2d, held Divine Service assisted by Mr. Lovell and administered the Holy Communion in the morning. Held confirmation class and Divine service in the evening.

Monday, June 3d, visited and held a confirmation class in Tower and assisted Bishop Gilbert in the service in the evening and presented 4 candidates for confirmation.

Sunday, June 9th, held Divine Service in the morning at St. Jude's Church, Henderson, with celebration of the Holy Communion, 14 persons partook of the H. C. In the afternoon Major Stoevers drove me to visit a sick woman and I administered the Holy Communion to her and five other persons.

Sunday, June 10th, held Divine Service in St. John's, Le Sueur, and addressed and received some pledges towards a clergyman's salary after the service.

Monday, June 9th, held morning prayers and celebrated the Holy Communion at 8 a. m. 9 communicated. Canvassed for additional subscriptions during the day. The amount of \$250 was promised including \$100 guaranteed by the ladies. Mrs. Smith paid me out of the funds of the Ladies' Guild all arrears due the Rev. A. S. H. Winsor and also \$2 due Council Fund and Mr. Bannatyne paid balance due on Mission Fund. This mission is entirely out of debt and with Henderson whose Vestry will guarantee \$300 will make quite a desirable field for some earnest man. The Rev. A. S. H. Winsor has done some hard and trying work in these missions.

When I look over this immense State of Minnesota, and make all due allowances for the increased population and almost numberless small towns, I am amazed at the vast amount of hard, trying and self-sacrificing work and travel performed by our reverend and beloved Bishop, single-handed, before the days of railroads, and even after, before the greater facilities which the many different roads now afford, not to speak of his giant work in erecting and providing for the maintenance of so many grand educational institutions, which, even in themselves, will be forever monuments of his love and never flagging zeal.

The mission work of the Church in almost every field is in a most hopeful and church life condition, largely due, no doubt under God, to the ever earnest, persevering, untiring work of the Assistant Bishop, whose presence and power enthuses people with greater zeal for the cause of our holy church wherever he goes.

I have performed 119 services; administered the Holy Communion 47 times to 774 communicants. I have administered the Holy Sacrament of Baptism 41 times, including some in my old parish. I have preached during the last seven months 113 times and addressed 75 times, and have paid during the same period 2,457 visits, and have traveled 13,371 miles, and thus spent 52 days of 12 hours long, or 26 days of 24 hours long, on the cars. I have assisted 16 parishes or mission stations to raise the salary towards a Rector or Missionary. My offertories have amounted to \$281.31. My expenses to May 31st amounted to \$170.84; I have paid to the Diocesan Treasurer \$110.47; which balances my account to May 31st, \$281.31.

I would respectfully suggest that the stipends of all priests of seven years' standing, having two or more out-stations, be increased to \$1,000 per annum, at least, and a house, and I shall be ready to render every possible assistance to that end.

Mr. H. P. Hoppin, Treasurer, at the request of the President, read the list of subscriptions for the support of the Diocesan Missionary during the year 1888 and 1889. Subscriptions were taken for the support of the Diocesan Missionary for the ensuing year, and the list and amounts promised, given to the Diocesan Treasurer for collection.

The hour (11 a. m.) for the special order of business having arrived, the Council proceeded to the election of a Standing Committee. The Rt. Rev. the President appointed the Rev. Ivan C. Fortin and Mr. C. H. Strobeck tellers. Nominations were made and a ballot taken.

Pending the report of the tellers, the Rev. Charles D. Andrews offered the following, which was adopted :

Resolved, That Bishop Whipple be requested to furnish a copy of his sermon preached before the recent Lambeth Conference, and that the same be and is hereby ordered to be printed, together with the Diocesan Journal of this Convention.

On motion of the Rev. Wm. H. Knowlton, it was—

Resolved, That the balance of the fund raised for the support of the Diocesan Missionary, after the payment of the stipulated salary, be turned over to the assistant Bishop for his Special Needs Fund.

On motion of the Rev. C. L. Wells, it was—

Resolved, That a committee of five be appointed by the President to report to this Council, during the afternoon session, on that part of the Bishop's address relating to Christian unity, to devise some practical methods looking to a larger Christian fellowship between the Christian bodies of Minnesota.

The Rt. Rev. the President announced as such committee the Rev. C. L. Wells, the Rev. E. McBride Sterrett, the Rev. W. S. Sayres, the Rev. A. J. Graham, the Rev. Wm. M. Barker.

Mr. Geo. A. Hamilton, Secretary, read the following report of the Trustees of the Diocese of Minnesota :

REPORT.

The Trustees of the Diocese of Minnesota have held five meetings during the past year, and considered various matters of business appertaining to their trust.

They have received deeds of the following property, viz.: From J. A. Gillan and wife, east half of the south-east quarter of the south-east quarter section twenty-one (21), town (149), range (43), containing twenty acres, according to U. S. survey thereof.

From Chas. E. Hewitt and wife, lot 12, block 4, village of Brownton, according to plat on file in Register of deeds office at Glencoe, Minnesota.

They have also sold, lots 18 and 19, block 3, and lots 20 and 21, in block 4, in Crookston's addition, to the village of Houston, the consideration being the sum of forty dollars, which amount, by the direction of assistant Bishop Gilbert, has been allowed for repairs of the church building at Houston.

The trustees are entirely without money, and desire that an appropriation of fifty dollars be made for the payment of taxes and the recording of deeds

For the Trustees,

GEO. A. HAMILTON, Sec.

On motion of Hon. I. Atwater it was—

Resolved, That the Treasurer of the Episcopate fund be and he hereby is authorized and required, to pay on the order of the trustees of the Diocese, out of any funds in his hands not otherwise appropriated, a sum not exceeding one hundred dollars per annum, until otherwise ordered, for payment of taxes, recording deeds, postage, stationery and other incidental necessary expenses, connected with the care of the Church property of the Diocese.

Mr. E. H. Holbrook, jr., of the committee on assessments submitted the following which was adopted:

REPORT.

Resolved, By the committee on assessments that the following amounts of arrears to Episcopate Fund be remitted:

Anoka \$15, Breckinridge \$2, Blue Earth \$7, Crookston \$6, Elk River \$13.50, Farmington \$10, Fergus Falls \$30, Houston \$2, Madelia \$4, Pine Island \$6, Spring Valley \$1, St. James \$4, Slayton \$9, Worthington \$6, Wilder \$5. Total, \$120.50.

Resolved, Further that all arrears to Council Fund on the above named parishes be remitted.

Assessments and Apportionments—Year Ending May 31, 1890.

PARISH.	Diocesan Missions.	Bishop's Salary.	Council Fund.	PARISH.	Diocesan Missions.	Bishop's Salary.	Council Fund.
Appleton.....	8.00	4.00	1.50	Madelia.....	3.00	2.00	1.00
Albert Lea.....	12.00	5.00	3.50	Mankato.....	28.00	20.00	10.00
Anoka.....	10.00	10.00	3.00	Melrose.....	1.00	1.00	1.00
Austin.....	12.00	8.00	7.00	Montevideo.....	10.00	3.00	2.00
Alexandria.....	5.00	3.00	2.00	Moorhead.....	22.00	20.00	8.00
Basewood Grove.....	8.00	5.00	3.00	Morristown.....	10.00	5.00	2.00
Belle Creek.....	12.00	9.00	3.00	Minnetonka Beach.....	10.00	5.00	5.00
Belle Plaine.....	5.00	3.00	2.00	Madison Lake.....	2.00	2.00	1.00
Becker.....	5.00	4.00	2.00	Northfield.....	20.00	20.00	10.00
Benson.....	8.00	6.00	3.00	North Branch.....	5.00	3.00	1.00
Blue Earth.....	8.00	3.00	1.00	Owatonna.....	25.00	15.00	5.00
Brainerd.....	65.00	20.00	20.00	Point Douglas.....	5.00	3.00	1.00
Brown's Valley.....	3.00	2.00	1.00	Pice Island.....	5.00	3.00	3.00
Brownsville.....	1.00	1.00	1.00	Perham.....	2.00	2.00	1.00
Brownton.....	1.00	1.00	1.00	Paynesville.....	4.00	2.00	2.00
Caledonia.....	7.00	5.00	2.00	Red Wing.....	150.00	100.00	24.00
Crookston.....	20.00	7.00	5.00	Redwood Falls.....	5.00	3.00	3.00
Cannon Falls.....	20.00	20.00	3.00	Reno.....	5.00	2.00	2.00
Cannon City.....	6.00	5.00	1.00	Rochester.....	25.00	15.00	6.00
Chatfield.....	8.00	8.00	3.00	Royalton.....	4.00	3.00	2.00
Clearwater.....	7.00	5.00	2.00	Rushford.....	15.00	10.00	3.00
Dakota.....	1.00	1.00	1.00	Rush City.....	5.00	3.00	1.00
Detroit.....	5.00	2.00	1.00	Slayton.....	3.00	2.00	1.00
Duluth.....	75.00	50.00	25.00	Shakopee.....	10.00	10.00	5.00
Dreshbach.....	3.00	2.00	1.00	St. Charles.....	7.00	5.00	2.00
Elk River.....	5.00	5.00	2.00	St. Cloud.....	35.00	22.00	10.00
Elysian.....	4.00	1.00	1.00	St. James.....	3.00	2.00	1.00
Excelsior.....	5.00	3.00	2.00	St. Peter.....	30.00	15.00	7.00
Farmington.....	5.00	3.00	2.00	St. Vincent.....	5.00	2.00	2.00
Fergus Falls.....	15.00	10.00	6.00	Stillwater.....	100.00	60.00	25.00
Fairmont.....	10.00	8.00	5.00	Sank Rapids.....	5.00	3.00	2.00
Frontenac.....	3.00	2.00	1.50	Sank Center.....	18.00	12.00	5.00
FAIRBANKS—				St. PAUL—			
Cathedral.....	250.00	150.00	35.00	Ascension.....	15.00	10.00	5.00
Shattuck.....	125.00	75.00	.....	Christ.....	550.00	280.00	70.00
S. Mary's.....	50.00	40.00	.....	Good Shepherd.....	28.00	20.00	8.00
Glencoe.....	10.00	5.00	2.00	S. John's.....	170.00	90.00	40.00
Granite Falls.....	3.00	2.00	2.00	S. Mary's, M. P.....	15.00	10.00	5.00
Glenwood.....	2.00	2.00	1.00	S. Paul's.....	400.00	200.00	50.00
Hassan.....	5.00	5.00	2.00	S. Peter's.....	7.00	5.00	3.00
Hastings.....	36.00	26.00	10.00	S. Stephen's.....	12.00	5.00	5.00
Houston.....	1.00	1.00	1.00	Tower.....	10.00	2.00	3.00
Henderson.....	10.00	7.00	3.00	Wadena.....	2.00	2.00	1.00
Hallock.....	5.00	2.00	2.00	Waterville.....	8.00	5.00	3.00
Janesville.....	10.00	8.00	7.00	Wabasha.....	22.00	15.00	5.00
Kasson.....	4.00	3.00	2.00	Warsaw.....	6.00	5.00	2.00
Kenyon.....	5.00	2.00	3.00	Waseca.....	8.00	7.00	3.00
Lake City.....	50.00	30.00	20.00	Wells.....	15.00	8.00	5.00
Lake Crystal.....	5.00	3.00	2.00	White Bear.....	20.00	10.00	10.00
Le Sueur.....	5.00	3.00	2.00	Willmar.....	20.00	12.00	5.00
Little Falls.....	12.00	8.00	3.00	Winona.....	100.00	100.00	30.00
Litchfield.....	25.00	15.00	8.00	Windom.....	5.00	3.00	1.50
Luverne.....	1.00	1.00	1.00	Wilder.....	3.00	2.00	1.00
Lake Park.....	2.00	2.00	1.00	Worthington.....	5.00	3.00	1.50
MINNEAPOLIS—				Zumbrota.....	5.00	3.00	2.00
All Saints.....	10.00	7.00	3.00	INDIAN STATIONS—			
Gethsemane.....	300.00	140.00	60.00	S. Columba, W. E.....	35.00	20.00	5.00
Grace.....	7.00	5.00	2.00	S. John's, Red Lake.....	9.00	4.00	1.00
S. Andrew's.....	12.00	8.00	5.00	S. Antipas, Red Lake.....	8.00	4.00	1.00
S. Luke's.....	10.00	5.00	3.00	Cass Lake.....	4.00	1.00	1.00
S. Mark's.....	420.00	240.00	60.00	Leech Lake.....	15.00	10.00	6.00
S. Paul's.....	150.00	40.00	25.00	Wild Rice River.....	9.00	5.00	2.00
Trinity.....	60.00	35.00	15.00				
					4028.00	2307.00	835.50

N. B.—The Assessment for Council Fund is payable *at once*, in order to issue Council Journal promptly.

The assessment for Bishops' salaries and the apportionment for missions, is payable quarterly in advance.

The assessments are *obligatory*, and parishes reported as in arrears have no representation in Council.

The Treasurer's books and accounts *will be closed* May 27, 1890.

The Rev. Jas. Dobbin, D. D., of the Committee on the educational work of the Church, read the following:

REPORT.

The most definite form of Christian education is that of the Church or the denominational school. If such institutions could be universal, or even general, it would meet the want we feel as no other means can. But this is out of the question. Means that are more practicable and of more general application must be given the prominence, and the young be brought under the influence of the instruction and the ordinances of the Church in every way possible.

It is more to the purpose, therefore, to consider such means for securing this training as all clergymen can make use of, and perhaps it is quite possible then that much more can be done for the growth of the Church than we are accustomed to see. The first is undoubtedly the family. There is more done in this way than in former years, and it is quite worth our thought if there cannot be a revival in this direction, and if the clergy cannot by their influence and their persuasion make parents, and especially mothers, more thoughtful and careful in giving their little ones the right ideas and religious instruction before they come to the age for more formal training.

The Sunday school and the Bible class must be given a large place after this, but under no circumstances in the case of the Church family should this be looked on as a substitute for that which can best be done under the family roof. Yet no effort should be spared to see that these are made as interesting and as effective as the best instruction, and the deepest insight into child nature on the part of the rector and the teachers, can make them. They should be looked upon as the nursery of the Church. There should be a stronger feeling, that they have not done their work, unless they are constantly contributing an important part to the integral growth of the parish through the confirmations that are secured by them.

The greatest difficulty, perhaps, in the experience of all our brethren of the clergy is just at this point. The danger comes when the young are passing out of their childhood, outgrowing the Sunday school and the Bible class, and yet strongly influenced to break away from them without being drawn into the congregation. Multitudes of young men are annually lost to the Church for the want of watchful care and a strong personal influence just here.

Your committee therefore feel, that they cannot discharge their duty better, than by emphasizing this point. We can all give deeper thought than we have, to the question of the best means of deepening the religious life of the young, and if possible, find how we can draw them around us so as to make them more useful and effective in carrying on the work of extending the kingdom of our Lord. In every place the Church goes, there are young men who must in this way be sought out by the Church clergyman, or they will drift into unbelief; and when we remember that in a decade of years it may be these will be the parish, it would seem that nothing can so well take the time and the attention of every rector who is charged with the keeping of their souls.

JAMES DOBBIN,
J. S. KADNEY,
R. H. SANFORD.

On motion of Rev. Chas. H. Plummer, it was—

Resolved, That the usual sum of \$100 be paid the Secretary of the Dio-

case for work in getting out the Journal, and that seven hundred copies of the same be printed.

The Rev. C. A. Cummings read the following

REPORT OF THE REGISTRAR OF THE DIOCESE.

The Registrar respectfully reports that he has devoted the greater part of his leisure during the past year in collecting accurate statistics relating to the Missions and Parishes of the Diocese. During the coming year he hopes to complete this part of his work and to enter the record in a book of statistics for permanent reference.

He has also made some progress in collecting material for a history of the Diocese. Many letters have been received and placed on file, and it is expected that during the coming year his work will take permanent form.

Several Journals have been received from other Dioceses, of which a list has been given to the Secretary of this Diocese. Mrs. Dr. Adams of Nashotah, Wisconsin, has kindly sent me a copy of the Journal of her sainted father, Bishop Kemper, from the time of his first visit in 1843 to the close of his Episcopal charge in Minnesota in 1859. This Journal contains every Episcopal and priestly act pertaining to divine worship.

Through the courtesy of Prof. Hart of Trinity College, I have received several numbers of the Hartford Calendar, containing communications of interest relating to our early history. I am also indebted to the Rev. E. Steele Peake, Miss Emily J. West, and many clergy for valuable information. Mrs. Twing presented two sets of Church Work, three volumes, one of which was for St. Mary's Hall. I have received from Miss Gear three manuscript discourses by her father, the late Dr. Gear, the first clergyman of the Church in Minnesota. One of these was delivered at the consecration of Holy Trinity Church, St. Anthony, May 10th, 1855; another was addressed to the Divinity students of the Seabury Mission in the fall of 1858. I hope to gather matter for a full account of the services of this pioneer of the Church to whom we owe so much, as well as of our late brother Wilcoxson. The Registrar is also under very great obligations to many others whose names cannot appear here for their courteous replies to his letters.

The Registrar desires to express his thanks to those who have put it in his power to continue a work in which we all have a deep interest, the preservation of the early efforts to plant the Church in Minnesota. One hundred and twenty-five dollars has been received, of which the Secretary has a record.

The Registrar hopes to secure a place in the fire proof library in Johnston Hall for the safe keeping of his records. He invites gifts of manuscripts, papers and books, or whatever may serve to preserve the history of our Parishes.

GEO. C. TANNER, Registrar.

The Rev. A. R. Graves, of the Committee on Incorporation of Parishes, submitted the following

REPORT.

Grace Church, Royalton, having applied for union with the Council of the Diocese, and the Committee on Incorporation of New Parishes having examined its papers of incorporation, recommended the passage of the following:

Resolved, That Grace Church, Royalton, be admitted into union with the Council.

On motion of the Rev. T. C. Hudson, it was—

Resolved, That a committee of three be appointed to nominate a Diocesan Board of Missions.

Whereupon the Rt. Rev. the President appointed as such committee, the Rev. John Wright, the Rev. Jas. Dobbin, D. D., and Mr. W. Wall.

Mr. C. H. Strobeck announced the result of the ballot for standing committee, to be the re-election of the old members—viz: The Rev. Thomas B. Wells, D. D., the Rev. Wm. C. Pope, the Rev. E. C. Bill, D. D., Judge James Gilfillan, Hon. I. Atwater, Capt. J. C. Reno.

On motion, proceeded to the nomination of Clerical and Lay Deputies to the General Convention.

Nominations were made, when,

On motion Council adjourned until 2 p. m.

THE CATHEDRAL, Faribault. }
Thursday, June 13, 2 p. m. }

The Council re-assembled and called to order by the Rt. Rev. the Assistant Bishop. The Diocesan re-appointed the examining chaplains as follows:

The Rev. Wm. C. Pope, the Rev. A. R. Graves, the Rev. C. H. Plummer, the Rev. John Wright, the Rev. George C. Tanner, the Rev. T. H. M. V. Appleby, the Rev. Wm. Gardam.

The Rt. Rev. the President appointed the Rev. J. H. White and Mr. W. Wall to assist Rev. W. W. Fowler and Mr. C. H. Strobeck as tellers, when the roll of Clerical Delegates and Parishes was called and a ballot taken for Deputies to the General Convention.

Pending the report of the tellers the Rev. C. A. Cummings offered the following, which was adopted:

Resolved, That the Board of Missions of the Diocese be requested to take under consideration the holding of missionary conferences in various parts of the Diocese.

The Rev. Frank R. Millspaugh, rector of S. Paul's Church, Minneapolis, extended a cordial invitation to the Council to hold its next annual meeting in his Church, which invitation, on motion of the Rev. John Wright, was duly accepted.

On motion of the Rev. J. A. Gilfillan it was—

Resolved, That the thanks of this Council be tendered to the Seabury students for the appropriate and beautiful music furnished by them at the opening services of the Council.

The Rev. John Wright, of the Committee to Nominate a Diocesan Board of Missions, submitted the following, which was adopted:

REPORT.

The Rev. A. R. Graves, the Rev. Frank R. Millsbaugh, the Rev. C. D. Andrews, the Rev. J. H. White, Hon. I. Atwater, Mr. W. B. Folds, Mr. R. Warner, Mr. J. H. Ames, the Deans of the Convocations and Treasurer *ex-officio* and the General Missionary.

On motion of the Rev. A. R. Graves of the Committee on Incorporation of Parishes it was—

Resolved: That St. Luke's Parish, Minneapolis, be admitted into union with the council of the Diocese.

On motion of the Rev. C. A. Cummings it was—

Resolved: That the thanks of this Council be extended to the citizens of Faribault, and the Cathedral congregation in especial, for their delightful hospitality so generously provided.

Resolved: That the thanks of this Council be extended to the various railroads for the courtesy extended to the delegates of this council, in reduced rates.

On motion of the Rev. Jno. W. Prosser it was—

Resolved: That the treasurers of the Diocese and the Episcopate Fund be requested each month to furnish to the editor of *The Minnesota Missionary and Church Record* a list of the payments made during the previous month on account of assessments and apportionments.

The Rev. Wm. M. Barker offered the following which was laid (by motion of Rev. Wm. H. Knowlton) upon the table:

Resolved: That the Diocesan Board of Missions be authorized to secure the services of a second Diocesan Missionary, at a salary of \$1,000 per annum, at such time as the Board may deem wise.

The Rt. Rev. the Bishop of the Diocese announced the Deans of Convocations as follows:

The Rev. E. Steele Peake, *Dean*, Northern Convocation.

The Rev. A. J. Graham, *Dean*, Central Convocation.

The Rev. E. C. Bill, D. D., *Dean*, Southern Convocation.

On motion of Hon. I. Atwater it was—

Resolved: That the rules of order be suspended and that the Secretary cast the ballot of the Council for the Honorable Gordon E. Cole to fill the vacancy in the Board of Trustees of the Diocese of Minnesota, which vote was duly cast as directed and the vacancy thus filled.

On motion of the Rev. Wm. H. Knowlton it was—

Resolved: That the Legislative Committee of the Diocese be requested to take into their consideration the advisability of a change in the Canon regarding the method of the election of Wardens and Vestrymen, and the length of their term of office, and if found advisable, to report a Canon covering the same.

The tellers, by Mr. C. H. Strobeck, reported as the result

of the ballot taken for Clerical and Lay Deputies to the General Convention, the election of the Rev. J. S. Ked-
eny D. D., the Rev. C. D. Andrews, the Rev. J. A. Gilfil-
lan as Clerical Deputies, and the non-election of one,
and the election of Judge E. T. Wilder, Hon. I. Atwater,
and Mr. W. H. Lightner as Lay Deputies and the non-
election of one. Another ballot was ordered and taken.

Pending the report of the tellers, the Rev. Chas. L. Wells, of the Committee on Church Unity, submitted their report, the preamble, first and second resolutions of which were unanimously adopted by a rising vote. The remaining part of the report, upon motion of Rev. Jas. Dobbin, D. D., was re-committed, to be reported upon at the next Annual Council.

REPORT.

WHEREAS, Christian Unity is the great practical subject nearest to the hearts of all churchmen and of most vital importance to the progress of Christianity, to the advancement of Christ's kingdom, and to the salvation of souls; and,

WHEREAS, The Bishop of this Diocese has called our attention, in a large and most eloquent part of his address, to the important position which this subject occupies in his own thought and acts, and also held in the Lambeth Conference of 1888, and in the House of Bishops at our last General Convention; therefore, resolved,

1st. That this Council hereby supports the platform set forth by the House of Bishops at the last General Convention, and expresses itself in favor of some definite action by the next General Convention looking to unity in practical Christian work with other Christian bodies.

2d. That a greater individual effort be made by us to express our desire for Christian unity and our willingness to meet our Christian brethren to secure such a blessed result.

3d. That we endeavor to accomplish this by cultivating our social relations with the ministers and members of other Christian bodies, and by co-operating with them in all efforts of a public nature affecting our position as followers of a common Lord and as citizens of a common country, and that nothing outside of the Bishop's Platform of the Four Principles be allowed to interfere with our co-operation with the Christian ministers of other denominations in every activity of a general, social and charitable character.

4th. That our Diocesan be asked to recommend to the clergy of the cities and larger towns in this Diocese, the expediency of holding conferences with the ministers of other Christian bodies looking to the practical carrying out of the principles embodied in the resolutions of the House of Bishops on the subject of Christian Unity.

5th. That a copy of these resolutions be sent to the representatives of every Christian denomination in this State.

The tellers reported the result of the second ballot to be the election of Mr. E. H. Halbrook, Jr., as Lay Deputy and no election of a Clerical Deputy. Another ballot

was ordered and taken which resulted in no election. A fourth ballot was ordered and taken which resulted in the election of the Rev. A. R. Graves, as a Clerical Deputy to the General Convention.

On motion it was—

Resolved. That the council proceed to the election of Supplementary Deputies by *vive voce* vote.

Whereupon the following persons were duly elected Supplementary Deputies to the General Convention: the Rev. Frank R. Millspaugh, the Rev. Edward Moyses, the Rev. Wm. Gardam, the Rev. Wm. C. Pope, Mr. B. F. Mackall, Mr. H. P. Hoppin, Mr. P. Baldy, and Mr. Fred Farrington.

The Rev. T. C. Hudson submitted the following which was adopted

REPORT.

The Committee on the State of the Church have found themselves unable to formulate an extensive report, such as the facts developed at this Council would seem to demand.

The past year has been one of uniform and generous development throughout the Diocese. While hitherto much of the increase in membership and contributions has been confined to the larger cities and towns the reports for the past year show an increase both large and more generally distributed.

It is certainly a gratifying feature that the seed sown years ago by earnest men, some of whom have gone to their rest—seed which seemed almost lost—has commenced to yield its increase.

It is a source of gratitude and also of encouragement, that with the breaking down of many old prejudices and sectarian jealousies which had come with that larger charity displayed between brethren of different names, there has been a manifest increase in Church life and work all along the line.

There are many causes that might be assigned, under the blessing of the Spirit of God, as contributing to the results embodied in the reports and statistics presented to this Council. But above all human instrumentality your committee are impressed with the fact that faithful work in the Master's vineyard, and in loyalty to the Master's word, never fails of generous results. The materials at hand, had your committee time to reproduce them, are abundant and overwhelming in testimony to the ancient promise, "He that now goeth on his way weeping and beareth forth good seed, shall doubtless come again with joy bringing his sheaves with him."

Your committee would simply allude, in conclusion, to the vastness of the field that lies before us white for the harvest. An increased efficiency has been given to our work, in the appointment of a General Diocesan Missionary, and in the organization of a Diocesan Sunday School Convention.

If the history of the past is any earnest of the future, we may begin our second century of this American Church, with godly confidence and a renewed consecration of heart for the upbuilding of the Redeemer's kingdom.

ED. C. BILL,	} Committee.
T. C. HUDSON,	
C. A. CUMMINGS,	
LEWIS STOWE.	

Capt. J. C. Reno, Secretary of the Standing Committee, read the following, which was approved.

REPORT.

The Standing Committee of the Diocese organized on Monday, June 25th, 1888. Rev. T. B. Wells, D. D., was elected President, and John C. Reno, Secretary.

The following persons have been recommended to the Bishop as candidates for Holy Orders: Rowland Stuart Nichols, Chas. B. Fosbrooke, Wm. Herbert Dewart, R. M. Baker, Martin N. Ray, A. M. Hilliker.

For the Sacred order of Deacons: Wm. St. John Crickmer, Stuart B. Purvis, E. E. Edwards, James Biddle Halsey, Chas. Carter Rollit, Chas. Edgar Haupt, Francis Willis, Jr.

For the Order of Priesthood: Rev. Wellington McVettie, Rev. Lewis Cass Birch, Rev. Edwin Johnson.

The Committee has given consent to the consecration of the following Bishops:

June 25, 1888: Rev. George McClellan Fiske, of Providence, R. I., as Bishop of the Diocese of Fond du Lac.

Oct. 8, 1888: Rev. Leighton Coleman, of the Diocese of Central Pennsylvania, as Bishop of the Diocese of Delaware.

Nov. 30, 1888: Rev. Boyd Vincent, of the Diocese of Pittsburg, as Bishop of the Diocese of Southern Ohio.

Dec. 10, 1888: Rev. J. Mills Kendrick, of the Diocese of Southern Ohio, "to exercise Episcopal Functions," in the Missionary Jurisdiction of New Mexico and Arizona.

Jan. 21, 1889: Rev. Cyrus Frederic Knight, D. D. D. C. L., of the Diocese of Central Pennsylvania, as Bishop of the Diocese of Milwaukee.

Nov. 30, 1888: Consent was withheld for the consecration of Rev. Chas. C. Grafton, of the Diocese of Massachusetts, as Bishop of the Diocese of Fond du Lac.

The following appropriations were made from the Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund, from July 1, 1888, to May 28th, 1889:

Rev. C. Woodward for the quarter ending Sept. 30, 1888.....	\$ 25.00
Rev. S. P. Chandler for the quarter ending Sept. 30, 1888.....	50.00
Rev. I. J. Townsend for the quarter ending Sept. 30, 1888.....	125.00
Rev. C. Woodward for the quarter ending Dec. 31, 1888.....	25.00
Rev. S. P. Chandler for the quarter ending Dec. 31, 1888.....	50.00
Rev. I. J. Townsend for the quarter ending Dec. 31, 1888.....	125.00
Dec. 8, 1888, Rev. C. Woodward, additional.....	50.00
Rev. C. Woodward for the quarter ending March 31, 1889.....	25.00
Rev. I. J. Townsend for the quarter ending March 31, 1889.....	125.00
Rev. C. Woodward for the quarter ending June 30, 1889.....	25.00
Rev. I. J. Townsend for the quarter ending June 30, 1889.....	125.00

Total amount appropriated.....\$750.00

At a meeting of the Committee held June 10th, 1889, Twenty-five dollars (25.00), was voted to be paid Rev. F. B. Nash, Sr., for the quarter commencing July 1st, 1889.

Oct. 23, 1888: Consent of the Standing Committee was given to the organization of St. Peter's Parish, in the City of St. Paul.

During the past year the Committee held Nine (9) meetings for the transaction of business.

JOHN C. RENO, Sec.

June 12th, 1889.

On motion of the Rev. A. J. Graham, of committee on unfinished business, it was—

Resolved, That the Committee on "Means aimed at prevailing vices and crimes," and the Committee on "Missions and Charities" report at the next annual Council.

On motion of the Rev. E. Stuart Wilson, D. D., it was

Resolved, That the Secretary be authorized to publish the Journal under the supervision of the Assistant Bishop.

On motion, it was—

Resolved, That after the usual devotional exercises the Council adjourn.

After a few earnest and touching remarks by the Bishop of the Diocese, of thanksgiving to Almighty God, and Godspeed to the members of the Council, prayers and the Benediction, the thirty-second annual council of the Diocese adjourned *sine die*.

W. B. C. C. C. C. C.

Bishop of Minnesota

and President of the Council.

Andrew D. Stowers

Secretary.

Appendices.

APPENDIX A.

DIOCESE OF MINNESOTA.

E. H. HOLBROOK, Jr., Treasurer, in account with THE EPISCOPATE FUND.

1898.			
June 14.	Balance, as per account.....		\$1,000 58
July 13.	Received from Trustees Minn. Church Foundation..	\$223 81	
Oct. 16.	Received from Trustees Minn. Church Foundation..	483 00	
Oct. 16.	Received from Trustees Minn. Church Foundation..	900 00	
Dec. 29.	Received from Trustees Minn. Church Foundation..	398 00	
Dec. 29.	Received from Trustees Minn. Church Foundation..	722 80	
1899.			
April 12.	Received from Trustees Minn. Church Foundation..	372 98	
April 12.	Received from Trustees Minn. Church Foundation..	629 72	
June 1.	Received from Trustees Minn. Church Foundation..	85 00	
June 1.	Received from Trustees Minn. Church Foundation..	845 72—	4,640 33
June 11.	Received from Endowment Fund—Interest.....		98 50
June 11.	Received from Assessments.....		2,187 50
June 11.	Received from Arrears.....		118 00

Receipts.....	7,019 33
	\$8,019 91

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1898.	Paid Bishop Whipp's	\$3,000 00
	Paid Assistant Bishop Gilbert.....	3,000 00
July 16.	Paid Assistant Bishop Gilbert's expenses.....	82 60
Oct. 20.	Paid Assistant Bishop Gilbert's expenses.....	107 57
1899.		
Jan'y 17.	Paid Assistant Bishop Gilbert's expenses.....	103 89
April 16.	Paid Assistant Bishop Gilbert's expenses.....	67 00—
	Paid for Stationery.....	5 50
	Paid for Postage.....	4 34
	Payments.....	6,373 40
	Balance in hand	1,646 51

E. & O. E.	\$8,019 91
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Minneapolis, June 11, 1899.

E. H. HOLBROOK, JR., Treas.

ASSETS.

Balance in hand.....	\$1,646 51
Arrears, current year (Rebated 49).....	188 50
Arrears, previous years (Rebated 81.50).....	97 50—
	\$1,937 51

Examined and found correct.

J. A. GILFILLAN,	} Committee.
CHAS. H. STROBECK,	
FERRY WOLLASTON,	

E. H. HOLBROOK, Jr., Treasurer, in account with THE EPISCOPATE ENDOWMENT FUND.

1888. RECEIPTS.		
June 20, Holy Comforter, St. Peter.....	\$ 25 00	
June 20, Holy Comforter, St. Peter, interest.....	2 50	
Nov. 14, St. Paul's, Winona, interest.....	7 00	
Dec. 1, St. Paul's, Duluth, interest.....	14 00	
1889.		
April 22, Gethsemane, Minneapolis, interest.....	70 00	
		\$ 118 50
1888. PAYMENTS.		
Nov. 28, Trustees Minn. Church Foundation on account subscription.....	\$ 25 00	
1889.		
June 11, Treasurer Episcopate Fund—		
Amount income.....	93 50	\$ 118 50

SUBSCRIPTIONS TO ENDOWMENT FUND.

Collected and remitted to Trustees M. C. F.....		\$11,850 00
Collected and held in notes and bonds—		
Minneapolis, Gethsemane, interest paid to May 1, 1889.....	\$ 1,000 00	
Minneapolis, Gethsemane, Dr. Camp, interest paid to May 1, 1887....	500 00	
St. Paul, St. John's, interest paid to Dec. 1, 1887.....	800 00	
Winona, St. Paul's, interest paid to Oct. 10, 1889.....	100 00	
Duluth, St. Paul's, interest paid to Oct. 1, 1889.....	200 00	
Brainerd, St. Paul's, interest paid to Oct. 11, 1887.....	100 00	
Fergus Falls, St. James', note and interest paid.....	100 00	2,300 00
Balance uncollected—		
Minneapolis, St. Mark's*.....	\$ 650 00	
Sauk Rapids.....	100 00	
Moorhead*.....	50 00	
Alexandria.....	50 00	
Sauk Center*.....	25 00	975 00
Original amount—net.....		\$15,025 00
E. and O. E.		
Minneapolis, June 11th, 1889.	E. H. HOLBROOK, Jr., Treasurer.	
Examined and found correct.		
J. A. GILFILLAN, Chairman.		
PERRY WOLLASTON.		

EPISCOPATE FUND.
TREASURER'S STATEMENT IN DETAIL.

JUNE 10th, 1889.

PARISH.	Current Year.			Arrears.		
	Assessment 1888-9.	Paid.	Due.	Amnt.	Paid	Due.
.....	4 00	.....	4 00	.....	.....	.....
.....	7 00	.....	6 50	.....	.....	.....
.....	3 00	3 00	.....	.....	.....	.....
.....	10 00	.....	†10 00	5 00	.....	†5 00
.....	10 00	10 00	.....	.....	.....	.....
Grove.....	9 00	4 50	*4 50	.....	.....	.....
.....	1 00	1 00	.....	.....	.....	.....
.....	9 00	9 00	.....	.....	.....	.....
.....	3 00	3 00	.....	.....	.....	.....
.....	6 00	6 00	.....	.....	.....	.....
.....	7 00	.....	†7 00	.....	.....	.....
.....	20 00	.....	*20 00	.....	.....	.....
.....	2 00	.....	†2 00	.....	.....	.....
.....	2 00	2 00	.....	.....	.....	.....
.....	1 00	1 00	.....	.....	.....	.....
.....	5 00	5 00	.....	.....	.....	.....
.....	5 00	5 00	.....	.....	.....	.....
.....	20 00	20 00	.....	.....	.....	.....
.....	8 00	.....	8 00	.....	.....	.....
.....	5 00	5 00	.....	.....	.....	.....
.....	6 00	6 00	.....	6 00	.....	†6 00
.....	1 00	1 00	.....	.....	.....	.....
.....	2 00	2 00	.....	.....	.....	.....
.....	2 00	2 00	.....	.....	.....	.....
.....	40 00	40 00	.....	.....	.....	.....
.....	8 00	.....	†8 00	5 50	.....	†5 50
.....	2 00	2 00	.....	.....	.....	.....
.....	150 00	150 00	.....	.....	.....	.....
.....	75 00	75 00	.....	.....	.....	.....
.....	40 00	40 00	.....	.....	.....	.....
.....	3 00	.....	†3 00	7 00	.....	†7 00
.....	10 00	.....	†10 00	20 00	.....	†20 00
.....	8 00	8 00	.....	.....	.....	.....
.....	2 00	1 00	1 00	.....	.....	.....
.....	5 00	5 00	.....	.....	.....	.....
.....	2 00	2 00	.....	.....	.....	.....
.....	2 00	2 00	.....	.....	.....	.....
.....	5 00	5 00	.....	.....	.....	.....
.....	28 00	28 00	.....	.....	.....	.....
.....	7 00	7 00	.....	.....	.....	.....
.....	1 00	1 00	.....	2 00	.....	†2 00
.....	8 00	8 00	.....	.....	.....	.....
.....	3 00	3 00	.....	2 00	2 00	.....
.....	5 00	5 00	.....	.....	.....	.....
.....	30 00	30 00	.....	.....	.....	.....
.....	3 00	1 50	1 50	.....	.....	.....
.....	3 00	3 00	.....	.....	.....	.....
.....	1 00	1 00	.....	.....	.....	.....
.....	8 00	.....	8 00	16 00	.....	16 00
.....	15 00	15 00	.....	.....	.....	.....
.....	2 00	.....	*2 00	4 00	.....	†4 00
.....	20 00	20 00	.....	.....	.....	.....
.....	1 00	1 00	.....	.....	.....	.....
.....	5 00	.....	*5 00	.....	.....	.....

EPISCOPATE FUND—Continued.

PARISH.	Current Year.			Arrears.		
	Assess- ment 1888-9.	Paid.	Due.	Amnt.	Paid.	Due.
Minneapolis—						
All Saints.....	7 00	7 00				
Gethsemane.....	150 00	150 00				
Grace.....	5 00		*5 00			
S. Luke's.....	5 00	5 00				
Holy Trinity.....	85 00	85 00				
S. Andrew's.....	8 00	8 00		2 00	2 00	
S. Mark's.....	250 00	250 00				
S. Paul's.....	35 00	35 00				
Montevideo.....	8 00	8 00				
Moorhead.....	20 00	20 00				
North Branch.....	8 00	8 00				
Northfield.....	20 00	10 00	*10 00			
Owatonna.....	15 00	15 00				
Point Douglas.....	8 00		*3 00			
Pine Island.....	8 00		†3 00	3 00		†3 00
Red Wing.....	100 00	100 00				
Red Wood Falls.....	8 00	8 00				
Reno.....	2 00		2 00			
Royalton.....	8 00	8 00				
Rochester.....	15 00	15 00				
Rushford.....	10 00	10 00				
Rush City.....	8 00		3 00			
Shakopee.....	10 00	5 00	*5 00	5 00	5 00	
Slayton.....	2 00		†2 00	7 00		†7 00
Spring Valley.....	1 00		†1 00			
St. Charles.....	5 00	5 00				
St. Cloud.....	22 00	22 00				
St. Vincent.....	2 00	2 00				
St. James.....	2 00		*2 00	4 00		†4 00
St. Paul—						
Ascension.....	10 00		*10 00	10 00		†10 00
Christ.....	300 00	300 00				
Good Shepherd.....	20 00	20 00				
S. Paul's.....	300 00	300 00				
S. John's.....	80 00		*30 00			
S. Stephen's.....	5 00	5 00				
S. Mary's.....	10 00	10 00				
St. Peter.....	15 00	15 00				
Stillwater.....	60 00	60 00				
Sauk Rapids.....	8 00	8 00				
Sauk Center.....	12 00	12 00				
Waterville.....	5 00	5 00				
Wabasha.....	15 00	15 00				
Warsaw.....	5 00		*5 00			
Waseca.....	7 00	7 00				
Wells.....	8 00	8 00				
White Bear Lake.....	10 00	10 00				
Wilder.....	2 00		*2 00	5 00		†5 00
Willmar.....	12 00	12 00				
Windom.....	8 00	8 00				
Winona.....	100 00	100 00				
Worthington.....	8 00		†3 00	3 00		†3 00
Zumbrota.....	2 00	2 00				
Indiana—						
Red Lake—						
S. John's.....	4 00	4 00				
S. Antipas.....	8 00	8 00				
White Earth.....	20 00	20 00				
Winnibigosish.....	1 00	1 00				
Cass Lake.....	1 00	1 00				
Wild Rice River.....	5 00	5 00				
Leech Lake.....	10 00	10 00				
	\$2361 00	\$2167 50	\$193 50	\$106 50	\$9 00	\$97 50

*Paid at and since Council, \$108.50.

†Rebated at Council, \$130.50.

APPENDIX B.

DIOCESE OF MINNESOTA.

Treasurer's Account with the Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund, Diocesan Missions Fund and Council Fund, June 19th, 1888, to June 11th, 1889.

DIOCESAN MISSIONS FUND.

Dr.

Balance from last account.....	\$ 622.97
Receipts on apportionment 1888-9.....	8,471.10
Receipts of arrears of former years.....	883.05
Offering at the Diocesan Council 1888.....	43.00
Gift of Rev. E. C. Bill.....	100.00
Proceeds of sales of "The Church and Her Ways".....	237.21
Proceeds of loan made by Bishop Gilbert.....	391.58

Total receipts..... \$ 5,230.89

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Paid to Rev. T. K. Allen.....	\$ 250.00
Paid to Rev. L. C. Birch.....	10.00
Paid to Rev. D. T. Booth.....	150.00
Paid to Rev. E. H. Clark.....	150.00
Paid to Rev. C. A. Cummings.....	100.00
Paid to Rev. S. Currie.....	37.50
Paid to Rev. W. S. Crickmer.....	200.00
Paid to Rev. R. B. Goudy.....	183.33
Paid to Rev. J. F. Hamilton.....	225.00
Paid to Rev. W. B. Hamilton.....	50.00
Paid to Rev. A. Harper.....	129.13
Paid to Rev. A. B. Hill.....	187.50
Paid to Rev. J. J. Hillmer.....	180.00
Paid to Rev. C. E. Hixon.....	100.00
Paid to Rev. E. Johnson.....	75.00
Paid to Rev. W. McVettie.....	100.00
Paid to Rev. S. Pritchard.....	250.00
Paid to Rev. J. W. Prosser.....	50.00
Paid to Mr. M. N. Ray.....	88.88
Paid to Mr. C. C. Rollet.....	25.00
Paid to Rev. W. S. Sayres.....	300.00
Paid to Rev. D. F. Thompson.....	229.17
Paid to Rev. C. S. Ware.....	250.00
Paid to Rev. W. Wilkinson.....	20.88
Paid to Rev. A. S. H. Winsor.....	291.66
Paid to Rev. M. Jukes.....	21.67
Paid to Hon. E. G. Valentine for Breckenridge Mission.....	15.00
Paid Burleson Bros. for printing "The Church and Her Ways".....	147.30
Repaid loan made by Bishop Gilbert.....	391.58
Paid interest on same.....	24.44
Paid printing blank reports ordered by Diocesan Board for Missionaries.....	2.50
Paid printing two circulars concerning subscription for General Diocesan Missionary.....	2.25
Paid postage on same.....	1.06
Paid printing circulars ordered by Diocesan Board, regarding assessments.....	2.75

Total payments..... \$ 4,171.58 4,171.58

Balance in Second National Bank..... \$ 1,059.31

Examined and found correct.

J. A. GILFILLAN,
C. H. STROBECH,
PERRY WOLLASTON, } Committee.

The Treasurer has in his keeping one \$100 five per cent coupon bond of the Consolidated R. R. of Vermont, and a certificate of one share (of the par value of \$50) in the Lehigh Coal & Navigation Company, received from Bishop Whipple in 1887.

COUNCIL FUND.

Balance from last account	\$ 6 00	
Receipts on assessment 1888-9	528 43	
Receipts of arrears of former years	33 50	
Total Receipts		\$568 93

Paid balance of dues for the General Convention of 1886	\$105 00	
Paid Rev. A. D. Stowe, Diocesan Secretary, services	100 00	
Paid Harrison & Smith balance due for printing Journal of Council of 1887	10 80	
Paid same for printing Journal of 1888	197 00	
Paid the Secretary expense of circulating Journal, &c.	37 50	
Paid the Secretary cost of blanks, printing and postage	38 90	
Paid J. Engel Journal and Ledger for Treasurer, to order	9 00	
Paid Treasurer expense of postage, &c.	5 07	
Total payments		508 07

Balance in Second National Bank	\$ 65 88
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Examined and found correct.
 J. A. GILFILLAN,
 CHAS. H. STROBECK, } Committee.
 PERRY WOLLASTON.

AGED AND INFIRM CLERGY FUND.

Balance from last account	\$1,007 07	
Receipts of parish offerings	638 20	
Gift of Mr. John Wann	100 00	
Interest received from Hon. W. R. Merriam, Treasurer of the incorporated diocese	169 27	
Total Receipts		\$1,914 54
Paid Rev. N. P. Chandler, deceased	100 00	
" " I. J. Townsend	500 00	
" " Charles Woodward	150 00	
Total payments		750 00

Balance* in Merchants National Bank	\$1,164 54
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*(Except five dollars received to-day.)
 St. Paul, June 11th, 1889. H. P. HOPPIN, Diocesan Treasurer.
 Examined and found correct.
 J. A. GILFILLAN,
 CHAS. H. STROBECK, } Committee.
 PERRY WOLLASTON.

ACCOUNT OF MONEY RECEIVED FOR THE SUPPORT OF THE GENERAL DIOCESAN MISSIONARY.

Received during the year as per statement attached, for subscriptions ..	\$1,362 10	
Excess reported by the General Missionary of his collections above expenses	110 47	
Total Receipts		\$1,472 57
Paid Rev. T. H. M. V. Appleby—		
October 17, 1888	125 00	
October 31, 1888	125 00	
December 1, 1888	125 00	
December 29, 1888	125 00	
January 30, 1889	125 00	
February 25, 1889	125 00	
March 30, 1889	125 00	
April 1, 1889	140 83	
April 27, 1889	46 67	
June 1, 1889	87 94	
Total payments		1,100 44
Balance		\$372 13
St. Paul, June 11, 1889.		H. P. HOPPIN, Treasurer.

**UNTS RECEIVED FOR THE SALARY OF THE GENERAL DIOCESAN
MISSIONARY.**

whom Received.	Subscription.	Paid.
Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary.....	\$300 00	\$300 00
Society of Christ Church, St. Paul.....	100 00	100 00
Libert.....	100 00	100 00
Bill.....	100 00	100 00
Church, St. Paul.....	100 00	100 00
Church Chapter of S. Andrew's Brotherhood.....	1 00	
Wells, S. Mark's, Minneapolis.....	50 00	12 50
Minneapolis, Sunday School.....	25 00	25 00
Faribault.....	50 00	50 00
H. Knowlton, S. Paul's, Winona.....	50 00	50 00
Duluth.....	25 00	25 00
una, Minneapolis.....	25 00	25 00
Graves.....	25 00	25 00
Graham.....	10 00	12 50
Graham, again.....	10 00	5 00
School of Holy Trinity, Minneapolis.....	25 00	24 75
ford, Esq.....	25 00	
o, Esq.....	25 00	18 75
sell, Esq.....	10 00	10 00
Wilkinson, S. Andrews, Minneapolis.....	20 00	12 25
ark Sunday School.....	10 00	5 00
arner, Esq.....	25 00	25 00
School Ascension, St. Paul.....	10 00	
School S. Luke's, Minneapolis.....	10 00	10 00
School Grace, Minneapolis.....	10 00	10 00
argreaves, Esq.....	5 00	5 00
ithall, Esq.....	10 00	2 50
urch, Crookston.....	25 00	12 50
four Saviour, Litchfield.....	25 00	25 00
Stillwater.....	25 00	25 00
St. Cloud.....	25 00	25 00
St. Cloud, Sunday School.....	10 00	10 00
Lake City.....	20 00	16 05
urch, Red Wing, Sunday School.....	20 00	20 00
lroks.....	5 00	2 50
lk River.....	5 00	
Becker.....	5 00	5 00
ontevideo, Sunday School.....	10 00	5 30
St. Paul, Sunday School.....	10 00	2 50
r, Cannon Falls.....	10 00	
r, Cannon Falls, Sunday School.....	10 00	10 00
abash.....	10 00	10 00
Haupt.....	10 00	1 00
Mankato, Sunday School.....	10 00	10 00
Wells, Sunday School.....	15 00	15 00
Owatonna, Sunday School.....	10 00	
Hamilton.....	10 00	10 00
Detroit.....	10 00	10 00
Shakopee, Sunday School.....	5 00	5 00
Granite Falls.....	5 00	5 00
Rockford, Sunday School.....	5 00	5 00
urch, Frontenac, Sunday School.....	5 00	5 00
urch, St. Vincent, Sunday School.....	5 00	5 00
School at Hallock.....	5 00	5 00
Hastings, Sunday School.....	5 00	5 00
School at Delano.....	5 00	5 00
pherd, St. Paul.....	20 00	20 00
ood S. Andrews of S. Paul's, Minneapolis.....	25 00	20 00
of offerings above expenses handed in by Rev. Mr. Appleby, y 26, 1889 (\$72.53 and \$37.94).....		110 47
al.....		\$1,472 57

TREASURER'S STATEMENT IN DETAIL.

Showing Receipts from Parishes June 19, 1899, to June 11, 1899, for the Aged and Infirm Clergy, Diocesan Missions, and Council Funds,

PARISHES.	A. & I. C. Fund.		Diocesan Missions.		Council Fund.	
	Offerings		Assessed	Paid.	Assessed.	Paid.
Arrears of 1884-5. (Hassan).....						2 00
Arrears of 1885-6. (Fairmont \$2; Hassan, \$1.						3 00
Arrears of 1886-7. (Lake C. ty. \$8; Grace, Minneapolis, \$1.						9 00
Arrears of 1887-8.....				365 05		19 50
viz. D. M. C. F.						
Detroit..... \$ 5.00						
Cathedral, Faribault..... 150.00						
Hassan..... 8.00	\$1.50					
Little Falls..... 12.00	3.00					
Lake Crystal..... 5.00						
Mankato..... 17.70						
Moorhead..... 16.98						
All Saints, Minneapolis.....	8.00	3.00				
Grace, Minneapolis..... 7.00		1.50				
Northfield..... 8.39						
Rochester..... 9.00						
St. Peter.....		7.50				
St. Vincent..... 6.00						
Waterville.....		3.00				
Wild Rice River..... 6.00						
White Earth..... 15.00						
Total arrears paid.....				365 05		33.50
Assessments 1888-9.						
Albert Lea.....			12 00		1 50	
Alexandria.....			5 00	5 00	2 00	2 00
Anoka.....			10 00		3 00	
Appleton.....			6 00		1 50	
Austin..... 4 50			12 00	17 67	5 00	5 00
Basewood Grove..... 5 50			12 00	12 00	3 00	3 00
Becker.....			2 00		1 00	
Belle Creek.....			12 00	6 00	3 00	3 00
Belle Plaine.....			5 00	3 00	2 00	2 00
Benson..... 4 00			8 00		3 00	
Blue Earth City..... 2 00			10 00	10 00	1 50	
Brainerd.....			65 00	33 50	15 00	15 00
Breckenridge.....			3 00		1 50	
Brown's Valley.....			3 00	3 00	1 00	1 00
Brownsville.....			1 00	1 00	1 00	1 00
Caledonia.....			7 00	7 00	1 50	1 50
Cannon City.....			6 00	5 12	1 00	1 00
Cannon Falls..... 4 15			20 00		3 00	
Chatfield.....			8 00		3 00	
Clearwater.....			7 00	7 00	1 50	2 00
Crookston.....			20 00	20 00	3 00	3 00
Dakota.....			1 00	1 00	1 00	1 00
Detroit.....			5 00	5 00	1 00	1 00
Dresbach.....			3 00	3 00	1 00	1 00
Duluth.....			75 00	75 00	15 00	15 00
Elk River.....			8 00		3 00	
Elysian.....			5 00	5 00	2 00	2 00
Cathedral, Faribault.....			250 00	250 00	30 00	30 00
Shattuck School, Faribault.....	5 00		125 00	100 00		
St. Mary's Hall, Faribault.....			50 00	50 00		
Fairmont..... 7 70			10 00	10 00	3 00	3 00
Farmington.....			5 00		2 00	
Fergus Falls.....			15 00		6 00	
Frontenac.....			3 00		1 50	
Glencoe.....			10 00	10 00	1 50	
Granite Falls.....	60		3 00	3 00	1 50	1 50
Hallock..... 5 60			5 00	5 00	2 00	
Hassan.....			5 00		1 50	
Hastings..... 5 00			34 00	18 00	9 00	9 00
Henderson..... 2 00			10 00	9 66	3 00	
Houston.....			1 00		1 00	

TREASURER'S STATEMENT IN DETAIL—Continued.

PARISHES.	A. & I. C Fund.	Diocesan Missions.		Council Fund.	
		Offerings	Assessed.	Paid.	Assessed.	Paid.
Janesville	4 10	10 00	10 00	5 00	5 00
Kasson		4 00		1 50	
Kenyon		10 00	5 00	5 00	
Lake City	6 11	50 00	60 70	15 00	9 00
Lake Crystal		5 00		2 00	
Le Sueur		5 00	4 84	2 00	
Litchfield		25 00	25 00	7 50	7 50
Little Falls		12 00	12 00	3 00	3 00
Luverne		1 00	1 00	1 00	
Madelia		3 00		1 00	
Mankato	10 70	28 00	24 00	6 00	6 00
Melrose		1 00	1 00	1 00	1 00
Minneapolis: All Saints	4 40	10 00	10 00	3 00	3 00
Gethsemane	38 52	300 00	300 00	45 00	45 00
Grace		7 00		1 50	1 50
Holy Trinity	8 50	60 00	60 00	15 00	10 00
S. Andrew's	6 75	12 00	5 00	4 00	4 00
S. Luke's		10 00	10 00	3 00	3 00
S. Mark's	105 00	420 00	315 00	45 00	45 00
S. Paul's	18 11	140 00	48 94	20 00	20 00
Montevideo	3 60	5 00	5 00	1 50	1 50
Moorhead		22 00	22 00	6 00	6 00
Morristown		10 00		1 50	
Northfield	8 51	15 00	15 00	5 00	5 00
North Branch		5 00		1 00	
Owatonna	2 75	25 00	26 80	5 00	5 00
Pine Island		5 00	2 71	3 00	
Point Douglas		5 00		1 00	
Red Wing	28 53	150 00	150 00	30 00	30 00
Redwood Falls		5 00	5 00	2 00	2 00
Reno		5 00	5 00	1 50	1 50
Rochester	10 00	25 00	9 00	4 50	4 50
Royalton		4 00	4 00	1 00	1 00
Rush City		5 00		1 00	
Rushford		15 00	15 00	3 00	3 00
Sank Centre	4 75	18 00	18 00	3 00	3 00
Sank Rapids		5 00	5 00	2 00	2 00
Shakopee	7 57	10 00		5 00	5 00
Slayton		3 00		1 00	
Spring Valley		1 00	50	1 00	50
Stillwater	14 92	100 00	80 00	20 00	20 00
St. Charles		7 00	3 50	1 50	
St. Cloud	7 73	25 00	35 00	7 00	7 00
St. James		3 00		1 00	
St. Paul: Ascension		15 00	15 00	5 00	5 00
Chr st Church	212 50	650 00	550 00	45 00	45 00
Good Shepherd		28 00	28 00	6 00	6 00
S. John, Ev.	26 82	40 00	13 50	7 50	
S. Mary's		15 00		5 00	
S. Paul's	11 32	550 00	550 00	45 00	45 00
S. Stephen's		12 00	12 00	3 00	3 00
St. Peter		30 00	22 50	7 50	7 50
St. Vincent	2 40	5 00	5 00	2 00	
Wabasha	2 40	22 00	22 00	4 50	
Warsaw		6 00		2 00	
Waseca		8 00	8 00	3 00	3 00
Waterville		8 00	8 00	3 00	3 00
Wells	20 00	15 00	30 00	3 00	3 00
White Bear		20 00	20 00	5 00	5 00
Wilder		3 00		1 00	
Willmar	3 16	20 00	20 00	4 50	4 50
Windom		5 00	5 00	1 50	
Winona	23 00	100 00	100 00	25 00	25 00
Worthington		5 00	5 00	1 50	
Zumbrota		3 00	10 10	1 50	1 50
INDIAN STATIONS.					
Cass Lake		3 00	3 00	1 00	1 00
Leech Lake		15 00	15 00	5 00	5 00
S. Antipas, Red Lake		8 00	8 00	1 00	1 00
S. John's		8 00	8 00	1 00	1 00
S. Columba, White Earth		35 00	35 00	5 00	
Wild Rice River		8 00	8 00	2 00	2 00
Lake Winnibigoshish		3 00	3 00	1 00	1 00
Total	\$638 20		3,471 10		\$523 43

APPENDIX C.

ST. PAUL, MINN., May 31st, 1889.

The Board of Trustees of the Minnesota Church Foundation, In Account with GORDON E. COLE, Treasurer:

GENERAL FUND.

1888.		CREDITS.	
May 31.	By balance, per annual account, this date.....	\$ 129 80	
Oct. 31.	By cash refunded by "Endowment Fund" on account of advances made to May 31, 1888, under resolution of Aug. 24, 1877.....	440 70	
Nov. 30.	By cash refunded by "Endowment Fund," on account of advances as above.....	25 00	
1889.			
Mar. 27.	By collection of balance of principal of mortgage note of E. Meier, of \$500, of which \$200 was paid on Oct. 3, 1887.....	300 00	
May 31.	By collection of Cert. of deposit of Nov. 30, 1888, (renewed)....	593 50	
1888.			\$ 1,491 00
	DEBITS.		
Nov. 30.	To investment in Cert. of deposit of First Nat. Bank, order of Gordon E. Cole, Treas., 6 months, 4 per cent per annum....	\$ 593 50	
1889.			
Mar. 29.	To investment in Cert. of deposit of First Nat. Bank, (same as above).....	300 00	
May 31.	To re-investment in Cert. of deposit, First Nat. Bank.....	593 50	
			\$ 1,491 00
	CASH ASSETS BELONGING TO GENERAL FUND.		
	Certificate of deposit of March 29, 1889	\$ 300 00	
	Certificate of deposit of May 31, 1889.....	593 50	
	Cash balance due from Endowment Fund on account of advances.....	3,414 45	
			\$ 4,309 95

ST. PAUL, MINN., May 31st, 1889.

The Board of Trustees of the Minnesota Church Foundation, in Account with GORDON E. COLE, Treasurer:

ENDOWMENT FUND.

1888.		CREDITS.	
July 23.	By principal of Cert. of deposit of Jan. 24, 1888.....	\$11,180 50	
June 6	By cash from E. H. Holbrook, Treas., for additional collections.....	644 50	
Nov. 30.	By cash from E. H. Holbrook, Treas., for same.....	25 00	
Nov. 30.	By balance due General Fund, for advances for building contracts, under resolution of Aug. 24 1887.....	3 414 45	
			\$15,264 45
1889.			
	DEBITS.		
Oct. 31.	To cost of row of three brick buildings on lots 17 and 18, Park place, being dwellings Nos. 80 to 86 Summit avenue, as investment of Endowment Fund, under resolution of Aug. 24, 1887.....	\$15,264 45	

ST. PAUL, MINN., May 31st, 1889.

The Board of Trustees of the Minnesota Church Foundation, In Account with GORDON E. COLE, Treasurer:

INCOME OF GENERAL FUND.

1888.		CREDITS.	
May 31.	By balance, income fund, per annual account.....	\$ 66 32	
1889.			
	RENTALS ON GROUND LEASES.		
May 31.	E. N. Saunders, lots 11 and 12, Park place, 1 year to July 1, 1889.....	\$ 260 00	
May 31.	John Espy, lot 16, Park place, 1 year to July 1, 1889.....	221 40	
May 31.	E. Ingham, lots 19 and 20, Park place, 1 year to July 1, 1889. ...	120 00	701 40
	RENTALS, DWELLINGS AND STORES.		
May 31.	Mrs. Witham, rents No. 94 Park place, to June 1, 1889, at \$40 per month.....	490 00	
May 31.	Mrs. Colburn, rents No. 92 Park place, to June 1, 1889, at \$40 per month.....	490 00	
May 31.	Mr. Fisher, rents No. 272 Rice st., to June 1, 1889, at \$40 per month.....	490 00	

May 31.	Mr. Ryan, rents No 274 Rice st., to Sept. 1, 1889, at \$25 per month.....	75 00	
May 31.	Mr. Ryan, rents No. 274 Rice st., to June 1, 1889, at \$20 per month.....	180 00	
May 31.	John Dee, rents No. 272 Rice st., Jan. 1 to June 1, 1889, at \$20 per month.....	100 00	
May 31.	Mr. Dibble, rents No. 59 Park place, to May 1, 1889, at \$50 per mo.	550 00	
May 31.	Mr. McMasters, rents No. 54 Park place, to June 1, 1889, at \$41.66 per month.....	499 92	
May 31.	Bishop Gilbert, rents No. 56 Park place, to June 1, 1889, at \$41.66 per month.....	499 92	3,344 84
1888.			
July 1.	Int. on balance of \$300 note of E. Meier, 6 months at 8 per cent	12 00	
1889.			
Jan. 1.	Int. on balance of \$300 note of E. Meier, 6 months at 8 per cent	12 00	
Mar. 27.	Int. on balance of \$300 note of E. Meier, to date	5 72	
May 31.	Int. on Cert. of deposit of Nov. 30, 1888, for \$565.50	11 91	41 63
1888.			\$ 4,154 20
	DEBITS.		
	Taxes and assessments, Nov. 3, 1888, to March 29, 1889, as per Ledger account, p. 10.....	1,077 44	
	Repairs account, June 12 1888, to May 9, 1889, as per Ledger account, p. 11.....	58 40	
	Insurance acct., July 11, 1888, to date, per Ledger acct., p. 12..	163 50	
	Expense account, per Ledger, p. 13.....	13 88	1,313 20
Oct. 15.	Paid E. H. Holbrook, Jr., Treas. Ep. Fund.....	900 00	
Dec. 23.	Paid E. H. Holbrook, Jr., Treas. Ep. Fund.....	722 30	
1889.			
April 10.	Paid E. H. Holbrook, Jr., Treas. Ep. Fund.....	872 98	
May 31.	Paid E. H. Holbrook, Jr., Treas. Ep. Fund, balance to date...	845 72	2,841 00
			\$ 4,154 20

St. PAUL, MINN., May 31, 1889.

The Board of Trustees of the Minnesota Church Foundation, in account with GORDON E. COLLE, Treasurer:

INCOME OF ENDOWMENT FUND.

1888.			
July 23.	Interest on Certificate of Deposit of Jan. 23, 1888, for \$11,180 50, 6 mos. at 4 per cent per annum.....		\$223 61
1889.			
May 31.	Rent, P. M. Roberts, 82 Summit ave., August 20, 1888, to June 1, 1889.....	\$325 00	
May 31.	Rent, E. C. Whittemore, 82½ Summit ave., August 20, 1888, to June 1, 1889.....	325 00	
May 31.	Rent, M. L. Hones, 81 Summit ave., August 20, 1888, to June 1, 1889.....	325 00	
May 31.	Rent, A. V. Teeple, 84½ Summit ave., August 20, 1888, to June 1, 1889.....	325 00	
May 31.	Rent, D. R. Bundy, 86 Summit ave., August 20, 1888, to June 1, 1889.....	325 00	
April 30.	Rent, Henry Higgins, 80 Summit ave., September 6, 1888, to May 1, 1889.....	273 00—	1,898 00
			\$2,121 61
1888.			
Nov. 9.	Paid St. Paul F. & M. Ins. Co., three years insurance on Summit ave. block.....	90 00	
Dec. 26.	Paid St. Paul Gas Co., repairs to sidewalk on Summit ave. block.....	22 00	
1889.			
Mar. 29.	Paid taxes and assessments on Summit ave. block.....	322 28	
1888.			
July 23.	Paid E. H. Holbrook, Jr., Treas., int. on Cert. of Deposit...	223 61	
Oct. 15.	Paid E. H. Holbrook, Jr., Treas., on account of rents	463 00	
Dec. 23.	Paid E. H. Holbrook, Jr., Treas., on account of rents	398 00	
1889.			
April 10.	Paid E. H. Holbrook, Jr., Treas., on account of rents	629 72	
May 31.	Paid E. H. Holbrook, Jr., Treas., on account of rents, balance to date.....	85 00—	1,799 33
			\$2,121 61

GORDON E. COLLE, Treas.
By HARVEY OFFICER, Secy.

St. Paul, May 31, 1889.

APPENDIX D.

The Lambeth Conference.

(Reprinted from the "Guardian," July 4th, 1888.)

Sermon preached by The Right Rev. The Bishop of Minnesota at Westminster Abbey, before the first session of the Conference, on Tuesday morning, July 3, 1888:

"Most Reverend and Right Reverend Brethren—No assembly is fraught with such awful responsibility to God, as a council of the Bishops of His Church. Since the Holy Spirit presided in the first council of Jerusalem, faithful souls have looked with deep interest to the deliberations of those whom Christ has made the shepherds of His flock, and to whom He gave His promise, 'Lo, I am with you alway to the end of the world.' The responsibility is greater when division has marred the beauty of the Lamb's Bride. Our words and acts will surely hasten or (which God forbid) retard the reunion of Christendom. Feeling the grave responsibility which is imposed on me to-day, my heart cries out as did the prophets, 'I am a child and cannot speak.' Pray for me, venerable brethren, that God may help me to obey His word—'Whatsoever I command, that shalt thou speak.' I would kneel with you at our Master's feet and pray that 'the Holy Spirit may guide us in all truth.' We meet as the representatives of national Churches; each with its own peculiar responsibility to God for the souls intrusted to its care; each with all the rights of a national Church, to adapt itself to the varying conditions of human society; and each bound to preserve the order, the faith, the sacraments, and the worship of the Catholic Church for which it is a trustee. As we kneel by the table of our common Lord we remember separated brothers. Division has multiplied division until infidelity sneers at Christianity as an effete superstition, and the modern Sadducee, more bold than his Jewish brother, denies the existence of God. Millions for whom Christ died have not so much as heard that there is a Saviour. It will heal no divisions to say, Who is at fault? The sin of schism does not lie at one door. If one has sinned by self-will, the other has sinned as deeply by lack of charity and love. The way to reunion looks difficult. To man it is impossible. No human eirenicon can bridge the gulf of separation. There are unkind words to be taken back, alienations to be healed, and heartburnings to be forgiven. When we are blind, God can make a way. When 'the God of Peace' rules in all Christian hearts, our Lord's prayer will be answered—'That they all may be one, as Thou, Father, art in Me, and I in Thee, that they all may be one in Us, that the world may believe that thou hast sent Me.' No one branch of the Church is absolutely by itself alone the Catholic Church; all branches need reunion in order to the completeness of the Church. There are blessed signs that the Holy Spirit is quickening Christian hearts to seek for unity. We all know that this divided Christianity cannot conquer the world. At a time when every form of error and sin is banded together to oppose the kingdom of Christ, the world needs the witness of a united Church. Men must hear again the voice which peals through the lapse of centuries bearing witness to 'the faith once delivered to the saints,' or else for many souls there will be only rationalism and unbelief—while this sad weary world, so full of sin and sorrow, is pleading for help, it is a wrong to Christ and to the souls for whom He died that His children should be separated in rival folds. As baptised

into Christ we are brothers. Notwithstanding the hedges of human opinions which men have builded in the garden of the Lord, all who look for salvation alone through faith in Jesus Christ do hold the great verities of Divine faith. The opinions which separate us are not necessary to be believed in order to salvation. The truths in which we agree are parts of the Catholic faith. The Holy Spirit has passed over these human barriers, and set his seal to the labors of separated brethren in Christ, and rewarded them in the salvation of many precious souls. The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ and the renewing and sanctifying influences of the Holy Ghost are the same in the peasant in the cottage and in the emperor on the throne. They share with us in the long line of confessors and martyrs for Christ. We would not rob them of one sheaf which they have gathered in the garner of the Lord. We rejoice that Churches with a like historic lineage with us are seeking reunion. Churches whose faith has been dimmed by coldness or clouded by error are being quickened into new life from the Incarnate Son of God.

"Our hearts go out in loving sympathy to the Old Catholics of Europe and America, whose names always will be linked with Selwyn, Wilberforce, and Wordsworth, Whittingham, Kerfoot, and Brown, in defence of the faith. It is with deep sorrow that we remember that the Church of Rome has separated herself from the teaching of the primitive Church by additions to the faith once delivered to the saints, and by claiming for its Bishop prerogatives which belong only to the Divine Head of the Church. While we honor the devotion and zeal of her missionary heroes, and rejoice at the good works of multitudes of her children, we lament that lack of charity which anathematizes disciples of Christ who have carried the Gospel to the ends of the earth.

"We bless God's Holy Name for the fraternal work which has been carried on under the guidance of the see of Canterbury, and which we trust will lead ancient Churches to a deeper personal faith in Jesus Christ.

"We are sad that some of our kinsmen in Christ, children of one mother, have forsaken her ways. God can over-rule even this sorrow, so that it shall fall out to the furtherance of the Gospel. They must take with them precious memories of the love and the faith of the mother whom they have forsaken, and of the liberty wherewith the truth in Christ has made her children free—under God these may be a link in the chain of His providence to the restoration of unity. It is a singular providence that at this period of the world's history, when marvellous discoveries have united the people of divers tongues in common interests, He has placed the Anglo-Saxon race in the forefront of the nations. They are carrying civilization to the ends of the earth. They are bringing liberty to the oppressed, elevating the down-trodden, and are giving to all these divers tongues and kindreds their customs, traditions, and laws. I reverently believe that the Anglo-Saxon Church has been preserved by God's Providence (if her children will accept this mission) to heal the divisions of Christendom, and lead on in his work to be done in the eventide of the world. She holds the truth which underlie the possibility of reunion, the validity of all Christian baptism in the Name of the Father, the Son, and the Holy Ghost. She ministers the two sacraments of Christ as of perpetual obligation, and makes faith in Jesus Christ, as contained in the Catholic Creed, a condition of Christian fellowship. The Anglo-Saxon Church does not perplex men with theories and shibboleths which many a poor Ephraimite cannot speak—she believes in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, and in Jesus Christ His only Son, and in the Holy Ghost, three Persons and one God, but she does not weaken faith in the Triune God by human speculations about the Trinity in Unity. She believes that the sacred Scriptures were written by inspiration of God, but she has no theory about inspiration. She holds up the

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dom of Paul and the eloquence of Appollos may plant, but 'God alone giveth the increase.' If success comes, if 'the rod of the priesthood bud and blossom and bear fruit,' it must be 'laid up in the ark of God.' He will not give His glory to another. The work is Christ's. 'We are ambassadors for Him.' 'I have chosen you and ordained you that ye should go and bring forth fruit.'

"3. They who would win souls must have a ripe knowledge of the sacred Scriptures. 'They were written by inspiration of God.....that the man of God may be perfect, thoroughly furnished unto all good works.' Our orders may be unquestioned, our doctrine perfect in every line and feature, but we shall not reach the hearts of men unless we preach Christ out of an experimental knowledge of the truths of Divine Revelation. There is but one book which can bring light to homes of sorrow, one light to scatter clouds and darkness, one message to lead wandering folk unto God. This blessed Book will be to every weary soldier and lonely missionary what it was to Livingstone dying alone in Africa, or to Captain Gardiner dead on the desolate shores of Patagonia, whose finger pointed to the words, 'The blood of Jesus Christ cleanseth from all sin.'

"4. We must love all whom Christ loves. We may have the gift of teaching, we may understand all mysteries, we may have all knowledge, we may bestow all our goods to the poor, we may even give our bodies to be burned, but without that love which comes alone from Christ we shall be 'as sounding brass and a tinkling cymbal.' With St. Paul we must say, 'Whereinsoever Christ is preached I do rejoice, and will rejoice.'

"5. Above all gifts we need the baptism of the Holy Ghost. When *this* consecration comes there will be no cry of an empty treasury. We shall no longer be weary with the bleating of lost sheep, to whom we have to say, 'I have no means and no shepherd to send you.'

"*Christian Work.*—We rejoice at every sign that Christians realize that wealth is a sacred trust, for which they shall give an account. We rejoice more that they are giving that personal service which is a law of His kingdom. Men and women of culture and gentle birth are going into the abodes of sickness and sorrow to comfort stricken homes and lead sinful folk to the Saviour. Brotherhoods, sisterhoods, and deaconesses are multiplying. Never was there greater need for their holy work. Many of our own baptised children have drifted away from all faith. To thousands God is a name, the Bible a tradition, faith an opinion, and heaven and hell fables. But that which gives us the deepest sadness and makes all Christian work more difficult is that so many of these to whom the people look for example have given up the Bible, the Lord's Day, the house of God, and Christian faith. Alas! they are telling these weary toilers whose lives are clouded by anxiety and sorrow that there is no hereafter. 'They know not what they do.' They are sowing to the wind and will reap the whirlwind. May God show them the danger before it is too late! The loss of faith is the loss of everything; without it morality becomes prudence or imprudence. When the tie which binds man to God is broken all other ties snap asunder. No nation has survived the loss of its religion. We are appalled at the mad cry of anarchy which tramples all which we hold dear for time and eternity under its feet. We cannot look into its face without seeing the lineaments of that man of sin who 'opposeth and exalteth himself above all that is called God and worshipped.' Antichrist is he who usurps the place of Christ. 'He is antichrist who denieth the Father and the Son.' Our hearts go out in pity for those whose mechanical ideas of the universe may be a revolt from a mechanical theology which has lost sight of the Fatherhood of God. We stand where two ways meet. We shall take care of the people or the

people will take care of us. The people are the rulers; the power of the future people is in their hands. Limit their horizon to this life, let penury, sickness, and sorrow change the man to a wolf, let him know no God and Father Who hears his cry, no Saviour to help, no brother to bind up his wounds, let there be on the one side wealth and luxury and wanton waste, and on the other side poverty, misery, and despair, there will be, as there has been, a cry for blood. We wonder why men pass by the Church to found clubs and brotherhoods and orders. They will have them, and they ought to have them, until the Church is in its Divine love what its Founder designed it to be—the brotherhood in Christ of the children of our God and Father. What the world needs to-day is not alms, not hospitals, not homes of mercy alone. It needs the spirit and the power of the love of Christ. It needs the voice, the ear, the hand, and the heart of Christ seen in and working in His children. No powers of government, no *prestige* of social position, no prerogatives of Churchly authority can meet the issues of this hour: we have waited already too long. Brotherhood men will have, and it will be the brotherhood of the commune, or brotherhood in Christ as the children of our God and Father. Infidelity answers no questions, heals no wounds, fulfils no hopes. The Gospel will do, is doing, to-day what it has done through all the ages, leading men out of sin and darkness and despair to the liberty of sons of God.

"In a day of division and unrest there will be many questions which perplex earnest souls. Some will dwell on the subjective side of the faith, others will think most of its manifestations in the life. These questions will affect organization for Christian work, public worship, and find expression in the ritual of the Church. There is no room for differences if Christ be first, Christ be last, and Christ in everything. The ritual of the Church must be the expression of her life. It must symbolize her faith; it must be subject to her authority. As the years go by worship will be more beautiful. The 'garments of the king's daughter may be of wrought gold,' and she 'clothed in raiment of needlework,' but 'she will have a name that she liveth and is dead,' unless her 'fine linen is the righteousness of the saints.' Lastly, to none is this council so dear as to those whose lives are spent in the darkness of heathenism, or who have gone out to new lands to lay foundations for the work of the Church of God. In loneliness, with deferred hopes, neglected by brethren, your only refuge to cry as a child to God, it is a joy for you to feel the beating of a brother's heart, and hear the music of a brother's voice, and kneel with brothers at the dear old trysting-place, the table of our Lord. Let us consecrate all we have and are to Him, let us remember loved ones far away, let us gather all the work we have so long garnered in our hearts and lay it at His feet. We shall not have met in vain, if, out of the love learned of Him, we give each to other, and to all fellow-labourers for Him, a brother's love, a brother's sympathy, and a brother's prayers. I do not know how to clothe in words the thronging memories which cluster around us in this holy place, what searchings of heart, what cries to God, what communions with Christ, what consolations of the Holy Spirit have been witnessed in this sacred place. I cannot call over the long roll of saints, confessors, and martyrs, whose 'names are written in the Lamb's Book of Life.' Two names will be remembered to-day by us all. One, that gentle Archbishop Longley, who in the greatness of his love saw with a prophet's eye the Mission of the Church and planned these conferences that our hearts might beat as one in the battle of the last time. The other, the wisest of counsellors and most loving of brethren, the great hearted Archbishop Tait, whose dying legacy to his brethren was love, one another.' They have finished their course and entered into rest. A little more work, a few more trials, and we, too, shall finish our course. We are not two companies, the militant and triumphant are one. We are the advance and rear of one host traveling to the Canaan of God's rest. God grant that we, too, may so fall on Christ that we may have an abundant entrance to His eternal kingdom."

APPENDIX E.

SUMMARY OF EPISCOPAL ADDRESSES.

	BISHOP.	ASSISTANT BISHOP.	TOTAL.
Sermons and Addresses.....	140	241	381
Baptisms, (Inf. 5, Ad. 4).....	9	34	43
Confirmations	*315	†798	1125
Holy Communion Celebrated.....	25	67	92
Marriages.....	1	10	11
Burials.....	5		5
Churches Consecrated.....		9	9
Cemeteries Consecrated.....		1	1
Ordinations, (P. 1, D. 1.).....	2	(P. 3, D. 2) 5	7
Visitations.....		144	144
Corner Stones laid	2		2
Clergy Transferred.....		5	5
Clergy Received.....		8	8
Candidates for Holy Orders Rec'd.		7	7
Postulants Received.....		11	11
Lay Readers Licensed.....	4	27	31
Depositions (P. 1, D. 1).....	2		2

*In addition to this number and the 798 confirmed by Bishop Gilbert, Bishop Walker of Dakota, Confirmed 12 at Crookston, making a total of 1125.

†Besides this, Confirmed 24 for other Bishops.

Reports of the Deans.

NORTHERN CONVOCATION.

DETROIT, May 31, 1889.

Rt. Rev. Father—The Northern Convocation met at Crookston, October 2d and 3d, 1888. The Assistant Bishop being present and taking an active part in the deliberations. Our sister diocese on the north was represented by the Ven O. Fortin of Winnipeg Ruperts Land and the adjoining jurisdiction of North Dakota by W. T. Currie, rector at Grand Forks both of whom added great interest to our discussion. The Congregational Minister of Crookston accepted the invitation to unite with us in discussing church music. A missionary meeting on Wednesday evening was made deeply interesting by addresses from these brethren:

A message from our Honorary Dean, Rev. F. J. Hawley, of Lake Park, reminded us of his continued sympathy and love which is fully reciprocated. Several of the brethren unable to attend sent letters of encouragement. It was resolved that an annual meeting should be called before Advent, 1889.

Very Respectfully Submitted

E. STEELE PEAKE,

Dean.

The Rt. Rev H. B. Whipple, D. D. L L. D.
Faribault.

SOUTHERN CONVOCATION.

FARIBAULT, May 31, 1889.

My Dear Bishop.—The clergy of the Convocation were called together for conference in St. Mark's church, Lake City, Oct. 17, 18, 19, 1888. A goodly number were present and the presence of brethren from the central convocation and the diocese of Milwaukee added to the interest of the occasion. The Rev. John Wright, of St. Paul, at my request, delivered the Convocation sermon.

The Spring meeting was omitted in the hope that the Rev. brethren would attend as a substitute the Sunday school conference holden in Minneapolis during the last week in February.

The missionary work in the southern portion of the state has been materially aided by two forces—the general diocesan missionary on the one hand and the students of our divinity school on the other. Of the former the Assistant Bishop will speak at length, while of the latter the labors of Mr. Purves at Zumbrota and Pine Island; Mr. Alexander at Kason and Manterville; Mr. Chard at Cordova and Le Sueur Centre; Mr. Haupt at Owatonna, are worthy of honorable mention. I have visited all the above missions, as well as several others, baptising about 30 candidates and celebrating the Holy Communion many times. The faithful work of our missionary at Waseca and Morristown, the Rev. W. McVettie, should be remembered in this report. My Rev. Brethren have given me their generous sympathy and aid.

Very Faithfully Yours,

EDWARD C. BILL,

Dean.

Clerical Reports.

TINTAH, Minn., May 31, 1889.

Dear Bishop—In making my report a few days since, of services at Benson and other matters relating to the Church there, I omitted, I think, giving in a postscript, as I had intended, a brief account of services elsewhere.

I baptized last September two children at Glenwood; also in April, here, three children.

I have officiated at religious services, when away from Benson, during the last year, at different places, mostly here, nearly every Sabbath.

Many thanks for your kind letter of the 23d inst., and very kind recommendation to standing committee.

Yours truly,

F. B. NASH.

FARIBAULT, Minn., June 8th, 1889. •

RT. REV. H. B. WHIPPLE, D. D., LL. D.:

Rt. Rev. and Dear Sir—I have to report only the discharge of my duties as Professor of Ethics and Apologetics in the Seabury Divinity School during the current year, with the exception of the month of January.

Most Respectfully yours,

J. MACBRIDE STERRETT.

FARIBAULT, Minn., June 10th, 1889.

Dear Bishop—In addition to my duties in Shattuck School, I have preached on several occasions, and celebrated the Holy Communion as follows: Waterville three times; Austin once; Weesca once; Owatonna twice in the Church and once in private. I have also baptized two children, solemnized three marriages, buried two persons. In the absence of the Rector of St. Paul's Church, Owatonna, the Rev. R. E. Metcalf, I had charge of the services during the month of August last.

GEO. C. TANNER.

Chaplain Shattuck School.

FARIBAULT, June 10th, 1889.

RT. REV. H. B. WHIPPLE, D. D., LL. D.:

Rt. Rev. and Dear Sir:—I have the honor to report that during the past year I have been engaged in my duties as Professor of Ecclesiastical History

and acting as Warden in the Seabury Divinity School. During the Sundays in Lent I officiated in Christ Church, St. Paul, and at other times have officiated in Missions and Parishes when I could be of assistance to the Clergy of the Diocese without hindrance to my work at Seabury.

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES L. WELLS.

FARIBAULT, Minn., May 27th, 1889.

RT. REV. H. B. WHIPPLE, D. D., LL. D.:

Dear Bishop—I have the honor to report that during the last year I have performed my duties as Professor in Seabury Hall. Owing, however, to a lameness that has unfitted me for appearance in the chancel I have not officiated in any public service of the Church.

Sincerely yours,

E. S. WILSON.

HASTINGS, June 1st, 1889.

THE RT. REV. H. B. WHIPPLE, D. D., LL. D.:

Rt. Rev. and Dear Sir—During the past year I have for the most part attended public worship in St. Luke's Church, Hastings. I have performed no official duties except assisting the Rector of St. Luke's as occasion required.

JOHN WILLIAMSON.

FARIBAULT, June 1, 1889.

My Dear Bishop—Herewith I hand you my report as Dean of the Southern Convocation, also report of the Mission at Canon City which has been more or less under my care during the year.

At Seabury Divinity School, besides fulfilling the duties of my professorship, I have at the request of the faculty taken the department of Homiletics for the time being.

I have also preached many times in the Cathedral and assisted, in many ways, the Rector of the Cathedral parish.

Outside of the Diocese, I have officiated in Toronto, Maryland, Colorado, and Long Island.

To the Rectors of St. Paul's, Minneapolis; St. Paul's and Christ Church, St. Paul, I have also been able to give some help.

What I have been able to do for our Missions will appear in my report as Dean of Convocation.

The following figures are from my private register: Ordinary services, 167; sermons and addresses, 85; celebrations of holy communion, 43; baptisms, 20; marriages, 3; burials 3.

With best wishes for you and yours,

I am most faithfully,

EDW. C. BILL.

CONNYMEADE FARM, BECKER COUNTY, MINN., June 6th, 1889.

RT. REV. H. B. WHIPPLE, D. D., LL. D.:

Rt. Rev. and Dear Sir—On account of ill-health, I resigned St. Paul's Church, Brainerd, on the 15th of November, 1887. I retired to this place

where I have resided since. About the time of my resignation I met with an accident which disabled me so that I have been unable to walk since. My general health is quite restored. On Easter I administered the communion to self and family. I am acting treasurer for a fund to build a church at this place, the stone for which is on the ground. We hope and expect to build next year.

Your faithful son in the Church of Christ,

F. J. HAWLEY.

FARIBAULT, June 12, 1889.

RT. REV. H. B. WHIPPLE, D. D.

I have to report that during the last conciliar year I have been occupied with my professional duties at the Seabury Divinity School, and with literary work pertaining to the same; occasionally officiating or preaching at different places.

J. STEINFORT KEDNEY.

Parochial Reports.

Alexandria, Population 2,000, Douglas County; EMMANUEL CHURCH.
The Rev. MARK JUKES, Rector, JOS. COLBY, JOHN ABERCROMBIE, Wardens, GEO. S. SPAULDING, Treas.

Value of Church property, \$5,000.

Receipts—Balance from last report, \$60.00; Subscriptions, \$15.00; Offerings, \$5.00; Rentals, \$100.00. Total, \$180.00.

Expenditures—Parochial: Current Expenses, \$14.80; Repairs, \$110.20; Payment of Debts, \$45.00. Total, \$170.00. Diocesan—Council Fund, \$2.00; Bishop's Salary, \$2.00; Diocesan Missionary Board Fund, \$5.00. Total, \$10.00. Grand Total, \$180.00.

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

Having taken charge for only one Sunday in the past year I have been unable to make a fuller statement than above, but hope D. V. to be able to make a fuller report at the end of another year. The people have given me a most hearty welcome and are anxious to do what they can to recover lost ground; from what I can find out I am afraid some of our younger members have lapsed to other churches during the late vacancy.

I remain Rev. and Dear Sir, yours faithfully,

MARK JUKES.

Anoka, Population 4,700, Anoka County; TRINITY CHURCH, Served from Seabury, by MR. C. C. ROLLET, JAMES O'KNEFFE, O. L. CUTTER, Wardens; O. L. CUTTER, Treas. MR. FRED. MARSH, S. S. Supt.

Pews free. No. sittings, 120. Rector's Salary, \$156.00. No. of families, 29. Individuals, 116. Baptisms, (inf. 4, ad. 1), 5. Confirmations, (f. 3), 3. Confirmed persons, last report 51; added by Confirmation, 3. Total, 54. Lost by Death, 1. Lost by transfer and otherwise, 1. Total lost, 2. Present No. (m. 13, f. 39), 52. Communicating during year, (m. 2, f. 13), 15. Holy Communion administered, (pub. 1, private, 1), 2. Public services, (Sunday, 26, other days, 1), 27. Burials, 2. Sunday schools, 1. Teachers, (m. 2, f. 4), 6. Other Officers, (m. 1). Scholars, 90. Total Teachers, Officers, and Scholars, 97. Catechisms, 3.

Value of Church building, \$1,500; Rectory and lots upon which church stands, \$1,500. Total, \$3,000.

Indebtedness—\$275.00.

Receipts—Total, \$90.60.

Expenditures—Parochial: Rector's Salary paid, \$72.83; Poor (Charitable Work), \$7.00. Total, \$79.83. Diocesan: Diocesan Missionary Board Fund, \$2.50; Other Mission Work, \$6.23. Total, \$8.73. General: Domestic Missions, \$2.04; Miscellaneous, \$2.04. Total, \$10.77. Grand Total, \$90.60.

Appleton, Population 1,200, Swift County; GETHSEMANE CHURCH, A. D. COUNTRYMAN, W. STANTON, Wardens; A. D. COUNTRYMAN, Clk. Vestry; A. D. COUNTRYMAN, S. S. Supt.; M. RAY, Lay Reader.

Pews free. No. Families 25. Individuals, about 87. Baptisms (inf. 2). Communicants (m. 5, f. 22) 27. Sunday schools 1. Teachers f. 5. Other officers (m. 1). Scholars 45. Total Teachers, Officers and Scholars, 51.

Value of Church building, \$1,000. Rectory and lot, \$1,100. Total, \$2,100.

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

I am unable to make a perfect report having but lately taken hold of the work. Great interest is, however, shown and there is a band of very earnest workers in the Ladies' Guild. We had a stirring visit from the Diocesan Missioner in May, and with God's blessing the work will prosper.

Austin, Population, 4,500, Mower County; CHRIST CHURCH, The Rev. EDWIN JOHNSON, Rector; S. C. CLARK, B. P. GEORGE, H. E. COOK, Bishop's Committee; R. E. SHEPHERD, Treas.

Pews free. No. sittings, 168. Rector's salary, \$350. No. families, 40. Individuals, 117. Baptisms (inf. 3, ad. 5), 8. Confirmations (m. 3, f. 7), 10. Added by Confirmation, 10, added by transfer and otherwise, 2. Total, 57. Lost by death, 3. Lost by transfer and otherwise, 10. Total lost, 13. Present No. (m. 9, f. 48), 57.

Communicants (m. 9, f. 48), 57. Communicating during year (m. 5, f. 30), 35. Holy Communion administered, pub. 5. Public services (Sundays 164, other days 45), 149. Marriages 1. Burials, 3. Sunday schools 1. Teachers (f. 5), 5. Scholars (m. 15, f. 32), 47. Total Teachers, Officers and Scholars, 52.

Value of Church building, \$1,500. Rectory, \$450. Lots upon which Church stands, \$600. Total, \$2,550.

Receipts—Balance from last report, \$118.13. Subscriptions, \$297.95. Donations, \$145.13. Offerings, \$113.51. Parish Aid Societies, Guilds, etc., \$321.50. Sunday school, \$29.46. Rent of Rectory, \$41.00. Total, \$1,080.71.

Expenditures—Parochial: Current expenses, \$144.30. Rectory building, \$34.45. Rector's salary, \$500. Sunday school expense \$5.40. New seats, piano, screen and lamps, \$321.50. Total, \$1,006.25. Diocesan: Council fund, \$5.00. Bishop's salary, \$10. Diocesan Missionary Board Fund, \$12. Aged and Infirm Clergy fund, \$4.50. Sheltering Arms, \$2.00. Total, \$35.85. General: Domestic Missions, \$3.00. Foreign Missions, \$2.50. American Church Building Fund, \$2.55. Total, \$8.05. Grand Total, \$1,044.15.

Basswood Grove, Washington County; S. MARY'S CHURCH, The Rev. JNO. W. PROSSER, in charge. (P. O. Minneapolis.) JOHN WRIGHT, SR., HENRY GALLINGER, JR., Wardens; DAVID B. GALLINGER, Treas.; HENRY GALLINGER, Clk. Vestry.

Pews free. No. sittings, 100. Rector's salary, \$161.00. No. Families, 17. Individuals, 88. Baptisms, (inf. 1) 1. Confirmations, (m. 2) 2. Present No. (m. 17, f. 22), 39. Communicating during year, 35. Holy Communion administered, (pub. 6), 6. Public services, 22. Value of Church building, \$800.00. Lots upon which church stands, \$105.00. Total, \$905.00.

Receipts—Balance from last report, \$2.35. Subscriptions, \$161.00. Offerings, \$35.37. Parish Aid Societies, Guilds etc., \$35.75. Total, \$234.47.

Expenditures—Parochial: Current expenses, \$4.50. Rector's salary, \$161.00. Total, \$165.50. Diocesan: Council fund \$3.00. Bishop's salary, \$9.00. Diocesan Missionary Board Funds, \$12.00. Other Mission Work, \$3.50. Aged and Infirm Clergy, Fund \$5.62. Total, \$33.12. Grand Total, \$198.62.

Becker, Population, 100, Sherburne County; TRINITY CHAPEL, The Rev. JNO. W. PROSSER, in charge. (P. O. Minneapolis.) S. S. THORN, SR., J. H. MORSE, JR., Wardens; ISRAEL JOHNSON, Treas.; GEO. W. STEVENS, Clk. Vestry; S. S. THORN, S. S. Supt.; S. S. THORN, Lay Reader.

Pews free. No. Families, 13. Individuals, 59. Baptisms, (inf., 5, Ad. 1), 6. Confirmations, (m. 1, f. 1), 2. Present No. (m. 12 f. 12), 24. Communicants, (m. 8, f. 9), 17. Communicating during year, 17. Holy Communion administered (pub. 2), 2. Public services, (Sundays, 11, other days, 1), 12. Burials, 2. Sunday schools 1. Teachers, (f. 5), 5. Other officers, (m. 3), 3. Scholars, (m. 32, f. 34), 66. Total Teachers, Officers and Scholars, 74. S. S. School Library books, 50.

Value of Church building, \$1,000.00. Lots upon which church stands, \$50.00. Total, \$1050.00.

Receipts—Subscriptions, \$52.25. Offerings, \$29.57. Sunday School, \$28.95. Total, \$110.77.

Expenditures—Parochial: Rector's salary, \$67.90. Sunday School, \$28.95. Total, \$96.85. Diocesan: Council fund, \$1.00. Bishop's salary, \$1.00. Diocesan Missionary Board Fund, \$3.00. Other Mission Work, \$3.39. Total, \$7.39. General: Jewish Missions, \$1.00. Total, \$1.00. Grand Total, \$105.24.

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

I was put in charge of this Mission by the Assistant Bishop, and began services on the second Sunday in September, 1898. I officiate twice each month. Lay services are held on the Sundays on which I am not present.

Belle Creek, Goodhue County, S. PAUL'S CHURCH; GEO. COOK, Warden; HENRY JAMES, Treasurer; R. DOYLE, Clerk of Vestry; GEO. COOK, S. S. Supt; W. W. LOWRY, Lay Reader.

Pews free. No. sittings, 160. No. families, 10; Individuals, 21. Lost by death, 1. Lost by transfer and otherwise, 4. Total lost, 5. Present No. confirmed (m. 9, f. 12), 21. Communicants, 21. Sunday Schools, 1. Teachers (m. 1, f. 2), 3. Other officers (m.) 2. Scholars (m. 16, f. 15), 31. Total teachers, officers and scholars, 36. S. S. Library books, 60.

Value of Church building, \$1,000.

Receipts—Subscriptions, \$20. Offerings, \$22.25. Parish Aid Societies, Guilds, etc., \$47.70. Sunday School, \$5.90. Total, \$95.85.

Expenditures—Parochial: Current expenses, \$77. Sunday School, \$5.10. Other expenses, \$20. Total, \$25.87. Diocesan: Council fund, \$3.00. Bishop's salary, \$9.00. Diocesan Missionary Board fund, \$6.00. Other Missionary work, \$35.00. Sheltering Arms, \$9.75. Total, \$62.75. Grand total, \$88.82.

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

The above report is as accurate as I could ascertain, as I had no record to go by; only by memory.

Yours, truly, &c.

GEO. COOK, Warden.

White Rock, Goodhue County, Minn.

Belle Plaine, Scott County; Population, 1,000. TRANSFIGURATION CHURCH, The Rev. A. S. H. WINSOR, Rector, (Henderson P. O.); M. STEPHEN SMITH, SANFORD HOOPER, Wardens; WILLIAM CHARD, Treasurer; EDWARD CHARD, Clerk of Vestry.

Pews free. No. sittings, 200. Rector's salary, \$144. No. families, 15; Individuals, 73. Baptisms (Inf.) 6. Confirmations (m. 3, f. 2), 5. Confirmed persons, last report, 13; added by confirmation, 3; added by transfer and otherwise, 2. Total, 22. Lost by transfer and otherwise, 3. Total lost, 3. Present No. (m. 8, f. 11), 19. Communicants (m. 8, f. 11), 19. Communicating during year (m. 8, f. 11), 19. Holy Communion administered (pub. 6). Public services, Sundays, 44. Burials, 1. S. S. Library books, 50.

Value of Church building, \$3,000; lots upon which church stands, \$300. Total, \$3,300. *Receipts*—Communion aids, \$3.00. Subscriptions, \$83.00. Offerings, \$55.50. Total, \$151.50.

Expenditures—Parochial: Current expenses, \$6.00. Rector's salary, \$70.00. Total, \$76.00. Diocesan: Council fund, \$2.00. Bishop's salary, \$3.00. Diocesan Missionary Board fund, \$5.00. Total, \$10.00. Bishop Gilbert's Special Needs fund, \$5.50. Total, \$5.50. Grand total, \$91.50.

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

The above is a report of the work done at Belle Plaine during the past year up to May 6th, when I left the parish for Fairmount.

Yours, respectfully,

A. S. H. WINSOR.

Benson, Population 1,000, Swift County; CHRIST CHURCH, The Rev. F. B. NASH, Rector; ARTHUR THORNTON, FRANK M. THORNTON, Wardens; EARNEST ALDRICH, S. S. Supt.

Pews free. No. sittings, 125. Rector's salary, \$400. No. families, 14. Individuals, 61. Baptisms (Inf.) 3. Confirmed persons, last report, 22. Present No. 22. Communicants (m. 6, f. 13), 19. Communicating during year (m. 6, f. 12), 19. Holy Communion administered (pub.) 4. Public services (Sundays 89, other days 7), 46. Burials, 3. Sunday schools, 1. Teachers (m. 2, f. 3), 5. Scholars (m. 14, f. 16), 30. Total teachers, officers and scholars, 35.

Value of Church building, \$1,500. Rectory, \$1,800. Lots upon which church stands, \$700. Total, \$4,000.

Receipts—\$516.35.

Expenditures—Parochial: Current expenses, \$75. Repairs, \$125. Rector's salary \$234. Sunday School expense, \$30. Poor (charitable work), \$10. Insurance, \$30. Total \$509. Diocesan: Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund, \$4. General: Domestic Missions, \$3.50. Foreign Missions, \$7.50. Total, \$11.00. Grand Total, \$519.

Birch Cooley, Population, 200, Redwood County; S. JOHN'S MISSION, The Rev. SAM'L DALTON HINNMAN, Rector in charge. P. O. Birch Cooley, Renville County.

Pews free. No. sittings, 50. No. families, 29. Individuals, 92. Baptisms (Inf. 3). Confirmations (m. 5, f. 1), 6. Confirmed persons, last report, 54, added by Confirmation 6. Total, 60. Lost by death, 2. Total lost, 2. Present No. (m. 30, f. 28), 58.

Communicants (m. 30, f. 28), 58. Communicating during year (m. 30, f. 28), 58. Holy Communion administered (pub. 52, private 4), 56. Public services (Sundays 104, other days 110), 214. Burials, 6. Sunday schools, 1. Teachers (m. 1, f. 1) 2. Scholars (m. 15, f. 15), 30. Total teachers, officers and scholars, 32.

Value of Church property, \$1,500. Lots upon which Church stands, \$300. Total, \$1,800.

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

This is only to record a beginning. The attempt is here being made to gather in and rescue from degradation those Indians who were our friends in 1862 and have since suffered from our neglect to care for or guide them. All these people are Christians by profession, their adults are all confirmed and communicants and the infants all baptized. We have now the harder work to make them Christians by practice as well; to teach *de novo* morals and ethics and to create almost the intelligence necessary to comprehend what we value as spiritual truth and what we mean by religious experience and holy life. The Indian, like most heathen, is profoundly devout and religious in mind and habit, but has not the faint-

est idea of morals, and his distincting between "good and bad," what we know as "right and wrong," is entirely subjective and selfish. It is easy to convince such a simple or sluggish intellect, it is *most difficult* after that to open the doors or break and soften the adamant selfishness of such a heart and let in the light of love and heaven and make clean the tabernacle for the incoming of justice and mercy and truth.

We have Good-Thunder and some good people here, others as good as they know how to be, but only so strong as their power to resist temptation which is very small. The Indian avoids trouble by flying from it, gets rid of an evil by giving it place. His prayer might almost be "Lead me into temptation" and teach me how to face it like a man, for he must now face the trials and duties of our civilization and methods or be utterly overwhelmed.

SAM'L D. HINNMAN.

Blue Earth City, Population 1600, Faribault County; GOOD SHEPHERD CHURCH. The Rev. R. R. GOUDY, Rector; J. A. KIESTER, J. H. COUPER, Wardens; HOBART COUPER, S. S. Supt.; HOBART COUPER, Treas;

CHARLES ALING, Clk Vestry; J. A. KIESTER, Lay Reader.

Pews free. No. sittings, 120. No. families, 25. Individuals, 80. Baptisms (Inf. 2), Confirmations (m. 2, f. 1), 3. Added by confirmation, 8. Present No. (m. 6, f. 18), 24.

Communicants (m. 6, f. 18), 24. Communicating during year (m. 4, f. 16), 20. Holy Communion administered, 2. Public services, (Sundays, 70; other days, 10), 80. Sunday schools, 1; Teachers (m. 1, f. 4), 5. scholars (m. 15, f. 15), 30. Total teachers, officers and scholars, 35. Catechisms, 25.

Value of church buildings, \$2,000. Rectory, \$1,000. Total, \$3,000.

Receipts—\$178.75.

Expenditures—Rector's salary, \$160.25. Total, \$160.25. Diocesan—Council fund, \$1.50. Bishop's salary, \$5.00. Diocesan missionary fund, \$10.00. Aged and infirm clergy fund, \$2.00. Total, \$18.50. Grand total, \$178.75.

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

The above report is only from the time that I have had charge of this parish; beginning with September 15, 1888, and until June 1st, 1889.

Most Sincerely,

R. R. GOUDY.

Brainerd, Population 8,000; Crow Wing County; S. PAUL'S CHURCH; The Rev. GEO. H. DAVIS, Rector, No. 70 Seventh street; LYMAN P. WHITE, W. P. SPALDING, Wardens; C. L. SPAULDING, Treas., WM. D. MCKAY, Clk Vestry; C. L. SPAULDING, S. S. Supt.

Pews free. No. sittings, 250. Rector's salary, \$1,200. No. families, 124. Individuals, 500. Baptisms (inf 31, ad 10) 41. Confirmations (m 2, f 8) 10. Added by confirmation, 10; added by transfer and otherwise, 8. Total 18. Lost by death, 4. Lost by transfer and otherwise, 4. Total lost, 8. Present No. 151. Communicants, 151. Communicating during year, 120. Holy Communion administered (pub 21, private 7) 28. Public services (Sundays 131, other days 79) 210. Marriages, 8. Burials, 21. Sunday schools, 1. Teachers, (m 3, f 9) 12. Other officers (m) 2. Scholars (m 61, f 97) 158. Total teachers, officers and scholars, 172. Catechisms, 12.

Value of Church building, \$4,500; Rectory and Guild rooms, \$2,500; grounds and other property, \$15,000. Total, \$22,000.

Indebtedness—\$1,000.

Receipts—Communion alms, \$42.50. subscriptions and offerings, \$2,291.06. Parish Aid Societies, Guilds, etc., \$671.23. Sunday School, \$107.23. Total, \$3,069.57.

Expenditures—Parochial: Current expenses, \$440. Repairs and improvements, \$1,500.92. Rector's salary paid, \$837.91. S. School expense, \$75.00. Other expenses, \$46.75. Total, \$2,890.58. Diocesan: Council fund, \$15. Bishop's salary, \$20. Diocesan Missionary Board Fund, \$65. Other Mission work, \$11.14. Aged and Infirm Clergy fund, \$13.28. Diocesan Missionary, \$20. Sheltering Arms, \$5.85. Total, \$150.27. General: Domestic Missions, \$35.26. Jewish Missions, \$3.46. Total, \$38.72. Grand total, \$3,069.57.

Brownsville, Population, 500; Houston County; CHURCH OF THE REDEEMER; The Rev. THOS. K. ALLEN, Missionary. (P. O. La Crosse, Wis.)

Families, 10. Individuals, 30. Public services, 11.

Value of Church, buildings \$500; lots, \$50. Total, \$550.

Receipts—\$8.25.

Expenditures—Rector's salary, \$3. Bishop's salary, \$1. Council fund, \$1. Diocesan Missions, \$1. Total, \$6.

Brownton, Population 450; McLeod County; S. MARY'S CHURCH; The Rev. A. J. D. KUEHN, Missionary. (P. O. Glencoe.)

Families, 8. Individuals, 24. Baptisms, ad 6. Confirmations, f 4. Present number confirmed persons (m 6, f 5) 11. Communicants, 11. Communicating during year, 11.

Holy Communion, 2. Public services (Sundays, 8; other days, 81) 89. Sunday School scholars, 14. Teachers, 2. Total, 16. Catechising, 20.

Receipts from all sources, \$100.

Expenditures—Rector's salary, \$75.

Buffalo, Wright County; Mission; The Rev. FRANK R. MILLSPAUGH,
Priest in charge (1215 Hawthorn ave., Minneapolis; ANDREW H. ADAMS,
Lay Reader, (P. O. Minneapolis.)

Families, 7. Individuals, 18. Baptisms, inf., 4. Present No. confirmed persons, 8.
Public services, week day, 5.

Receipts—\$9.00.

Expenditures—\$9.00.

Pastoral work in this village, if I can give it, would be exceedingly effective

Obediently,

FRANK R. MILLSPAUGH.

Caledonia, Population 1,200, Houston County: TRINITY CHURCH, Rev.

THOS. K. ALLEN, Rector, (P. O. LaCrosse, Wis.); MR. WHEATON, Eld.

SMALLEY, Wardens; JOHN TAR, Treas.; THOS. ABBOTTS, S. S. Supt.

Pews free. No. families, 18. Individuals, 70. Baptisms, inf. 4. Confirmations (m. 1, f. 1), 4. Confirmed persons, last report, 21, added by confirmation 4. Present No. (m. 16, f. 14), 24.

Communicants (m. 10, f. 14), 24. Communicating during year (m. 10, f. 14), 24. Holy Communion administered, pub. 5. Public services (Sundays 13, other days 3), 16. Marriages, 1. Burials, 1. Sunday schools, 1. Teachers (m. 4, f. 5), 9. Scholars (m. 20, f. 23), 53. Total teachers, officers and scholars, 64. Catechising, 6.

Value of Church building, \$2,200.

Receipts—Subscriptions, \$88.36. Donations, \$14.00. Offerings, \$35.29. Sunday School \$13.36. Total, \$149.01.

Expenditures—Parochial: Current expenses, \$1.50. Rector's salary, \$120.00. Sunday School, \$7.01. Total, \$131.51. Diocesan: Council fund, \$1.50. Bishop's salary, \$3.00. Diocesan Missionary Board fund, \$7.00. Total, \$13.50. Grand total, \$145.01.

REV. AND DEAR SIR:

I resigned this parish four months ago, since which time there has been three services held, one by Bishop Gilbert and two by Rev. Ten Broeck.

Sincerely,

THOS. K. ALLEN.

Cannon City, Population 500, Rice County: HOLY INNOCENTS' CHURCH,

The Rev. WM. GARDAM in charge; (Faribault P. O.)

Pews free. No. sittings 160. Families 12. Individuals 75. Baptisms (inf. 2, ad. 2), 4. Confirmations (m. 2, f. 3), 5. Confirmed persons, last report 12, added by confirmation 5, Total 17. Present No. (m. 7, f. 10), 17.

Communicating during the year (m. 7, f. 8), 15. Holy Communion administered, pub.

4. Public services, Sundays, 25. Marriages, 1.

Value of Church building, \$1,000.

Receipts—Offerings \$17.63. Donations \$50.00. Total \$67.63

Expenditures—Parochial: Current expenses, \$6.51. Missionary's salary, \$50.00. Total, \$56.51. Diocesan: Council Fund, \$1.00. Bishop's salary, \$5.00. Diocesan Missionary Board fund, \$5.12. Total, \$11.12. Grand total, \$67.63.

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

Of the above sum fifty dollars was contributed to the support of the Mission by friends outside which amount was given to one of the students for his work here and at Warsaw.

Chatfield, Population 1700, Fillmore County: S. MATTHEWS' CHURCH,

The Rev. S. PRITCHARD, Rector; Messrs. SHIMER, BERESFORD, CUL-

VER, WOODRUFF and WYLLIE, Committee; C. CULVER, Treas.; T. A.

WOODRUFF, Clk. Vestry; Mrs. HOLDEN, S. S. Supt.

Pews Free; No. Sittings, 150; Rector's Salary, \$200; No. Families, 45; Individuals, (about) 100; Baptisms, (inf. 6, ad. 2) 8; Confirmations, (m. 2, f. 6) 8; Confirmed persons, last report, 30; added by Confirmation, 8; added by transfer and otherwise, 3; Total, 41; Lost by death, 3; Present No., 38.

Communicants, (m. 8, f. 22) 30; Communicating during year, (m. 22, f. 6) 28. Holy Communion administered, pub. 12. Public services, (Sundays 26, other days 4) 30. Burials, 1. Sunday schools, 1. Teachers, f. 6. Scholars, (m. 13, f. 32) 45. Total Teachers, Officers and Scholars, 51. Catechising, 4. S. S. Library books, about 300.

Value of Church Building, \$400. Lots upon which church stands, \$250. Grounds and other property, \$150. Total, \$800.

Receipts—Balance from last report, \$50. Donations, \$70. Offerings, \$45.42. Parish Aid Societies, Guilds, etc., \$72.53. Sunday School, \$19.70. Total, \$257.67.

Expenditures—Parochial: Current Expenses, \$220. Payment of Debts, \$60. Rector's salary paid \$200. S. School Expense \$19.70. Total \$499.70.

Donations—\$10 from Mrs. Ripley for S. S. at Christmas. \$60 from Mrs. A. H. O'Ferrall to pay a debt to bank for Church.

Cannon Falls, Population 1200, Goodhue County; CHURCH OF THE REDEEMER; W. W. LOWRY, Lay-reader; J. H. ABBOTT, ALONZO DIBBLE, Wardens.

Families, 30; Whole No. of souls, 156; Baptisms, (inf. 12, ad. 1) 13; Confirmations, (m. 3, f. 5) 8; Communicants, (last reported, 78; added by confirmation, 8) 84; Lost by death, 2; Present number, 82; Number Communicating during the year, 40; Burials, 2; Public Services, (Sundays, 38; Week days, 17) 55; Holy Communion, 1; S. S. Teachers, (m. 2, f. 5) 7; Scholars, (m. 36, f. 34) 70. Total, 77.

Value of Church Building, \$4,500. Rectory, \$1,300. Total, 5,800.

Receipts—Offerings, \$56.50. Bishop's Fund, \$5.30. Special, \$5.14. S. S. \$23, of which \$15.85 to D. and F. Miss. Soc. Total, \$95.04.

Cordova, Population 100, Le Sueur County; CHRIST CHURCH, JAS. FLOYD, Sen. Warden, THOS. FRENCH, Treas., N. BURGESS, Clk. Vestry, ARTHUR CHARD, Lay Reader.

No. Families, 18; Individuals, 72; Baptisms, inf. 12; Lost by death, 2; Present No., (m. 21, f. 16) 37.

Communicants, (m. 21, f. 16) 37; Communicating during year, f. 7; Holy Communion administered, pub. 1; Public services, (Sundays, 38; other days, 1) 39; Burials, 2.

Value of Church building, \$1,000.

Receipts—Subscriptions, \$60.25; Offerings, \$19.77; By subscriptions for painting Church, building, \$25; Total, \$105.02.

Expenditures—Parochial: Repairs, \$25; Rector's salary paid, \$80.02; Total, \$105.02.

Coriona, Wright County, S. MARK'S CHURCH.

Pews free. No. sittings, 80. No. families, 7. Individuals, 35. Lost by death, 1. Present No. Confirmed 20. Communicant 20. Communicating during year, 15. Holy Communion administered, 2. Public services, Sundays, 12. Burials, 1.

Value of Church building, \$1,100.

Receipts—Offerings, \$24.81. Diocesan: Council fund, \$2.00. Bishop's salary, \$5.00. Diocesan Missionary fund, \$7.00. Sheltering Arms, \$5.00. Total, \$19.00.

Rt. REV. AND DEAR SIR:—

Octavius Longworth, Lay Reader, died Feb. 2d. No one being in charge this report a, of necessity, not full. O. LONGWORTH, JR.

Crookston, Population, 6,000, Polk County, CHRIST CHURCH, The Rev.

IVAN C. FORTIN, Rector; RODERICK SMITH, A. G. GALLASCH, Wardens;

WALTER COMPTON, S. S. Supt.; D. D. WILLIAMS, Treas.; W. R. SWEATT,

Clk. Vestry; F. S. HAYES, Lay Reader.

Pews free. No. sittings, 160. Rector's salary, \$1,000. No. families, 50. Individuals, 280. Baptisms (inf. 28; a. 15), 41. Confirmations, (m. 11, f. 22) 34. Confirmed persons, last report, 21. Added by Confirmations, n. 34. Added by transfer and otherwise, 35. Total, 90. Lost by transfer and otherwise, 6. Present No. (m. 28, f. 56), 84. Communicants (m. 36, f. 48), 84. Communicating during year, 75. Holy Communion administered, 15. Public services (Sundays, 108, other days, 13), 121. Marriages, 1. Burials, 5. Sunday Schools, 1. Teachers (m. 1, f. 5), 6. Other officers m. 2. Scholars (m. 40, f. 48), 88. Total Teachers, Officers and Scholars, 96. Catechisings, 12. S. S. Library books, 40.

Value of Church building, \$2,000. Rectory, \$2,500. Lots upon which church stands, \$1,000. Total, \$5,500.

Indebtedness—\$1,500.

Receipts—Subscriptions, \$400. Offerings, \$576. Parish Aid Societies, Guilds, etc., \$300. Sunday School, \$68.15. Rent of Rectory, \$300. Mission Grant, \$250. Total, \$1,889.15.

Expenditures—Parochial: Current expenses, \$300. Repairs, \$85. Payment of debts, \$450. Rector's salary paid, \$322. S. School expense, \$50. Poor (Charitable work), \$9.42. Total, \$1,726.42. Diocesan: Council Fund, \$3.00. Bishop's Salary, \$6.00. Diocesan Missionary Board Fund, \$20. Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund, \$7.70. Sheltering Arms, \$3.15. Diocesan Miss'y, \$25. Total, \$95.85. General: Foreign Missions, \$32.55. Bible and Prayer Book Society, \$5.00. Miscellaneous, \$2.05. Total, \$39.60. Grand Total, \$1,831.85.

Dakota, Population, 400, Winona County, S. JOHN'S CHURCH, The

Rev. THOMAS K. ALLEN, Missionary. (P. O. 133, S 4th st, LaCrosse,

Wis). NOAH BROWN, CHAS. WORKMAN, Wardens; NOAH BROWN,

Treasurer.

No. families, 17. Individuals, 60. Confirmations, f. 2. Present No. Confirmed person

(m. 2, f. 11), 13. Communicants, 13. Communicating during year, 13. Holy Communion, 4 times. Public services, (Sundays, 11; other days, 2), 13. Burials, 1.

Receipts—\$54.88.

Expenditures—Rector's salary, \$50. Council fund, \$1. Bishop's salary, \$1. Diocesan missions, \$1. Total, \$53.

Rt. REV. AND DEAR SIR:—

The prospects are bright for Dakota. There is at present a church building in process of erection, 24x40 feet in dimensions.

Faithfully,

THOS. K. ALLEN.

Delano, Wright County, Mission; The Rev. FRANK R. MILLSPAUGH, Priest in charge. (P. O. Minneapolis). ANDREW H. ADAMS, Lay Reader. (P. O. Minneapolis).

Families, 9. Individuals, 26. Baptisms, (inf. 3, ad. 1), 4. Confirmations, 2. Confirmed persons, 18.

Communicants, 18. Communicating during year, 12. Holy communion, 2. Public services, (Sundays, 11; other days, 10), 21.

Receipts—\$36.50.

Expenditures—Current expenses, \$31.50. Diocesan missions, \$5. Total, \$36.50.

Detroit, Population 1,200, Becker County; S. LUKE'S CHURCH, The Rev. E. STEELE PEAKE, Rector, (P. O., Detroit.) THOMAS RULE, H. E. SARGENT, Wardens; HORACE A. BOWMAN, Treas.; MRS. E. S. PEAKE, S. S. Supt.

Pews free. No. sittings, 120. Rector's salary, \$300. No. families, 30. Individuals, 120. Baptisms, (inf. 8, ad. 1), 9. Confirmation, (m. 2, f. 6), 8. Confirmed persons, last report, 22; added by confirmation, 8; added by transfer and otherwise, 2; total, 32. Lost by death, 1. Total lost, 1. Present (m. 5, f. 26), 31. Communicating during year, (m. 5, f. 20), 21. Holy Communion administered, (pub. 10, private 2), 12. Public services, (Sundays 50, other days 16), 66. Marriages, 5. Burials 4. Sunday school, 2. Teachers, (f.), 7. Scholars, (m. 16, f. 30), 46. Total teachers, officers and scholars, 46. Catechisings, 4.

Value of Church building, \$2,000.00. Lots upon which church stands, \$300.00. Total \$2,300.00.

Receipts—Communion alms, \$25.60. Subscriptions, \$300.00. Donations, \$35. Offerings, \$16.46. Sunday school, \$15.00. Total, \$412.06.

Expenditures—Parochial: Current expenses, \$47.00. Rector's salary paid, \$300.00. S. School expense, \$15.00. Total \$312.00. Diocesan: Council Fund, \$1.00. Bishop's Salary, \$2. Diocesan Missionary Board Fund \$5.30. General Missionary, \$10. Sheltering Arms, \$1.00. Bishop Gilbert's Special Need's Fund, \$11.83. Total, \$30.85. General: Domestic Missions, \$5.26. Foreign Missions, \$1.50. Jewish Missions Domestic, \$25.40. Bishop of Florida for Jacksonville, \$1.40. American Ch. Bible Society, \$1.38. Total, \$15.09. Grand Total \$397.85.

Rt. REV. AND DEAR SIR:—

As Detroit is the centre of a large missionary district the local statistics show only the work in one portion of the field where the services are celebrated only one-half of the time viz: on alternate Sundays. The work here has many encouragements and has been greatly blessed.

Very Respectfully,

E. STEELE PEAKE.

Dresbach, Population, 400, Winona County, S. JAMES MISSION CHURCH. The Rev. THOS. K. ALLEN, Rector, No. 133 South Fourth St., La Crosse, Wis. CHAS. R. CONWAY, REYNOLD KEMP, Wardens; GILBERT JOHNSON, Treasurer; JOHN H. MOSS, Clerk.

No. families, 24; Individuals, 70. Baptisms (inf. 2, ad. 3), 5. Confirmations (m. 2, f. 9), 11. Confirmed persons, last report, 25; added by confirmation, 11. Total, 36. Lost by death, 1; lost by transfer and otherwise, 1. Total loss, 2. Present No. (m. 5, f. 29), 34. Communicants (m. 5, f. 17), 22. Communicating during the year (m. 5, f. 17), 22. Holy Communion administered, pub. 2. Public services (Sundays, 12; other days, 3), 15. Burials, 4.

Receipts: Offerings, \$49.37.

Expenditures—Parochial: Rector's salary paid, \$50. Bishop Gilbert's Special Needs fund, \$6.39. Total, \$56.39. Diocesan: Council fund, \$2; Bishop's salary, \$2; Diocesan Missionary Board fund, \$2. Total, \$6. Grand total, \$72.39.

Duluth, Population, 35,000, St. Louis County; S. PAUL'S CHURCH. The Rev. WILLIAM M. BARKER, Rector; F. W. PAINE, S. F. SNIVELY, Wardens; B. HOGAN, S. S. Supt; F. W. PAINE, Treas; D. B. SMITH, Clk. Vestry; S. F. SNIVELY and C. E. RICHARDSON, Lay Readers.

Pews rented. No. sittings, 275. Rector's salary \$2,000. No. families, 210. Individuals, 850. Baptisms (inf. 25, ad. 1), 26. Confirmed persons, last report, 226. Present

No. estimated at 225. Communicating during year, estimated at 150. Holy Communion administered (pub., 36, private, 2), 38. Public services (Sundays, 124; other days, 87), 211. Marriages, 6. Burials, 13. Sunday schools, 1. Teachers (m. 4, f. 9), 13. Other officers (m. 2), 2. Scholars (m. 30, f. 55), 85. Total teachers, officers and scholars, 100. Catechisings every Sunday.

Value of church buildings, \$10,000. Rectory, \$3 500. Lot upon which church stands, \$20,000. Total, \$33,500.

Indebtedness, \$5,200.

Receipts—Communion alms, \$104.57. Pew rents, \$2,636.98. Offering, \$921.38. Parish Aid Societies, Guilds, etc., \$125.77. Sunday school, \$112.56. Total, \$4,201.26.

Expenditures—Parochial: Current expenses, \$1,888.47. Payment of debts, \$560.01. Clerical services paid, \$1,520.81. S. School expense, \$143.77. Total, \$4,063.06. Diocesan: Council Fund, \$15.00. Bishop's salary, \$10.00. Diocesan Missionary Board Fund \$75.00. Hospitals, \$61.20. For Salary Diocesan Missionary, \$25.00. Total, \$219.20 Grand Total, \$4,282.26.

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

The present Rector has only been in charge since March 1st. Previous to that time the Parish was without a Rector for six months. Rev. Mr. Poole's Rectorship ended September 1, 1898.

Duluth, Population ministered to about 13,000, St. Louis County; HOLY SPIRIT CHURCH, The Rev. C. K. CAPRON, Rector; C. E. RICHARDSON, Assistant S. S. Supt.; Z. O. HALL, Treas.

Pews free. No. Families, 55. Individuals, 220. Baptisms (inf and children, 7; ad. 5), 12. Confirmation (m. 5, f. 5), 10. Communicants (m. 8 f. 22), 30. Holy Communion administered (pub. 4, private, 1), 5. Public services, (Sundays, 30; other days, 16), 46. Sunday schools, 1. Teachers (m. 3, f. 4), 7. Other officers, m. 2. Scholars, 50. Total teachers, officers, and scholars, 59. Catechisings, 5.

Receipts—Communion alms, \$3.25. Subscriptions, \$186.00. Offerings, \$112.00. Parish Aid Societies, \$125.00. Sunday school, \$20.00. Total, \$396.25.

Expenditures—Parochial: Current expenses, \$110.00. Paid Lay Reader, \$210.00. School expense, \$25.00. Total, \$345.00. Diocesan: Mission work, \$10.00. Grand total, \$355.00.

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

This report is necessarily very brief and incomplete as the mission has been organized so recently.

Dundas, Population, 800; Rice County; HOLY CROSS CHURCH, The Rev. G. H. MUELLER, Rector; (P. O. Northfield.)

No. Families, 33. Individuals, 141. Baptisms (inf 3, ad 2), 5. Confirmations, 2. Added by Confirmation, 2. Total, 18. Present No. (m 5, f 11) 16. Communicants, 16. Communicating during year (m 4, f 7) 11. Holy Communion administered (pub 10, private 1) 11. Public services (Sundays 40, other days, 2) 42.

Value of Church building, \$5,000. Rectory, \$2,000. Total, \$7,000.

Receipts from all sources. Communion alms \$2.23; Subscriptions, \$175; Donations, \$10; Offerings, \$45.13; Sunday School, \$2.05. Total, \$234.41.

Expenditures—Parochial: Current expenses, \$50; Rector's salary paid, \$200. Total, \$250. Diocesan: Bishop Gilbert's visitation, \$7.78. General: Domestic Missions, \$1.86; American Church Building Fund, \$0.23; Miscellaneous, \$1.16. Total, \$3.40. Grand total, \$251.18.

Elk River, Population 1,000; Sherburne County; TRINITY CHURCH; The Rev. JNO. W. PROSSER, in charge (P. O. Minneapolis); G. B. UPHAM, J. F. BALTZELL, Wardens; J. A. BALTZELL, Treas.; ROBT. DARE, Clk Vestry.

Pews free. No. families, 21. Individuals, 83. Baptisms inf 2. Present No. Confirmed persons, 30. Communicating during year, 20. Holy Communion administered 2. Public services (Sundays, 11; other days, 3), 14. Burials, 1. Sunday Schools, 1. Teachers, (f 8), 8. Other officers, (m 1), 1. Scholars, 40. Total teachers, officers and scholars, 49.

Value of Church building and lot, \$500.

Receipts—Subscriptions, \$71.42; Parish Aid Societies, Guilds, etc., \$175; Sunday School, \$10. Total, \$256.42.

Expenditures—Parochial: Rector's salary, \$103.42. S. School expense, \$8.00. Total, \$111.42. General: For Jewish Missions, \$0.53. Grand total, \$111.95.

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

I was put in charge of this mission by the Assistant Bishop, and began services on the second Sunday in December, 1898. I officiated twice each month. The foundation for a new Church building is being laid.

Elysian, Populaton 400, Le Sueur County; GRACE CHURCH, The Rev. JAS. CORNELL, Rector. (P. O. Janesville.) GEO. E. RAY, Warden; J. W. ROOT, Treas.; RUSH MYRICK, Clk. Vestry.

Pews free. No. sittings, 100. No. families, 18. Individuals, 74. Baptisms (inf. 5 ad. 2), 7. Confirmations, 2. Confirmed persons, last Report, 30, added by Confirmation, 2, added by transfer and otherwise, 3; Total, 5. Lost by transfer and otherwise, 6. Total lost, 6. Present No. (m. 9, f. 19), 28. Communicating during the year, (m. 4, f. 18), 32. Holy Communion administered, (pub.) 11. Public services, (Sundays 49, other days, 1), 50. Marriages, 2. Sunday schools, 1. Teachers, (m. 1, f. 2), 3. Other officers 1. Scholars (m. 8, f. 12), 20. Total teachers, officers, and scholars 23. Catechising 10.

Value of Church building, \$2,000.

Indebtedness, \$56.00.

Receipts—Balance from last report \$28.65. Subscriptions, \$35.86. Donations, \$144. Offerings, \$34.13. Parish Aid Societies, Guild etc., \$120.78. Sunday School \$10.00. Total, \$383.42.

Expenditures—Parochial: Current expenses, \$5.. Repairs, \$10. Payment of debts, \$244. Rectors salary paid, \$36.21. S. School expense, \$6.00. Other expense, \$16.23. Total, \$375.42. Diocesan: Council Fund, \$93. Bishop's salary, \$2.00. Diocesan Missionary Board Fund, \$5. Total, \$7.93. Grand total \$383.35.

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:—

We are thankful to be able to say that notwithstanding many trials the work in Elysian has prospered fairly well during the past year. Much has been done and much yet remains to be done but if our people continue interested and work as faithfully as during the past, we hope by next council, please God, to have the little church finished and seated.

Excelsior, Hennepin County; TRINITY CHURCH, The Rev. FRANK R. MILLSPAUGH, Priest in charge. (P. O. Minneapolis.) E. A. HOLBROOK Jr., Lay Reader.

No. Families, 5. Individuals, 10. Communicants, 8. Public services, (Sundays), 12.

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:—

There has been no pastoral work at this point for the past year. I was glad to give them an afternoon service while my own parishioners and other church people were at the lake. The offerings were used toward the repairs of the church, and under the economical management of Mr. Holbrook.

Obediently,

FRANK R. MILLSPAUGH.

Faribault, Rice County, MEMORIAL CHAPEL OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD, The Rev. JAMES DOBBIN, D. D., Rector, THE REV. GEO. C. TANNER, Asst. Minister.

Pews free— No sittings, 300. Individuals, 219. Baptisms, ad. 17. Confirmations, m. 8. Confirmed persons, last report, 58, added by Confirmation, 12, added by transfer and otherwise, 18. Total, 88. Lost by transfer and otherwise, 20. Communicants (m. 59, f. 9), 68. Communicating during year, (m. 59, f. 9), 68. Holy Communion administered, pub. 20. Public services, (Sundays, 57, other days, 260), 317. Sunday schools, 1. Teachers, m. 2. Scholars, 190. Total Teachers, Officers and Scholars, 192.

Value of Church building, \$30,000. School or College buildings, \$218,000. Grounds and other property, \$55,000. Total, \$303,000.

Receipts from all sources:—Communion alms, \$34.29. Offerings, \$221.81. Total, \$256.10. Diocesan: Bishop's Salary, \$75.00. Diocesan Missionary Board Fund, \$100. Other Mission Work, \$20. Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund, \$5.00. Total, \$200. General: Domestic Missions, \$17.14. Foreign Missions, \$17.14. American Church Building Fund, \$15.00. Miscellaneous, \$6.82. Total, \$56.10. Grand Total, \$256.10.

Faribault, S. MARY'S HALL, The Rev. WILLIAM GARDAM, Chaplain.

Chaplain's Salary, \$300. Baptisms, ad. 4. Confirmations, f. 11. Added by Confirmation, 12. Present No. f. 59. Communicating during year, f. 59. Public services daily. School worships in the Cathedral on Sundays.

Value of School buildings, \$100,000. Grounds and other property, \$20,000. Total, \$120,000.

Receipts:—For Chaplain's salary, \$300. Offerings and Guilds, etc., \$174. Total, \$474.

Expenditures --Parochial: Chaplain's salary paid, \$300. Poor (Charitable Work) \$0. Total, \$310. Diocesan: Diocesan Missionary Board Fund; \$50. Other Mission Work, \$34. Total, \$74.00. General: Cornelia Whipple, Scholarship, Shanghai, \$40. Yellow Fever sufferers, \$10. Johnstown sufferers, \$40. Total, \$90.

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:—

The above is my report for St. Mary's Hall, as far as I am able to make it out. Many—in fact most of the offerings of the school of course are made in the great services at the Cathedral, and appear in the report of the Cathedral Parish. I have held daily services at the Hall for the year in the morning, and during Lent two evening services.

Obediently Yours,

WM. GARDAM.

Faribault, Population, 7,000, Rice County; CATHEDRAL OF OUR MERCIFUL SAVIOR, The Rev. WILLIAM GARDAM, Rector; A. E. HAVEN, S. L. CROCKER, Wardens; FRED ANSTRUTHUR CARDEW, Lay Reader.

Pews free. No. sittings, 700. Rector's salary, \$1,600 and house. No. families, 180. Individuals, 749. Baptisms (inf. 22, ad. 11), 33. Confirmation (m. 13, f. 18), 31. Confirmed persons, last report, 277, added by Confirmation, 31; added by transfer and otherwise, 9. Total, 40. Lost by death, 6. Lost by transfer and otherwise, 7. Total lost, 13. Present No. (m. 165, f. 141), 306.

Communicating during year, 250. Holy Communion administered (pub. 92, private 5), 97. Public services (Sundays 156, other days 167), 323. Marriages, 14. Burials, 17. Sunday schools, 1. Teachers (m. 2, f. 10), 12. Other officers (m. 3). Scholars (m. 86, f. 114), 200. Total teachers, officers and scholars, 215. Catechisings, 52. S. S. library books, 300. Value of Church building \$78,500. Rectory, \$2,500. Total, \$80,000.

Receipts—Balance from last report, \$10.83. Subscriptions, \$1,483.82. Donations, \$130. Offerings, \$951.97. Parish Aid Societies, Guilds, etc., \$759.11. Sunday school, \$118.84. Total, \$3,437.62.

Expenditures—Parochial: Current expenses, \$1,175.41. Payment of debts, \$300. Rector's salary paid, \$1,240. S. School expense, \$219.06. Poor (charitable work), \$93.64. Other expenses, \$139.90. Total, \$3,171.01. Diocesan: Council Fund, \$30.50. Bishop's salary, \$150.00. Diocesan Missionary Board Fund, \$250. Other Mission work, \$100. Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund, \$20. Total, \$550. General: Domestic Foreign Missions, \$77.37. Woman's Auxiliary, \$45. American Church Building Fund, \$30. Total, \$152.37. Grand total, \$3,373.88.

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:—

The above is my report for the year. Some of the items I have been compelled to approximate on account of the treasurer having lumped some items that should have been separated.

Affectionately yours,

WM. GARDAM.

Faribault, Rice County, NORWEGIAN CHAPEL, E. T. SIMPSON, Lay Reader.

Pews free. Confirmed persons, last report, 70. Public services, Sunday evenings, 30. RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

I have no statistical knowledge of this Mission. I have asked the Lay Reader to fill out this report, and the above is the result. These people, in the absence of a settled Priest, come more or less to the Cathedral for the sacraments and offices of the Church and their children are coming into our Sunday school more and more. The desideratum of this Mission is a man of efforts, ability and character, of Scandinavian birth, to do the hard ground work and lay strong and broad foundations for parochial life. My own duties prevent me from doing more than giving them such pastoral care, as with my many burdens, I am able to afford them.

Affectionately yours,

WM. GARDAM.

Fairmont, Population 1,200, Martin County, S. MARTIN'S CHURCH, The Rev. A. S. H. WINSOR, Rector, J. A. SINCLAIR, W. C. GAMBLE, Wardens. J. A. SINCLAIR, Treas. H. W. SINCLAIR, Clk. Vestry. J. A. SINCLAIR, S. S. Supt.

Pews free; No. Sittings, 120; Rector's Salary, \$265.75; No. Families, 30; Individuals, 100; Baptisms, inf. 3. Confirmed persons, last report, 50; Present No., 50. Public services, 35. Marriages, 2. Burials, 1. Sunday schools, 1. Teachers (m. 1, f. 3) 4. Scholars, (m. 6, f. 14) 20. Total Teachers, Officers and Scholars, 24.

Value of Church building, \$2,100; Rectory, \$1,300; Total, \$3,400.

Indebtedness, \$300.

Receipts—Subscriptions, \$240; Offerings, \$123.19; Parish Aid Societies, Guilds, etc., \$144.85; Total, \$507.84.

Expenditures—Parochial: Current Expenses, \$35.72; Payment of Debts, \$24.95; Rectory Building, \$103.70; Rector's salary paid, \$265.75; Total, \$429.12. Diocesan:—Council Fund, \$3; Bishop's salary, \$3; Diocesan Missionary Board Fund, \$10; Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund, \$7.74; Sheltering Arms, \$2.25; Bishop's Special Needs Fund, \$3.75; Total, \$57.14. Grand Total, \$449.86.

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

Our report this year cannot be made out very accurately. During the past Council year we have had two Rectors both having left without leaving any records of service—Church closed part of the time—Church property vested in the vestry. At present prospects are most encouraging.

J. A. SINCLAIR, Sr. Warden.

Farmington, Population, 700, Dakota County; CHURCH OF THE ADVENT. CHAS. ROLLIT, L. R., (P.O. Faribault.) FRANK THORNE, THOMAS PEARSON, Wardens. FRANK THORNE, Treas.; JOHN H. THURSTON, Clk Vestry.

Pews free. No. Sittings, 100. No. Families, 18. Individuals, 45. Baptisms, (inf. 1).

ad. 1.) 2. Confirmed persons, last report, 34. Present No. 34. Communicating during year, (m. 4. f. 11) 15. Holy Communion administered, 1. Public services, Sundays, 8. S. Library books, 50.

Value of church building, \$1,000; Lots, \$500; Total, \$1,500.

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR

Services have been held only since the first of April, by parties from Seabury Hall. All moneys raised have been given to those officiating.

Yours truly,

JOHN H. THURSTON, Clerk.

Fergus Falls, Population, 4,500; Otter Tail County; S. JAMES' CHURCH. JAMES A. BROWN, GEO. F. COWING, Wardens; A. J. GRANT, Treas.; GEO. B. LOWRY, Clk Vestry.

Pews free. No. Sittings, 300. No. Families, 80. Individuals, 80. Baptisms, (inf.) 1. Value of church buildings, \$3,000; Lots, \$500. Total, \$3,500.

Indebtedness, \$1,200.

Receipts—Balance from last report, \$11.85. Subscriptions, \$216.42; Donations, \$411.15 Offerings, \$113.73; Parish Aid Societies, Guilds, etc. \$128.85. Total, \$892.

Expenditures—Parochial: Payment of debts, \$350.00; Rector's Salary paid, \$349.57. Other expenses, \$13.15; Total, \$693.93. Diocesan: Diocesan Missionary Board Fund, \$11.07. Grand Total, \$705.05.

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

Not having the necessary data, the statistics in reference to the number of communicants and Communion Service in the parish are incomplete. Otherwise the items given are from the record.

GEO. F. COWING, Warden.

Fridley Park, Population about 200; Anoka County; HOLY TRINITY CHAPEL; The Rev. A. J. GRAHAM, Rector, No. 408 S. E. Fourth street, Minneapolis; S. HUSTON, S. S. Supt.; MRS. GEO. CUNNINGHAM, Sec.

Pews free. No. sittings, 80; No. families, 10; Individuals, 50; Baptisms (inf. 5, ad 27); Confirmations, f 2; Confirmed persons last report, 5; added by Confirmation, 2; Present No. f 7; Communicants, f 5; Communicating during year, f 5; Holy Communion administered, pub 1; Public services (Sundays, 40, other days, 1) 41; Marriages, 1; Sunday schools, 1; Teachers, f 4; Other officers f 1; Scholars, (m 11, f 15) 26. Total teachers, officers and scholars, 31; Catechisings, 3; S. S. library books, 25.

Value of Church building, \$630; lots upon which Church stands, \$100. Total, \$730.

Receipts from all sources, \$100.

Expenditures—Lay Reader's railroad fare, etc., \$31; on new organ, \$40. Total, \$71. Diocesan: Diocesan Missionary Board Fund, \$7.50; Special Needs Fund, \$2.50. Total, \$10.00. Grand total, \$81.00.

Fridley Park is a rural mission about seven miles north of Minneapolis, on the Northern Pacific railway.

Glencoe, Population, 2,300; McLeod County; CHRIST CHURCH; The Rev. A. J. D. KUEHN, Rector; J. D. COOK, CH. REIBER, Wardens; MRS. B. J. McCLELAND, Treas.; A. J. D. KUEHN, S. S. Supt.

Pews free; No. sittings, 425; Rector's salary, \$700; No. families, 18; Individuals, 82; Baptisms (inf 1, ad 22) 23; Confirmations (m 2, f 5) 7; Confirmed persons, last report, 5; added by Confirmation, 7. Total, 12. Lost by death, 3; lost by transfer and otherwise, 1. Total lost, 4. Present No. (m 16, f 28) 44. Communicants (m 16, f 28) 44; Communicating during year, (m 8, f 28) 32. Holy Communion administered, pub 3; Public services (Sundays, 109, other days 41) 150; Marriages, 2; Burials, 3. Sunday School teachers, f 4; Scholars (m 18, f 24) 42. Total teachers, officers and scholars, 46. Catechisings, 21. S. S. library books, 350.

Value of Church building, \$2,500; Rectory, \$1,300; lots upon which Church stands \$300. Total, \$4,100.

Receipts—Communion alms, \$3.34; Subscriptions, \$200.00; Offerings, \$84.35. Total, \$292.69.

Expenditures—Parochial: Current expenses, \$86.70; Repairs, \$18.00; Rector's salary paid, \$675.50; S. S. expense, \$7.60; Other expenses, \$61.70. Total, \$867.70. Diocesan: Council Fund, \$1.50; Bishop's salary, \$5.00; Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund, \$5.00. Total, \$11.50. General: Domestic Missions, \$7.65. Gr. nd total, \$94.35.

Granite Falls, Population 1,200, Yellow Medicine County; TRINITY CHURCH, The Rev. WM. S. SAYRES, Rector. JACOB COOK, JOHN WINTER, Wardens; F. H. WELLCOME, Treas.; JOHN TOWNLEY, Clk. Vestry; J. COOK, S. S. Supt.; J. COOK, Lay Reader.†

Rector's salary, \$300. No. Families, 26. Individuals, 82. Baptisms (inf. 6, ad 7) 12. Confirmations, (m. 1, f. 1). 2. Confirmed persons, last report, 24, added by confirmation, 2, added by transfer and otherwise 1. Total, 3. Lost by transfer and otherwise, 2. Total loss, 2. Present No. (m. 6, f. 19), 25. Communicants, (m. 6, f. 19), 25. Communicating

during year. (m. 5, f. 18) 23. Holy Communion administered, pub. 20. Public services, (Sundays 65, other days 76,) 141. Burials, 1. Sunday schools, 1. Teachers, (f.) 6. Other officers, (m. 1, f. 3) 4. Scholars, 40. Total teachers, officers, and scholars, 50. Catechising, 26.

Value of church, ground and other property, \$350.

Receipts—Ladies' Guild, subscription offering \$370.39. *Sunday school \$7.00. Total, \$377.39.

Expenditures—Parochial: Rector's salary paid, \$341.48. Other Expenses, \$16.91. Total, \$358.39. Diocesan: Council Fund \$1.50. Bishop's salary \$2.00. Diocesan Missionary Board Fund, \$3.00. Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund, \$5.00. Total \$12. General: Domestic and Foreign Missions, \$7. Grand Total, \$377.39.

*Sunday school receipts and expenditures incomplete.

†Mr. F. H. Barton, lay reader was in residence during summer of 1888, assisting the rector.

Hassan, Population 200, Hennepin County; S. JOHN EVANGELIST CHURCH, The Rev. FRANK R. MILLSPAUGH, Rector, (No. 1215 Hawthorn ave., Minneapolis, Minn.) SEPTIMUS PARSLow, JOHN PACKER, Wardens; WILLIAM PARSLow, Treas.; WILLIAM PARSLow, Clk. Vestry; OLIVER PACKER, S. S. Supt.

Pews free. No. sittings, 80. No. Families, 12. Individuals 75. Baptisms, (inf.) 2. Confirmations, (f.) 2. Confirmed persons, last report, 25, added by Confirmations, 2. By transfer and otherwise, 2. Present No. 25. Communicants, 25. Communicating during year, 20. Holy Communion administered, (pub.) 4. Public services, 7. Sunday schools, 1. Teachers, 2. Scholars, 21. Total teachers, officers, and scholars, 23. Catechising, 2. Value of Church building, \$500. Lots upon which church stands, \$250. Total \$750.

Receipts—Balance from last report, \$2.63. Subscriptions, \$31.30. Offerings, \$18.06. Sociable and contribution for Xmas tree, \$9.31. Total, \$61.30.

Expenditures—Parochial: Current expenses \$1.42. Rector's salary paid, \$14.60. Xmas tree, \$9.31. Total, \$25.33. Diocesan: Council Fund \$0. Bishop's salary \$10. Diocesan Missionary Board Fund, \$12. Other Mission Work, \$2. Sheltering arms \$2.33. Total \$32.33. General: Domestic Missions, \$3.24. Grand Total, \$61.86.

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:—

Septimus Parslow the venerable Senior Warden, was Senior Warden at the Primary Council of the Diocese and is still acting officially in that capacity. He gave the fine acre of land upon which the church stands 30 years ago.

Obediently,

FRANK R. MILLSPAUGH.

Hastings, Population 4,000, Dakota County; S. LUKE'S CHURCH, The Rev. EDWARD MOYSES, Rector; JOHN R. CLAGETT, LOUIS S. FOLLETT, Wardens; F. EDWIN ESTERGREEN, Treas.; JOHN F. NORRISH, Clerk of Vestry.

Pews free; No. sittings, 200; Rector's salary, \$1,000; No. families, 75; Individuals, 325; Baptisms (inf. 6, ad. 2) 8; Confirmations (m. 2, f. 10) 12; Present No. confirmed (m. 38, f. 94) 132; Communicants (m. 29, f. 91) 120; Communicating during year (m. 20, f. 83) 103; Holy Communion administered (pub. 36, private 2) 38; Public services (Sundays 109, other days 117) 226; Marriages, 3, Burials, 7; Sunday schools, 1; Teachers (m. 1, f. 5) 6; Other officers (m. 1, f. 1) 2; Scholars (m. 30, f. 50) 80; Total teachers, officers and scholars, 88; Catechising, 25; S. S. library books, 125.

Value of Church building, \$7,000; lots upon which Church stands, \$3,000; Total, \$10,000. *Receipts*—Communion alms, \$25; Subscriptions, \$1,019.55; Donations, \$75; Offerings, \$34.72; Parish aid societies, guilds, etc., \$404.55; Sunday school, \$39; S. S. Lenten offerings, \$8; Total, \$1,605.92.

Expenditures—Parochial: Current expenses, \$203.45; Rector's salary paid, \$1,000; S. School expense, \$40; Poor (charitable work) \$15; Other expenses, \$154.54; Total, \$1,412.99. Diocesan: Council Fund, \$9; Bishop's salary, \$20; Diocesan Missionary Board Fund, \$18; Other Mission work, \$5; Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund, \$5; Sheltering Arms, \$3.15; Total \$66.13. General: Domestic Missions, \$2.50; Foreign Missions, \$2.50; Woman's Auxillary, \$15.65; American Church Building Fund, \$4.07; S. S. Domestic and Foreign Missions, \$8; Bishop Weed, \$9.06; Jews, \$5; Missionary box, \$75; Clergyman's Retiring Fund Society, \$5; Total, \$126.75. Grand total, \$1,605.92.

Henderson, Population 1,000; The Rev. A. S. H. WINSOR, Rector, I. C. STEVENS, ALVIN POEHLER, Wardens; ERNEST WELSH, Treas.; CHARLES WILCOX, Clerk of Vestry.

Pews free. No. sittings, 100; Rector's salary, \$300; No. families, 22; Individuals, 95; Baptisms (inf. 12, ad. 6) 18; Confirmed persons, last report, 39; Added by transfer and otherwise, 1; Total 40. Lost by transfer and otherwise, 4; Total lost, 4; Present No. (m. 10, f. 26) 36; Communicants (m. 10, f. 26) 36; Communicating during year (m. 8, f. 20) 28; Holy Communion administered, pub 15; Public services (Sundays 49, other days 20) 69; Burials,

The parish of St. Peter's Church has subscribed \$300 for the year commencing July 1st next, for the support of a resident clergyman.

The Ladies' Guild, under the presidency of Mrs. Perry Nelson, has done the most effective work.

The Sunday school is in process of formation, hence the indefiniteness of the statistics. Indeed the whole parish is now of such size and in such condition that the care of a resident clergyman is necessary for its continued welfare.

Yours, faithfully and obediently,

A. ALEXANDER.

Kenyon, Population 600, Goodhue County; ASCENSION CHURCH, The Rev. WM. ST. J. CRICKMER, Rector. The Rectory (Kenyon, P. O.) S. A. BULLIS, Warden; Mrs. F. PATRIDGE, S. S. Supt; S. A. BULLIS, Treasurer; N. J. BOHLKE, Clk. Vestry.

Pews free. Rector's salary, \$800. No. families, 8. Individuals, 30. Baptisms (Inf. 1, ad. 1). 2. Confirmations (m. 2, f. 1), 3, added by confirmation, 8. Lost by transfer and otherwise, 3. Total lost, 3. Present No. (m. 16, f. 32), 48. Communicating during year (m. 16, f. 32), 48. Holy Communion administered, (pub.) 3. Public services (Sundays 99, other days 29), 128. Burials, 5. Sunday schools, 1. Teachers, f. 7. Other officers, m. 1. Scholars (m. 22, f. 30), 52. Total teachers, officers and scholars, 60. Catechisings, 4. S. S. Library books, 150.

Value of Church building, \$1,400. Rectory, \$2,500. Lots upon which Church stands, \$450. Grounds and other property, \$50. Total, \$4,400.

Receipts—Communion alms, 86c. Subscriptions, \$200. Offerings, \$29.90. Parish Aid Societies, Guild, etc. \$200. Sunday School, \$33.40. Total, \$433.30.

Expenditures—Parochial: Current expenses, \$19.88. Rector's salary paid, \$400. S. school expense, \$24.10. Total, \$443.98. Diocesan: Council Fund, \$5. Bishop's salary, \$5. Diocesan Missionary Board Fund, \$10. Total \$20. Grand total, \$563.98.

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

In addition to the work I here report, with that from Skyberg, I have held two services—one at Zumbrota, one at Belle Creek.

This report has been filled in without the aid of a previous one, this being the first one sent in.

With all respect, dear Bishop, your's, faithfully,

WM. ST. JOHN CRICKMER.

The Rt. Rev H. B. Whipple, D. D., Faribault, Minn.

Lake Benton, Population 500; Lincoln County; J. D. GREENE, Lay Reader.

Pews free. No. Sittings, 103. No. Families, 8. Individuals, 33. Baptisms (inf. 3, ad. 3), 6. Present No. Confirmed persons, (m. 2, f. 4), 6. Communicants, (m. 2, f. 4) 6. Communicating during year, 6. Holy Communion administered, pub. 2. Public services, (Since first Sunday in Advent, other days, 6 in Lent), 35.

Value Chapel, \$900. Lots, \$200. Total, \$1,000.

Receipts—Communion Alms, \$14.35. Donations, \$300. Parish Aid Society, \$23. Total, \$342.35.

Expenditures—Parochial: Repair, \$150. Payment of Debts, \$150. Paid on Organ, \$28. Total, \$328.

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

I have filled out this blank the best I could. Our public services commenced the first Sunday in Advent, at my house, and on Sunday after Ascension, in our Chapel, and though not completed the public seemed to enjoy the services, there being 49 persons in attendance. Rev. T. H. M. Villiers Appleby, Missionary, has visited us twice in February and April.

Faithfully yours,

J. D. GREENE, Lay Reader.

Lake City, Population 2,500; Wabasha County; S. MARK'S CHURCH; The Rev. WYNNE JONES, Rector; L. H. BUCK, D. E. PERKINS, Wardens; W. E. PERKINS, Treas.; L. H. BUCK, Clk. Vestry; J. M. UNDERWOOD, S. S. Supt.; P. H. MOORE, Lay Reader.

Pews free. Rector's salary, \$800; No. families, 90; Individuals, 350; Baptisms (inf. 13, ad. 4) 17; Confirmations (m. 12, f. 7) 19; Confirmed persons, last report, 169; added by confirmation, 19; added by transfer and otherwise, 3; Total, 183; Lost by death, 1; Lost by transfer and otherwise, 57; Total, 58. Total lost, 58; Present No. (m. 32, f. 103) 135; Communicants (m. 32, f. 95) 128; Communicating during year, 97; Holy Communion administered, pub. 38; Public services (Sundays, 146; other days, 78) 224; Marriages, 8; Burials, 144; Sunday schools, 1; Teachers (m. 2, f. 11) 13; Other officers (m. 2, f. 2) 4; Scholars, (m. 67, f. 57) 124; Total teachers, officers, and scholars, 171; Catechisings, 52.

Value of Church building, \$3,500; Rectory, \$2,500. Total, \$6,000.

Receipts—Balance from last report, \$68.02; Communion alms, \$68.22; Subscriptions, \$625; Donations, \$75; Offerings, \$166.02; Parish aid societies, guilds, etc., \$313.32; Sunday school, \$81.33. Total, \$1,306.91.

Expenditures—Parochial: Current expenses, \$323.71; Payment of debts, \$900; Church building, \$30; Rectory building, \$23.09; Rector's salary paid, \$900; S. School expenses, \$16.80; Poor (charitable work) \$23.31. Total, \$1,227.92. Diocesan: Council fund, \$9.00; Bishop's salary, \$30. Diocesan missionary board fund, \$50; Other mission work, \$41.71; Aged and infirm clergy fund, \$6.11; Diocesan education (Seabury Divinity school) \$11.01; Sheltering Arms, \$1.16. Total, \$148.99. General: Foreign missions, \$20. Total, \$20. Grand total, \$1,396.91.

Lake Park, Population 400; Becker County; S. JOHN'S CHURCH; The Rev. E. STEELE PEAKE, Rector, (Detroit P. O.); THOMAS CANFIELD, T. C. HAWLEY, Wardens; Rev. F. J. HAWLEY, D. D., Treas.

No. families, 10. Individuals, 50. Baptisms, inf 1. Public services (Sundays, 12, other days 1) 20. Marriages, 2. Burials, 2.

Receipts—Offerings, \$95.83; Fund for Ch building, \$300. Total, \$395.83.

Expenditures—Parochial: Lamps, \$3; Offertory plate, \$2.50. Diocesan: Special needs fund, \$5. Grand total, \$10.50.

The services at Lake Park are held in a school room.

Land has been given for a Church and stone sufficient has been drawn to the lot, but we cannot build until we have \$1,000 in hand. We hope that we shall be able to raise this next year. Our Honorary Dean, who is our treasurer, has many friends who will be glad to help him in his good project for this new mission field.

Respectfully, E. STEELE PEAKE.

Le Sueur, Population 1,500, Le Sueur County; S. JOHN'S CHURCH, The Rev. A. S. H. WINSOR, Rector, (P. O. Henderson.) WM. PLOWMAN, Warden; DANIEL BAUNDLYNE, Treas.

Pews free. No. Sittings, 150. Rector's salary, \$300. No. Families, 10. Individuals, 40. Baptisms, (inf. 5, ad 10), 15. Confirmations, (m. 5, f. 6), 11. Confirmed persons, last report, 15, added by confirmation, 11. Present No., (m. 7, f. 19), 26. Communicants, (m. 5, f. 9), 14. Communicating during year (m. 4, f. 10), 14. Holy Communion administered, pub. 12. Public services, (Sundays 48, other days, 2), 50. Sunday schools, 1. Teachers, (f.) 1. Scholars, (m. 1, f. 6), 7. Total teachers, officers and scholars, 8. Catechisings, 2. Value of Church building, \$1,400. Rectory, \$1,900. Lots on which church stands, \$400. Total, \$3,700.

Receipts—Communion Alms, \$5. Subscriptions, \$78.84. From rent of church property, \$100.00. Sunday school, \$60. Sale of church property, \$200. Total, \$334.44.

Expenditures—Parochial: Current expenses, \$12. Repairs, \$200. Rector's salary, \$173.44. Total \$385.44. Diocesan: Diocesan Board Fund, \$5. Bishop Gilbert's Special Needs Fund, \$3.25. Total, \$8.25. Grand total, \$396.69.

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:—

The above is a report of the Parish of Le Sueur for the past year, till May 6th, when I left the parish for Fairmont.

Respectfully Yours,
A. S. H. WINSOR.

Le Sueur Centre, Population 200, Le Sueur County; MISSION. CHAS. PURRINGTON, Warden; FRED PEPPER, Treas.; CHESTER HOBDAV, Clerk Vestry; ARTHUR CHARD, Lay Reader, (P. O. Faribault.)

Lay Reader's salary, \$56.91. No. families, 17. Individuals, 46. Baptisms, (inf.) 1. Present No. confirmed, (m. 9, f. 13), 22. Communicants, (m. 9, f. 13), 22. Communicating during year, (m. 1, f. 7), 8. Holy Communion administered, pub. 2. Public services, Sundays, 38. Burials, 2.

Receipts—Offerings, \$37.38. Proceeds of two Sociables, \$19.55. Total, \$56.91.

Expenditures—Parochial: Rector's salary paid, \$56.91.

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:—

We hold our services in the Methodist church which is kindly loaned to us by that body. We hope, in the near future to be able to erect a more suitable building of our own.

ARTHUR CHARD, Lay Reader.

Little Falls, Population, 3,000; Morrison County; OUR SAVIOUR CHURCH, The Rev. A. HARPER, JR., Rector. E. ROTHWELL, A. TANNER, Wardens; A. TANNER, Treas., H. S. NOBLE, Clerk Vestry; H. S. NOBLE, S. S. Supt.

Pews free. No. sittings, 150. Rector's Salary, \$720. No. families, 30. Individuals, 175. Baptisms, (inf.) 12, Confirmations, (m. 6, f. 4), 10. Confirmed persons last report, 19, added by confirmation 10, added by transfer and otherwise, 16. Total, 45. Present No. (m. 12, f. 33), 45. Communicants, (m. 12, f. 33), 45. Communicating during the year, (m. 2, f. 20), 22. Holy Communion administered, (pub. 4, private, 1), 5. Public services, (Sundays, 26 other days, 16), 42. Marriages, 1, Sunday schools, 1. Teachers, (m. 1, f. 7), 8. Other officers, (m. 2, f. 1), 3. Scholars, (m. 15, f. 25), 40. Total teachers, officers and scholars, 51. Catechisings, 2. S. S. Library books, 150.

Value of Church building, \$400. Rectory, \$800. Lots upon which Church stands, \$1-, 200. Total, \$2,400.

Receipts—Balance from last report, \$25.89. Offerings, \$19.77. Rent (rectory), \$110. Total, \$155.16.

Expenditures—Parochial: Current expenses, \$12.25. Repairs, \$15. Rector's salary paid, \$120. Other expenses, \$22.91. Total, \$170.16. Diocesan: Bishop's salary, \$30. Grand Total, \$200.16.

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

This report covers a period of six weeks. My engagement here closes June 30th.

A. HARPER, JR.

Luverne, Population, 1500; Rock County: HOLY TRINITY CHURCH, The
Rev. C. S. WARE, Rector. (Worthington P. O.) R. B. HINKLEY, Treas.

Rector's salary, \$300. No. families, 11. Individuals, 58. Baptisms, (inf. 3, ad. 1) 4. Confirmations, f. 4, added by Confirmation, 4. Present No. (m. 5, f. 17) 22. Communicants, (m. 4, f. 15) 19. Communicating during the year (m. 4, f. 15), 19. Holy Communion administered, 15. Public services, Sundays, 24.

Receipts—Subscriptions, \$300. Offerings, \$15. Parish Aid Societies, Guilds, etc., \$200. Total, \$515.

Expenditures—Parochial: Rector's salary paid, \$221.25. Other expenses, \$200. Total, \$421.25. Diocesan: Council fund, \$1. Bishop's salary \$1. Diocesan Missionary Board fund, \$1. Total, \$3. Grand total, \$424.25.

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

Luverne is a mission station. We hold services in the C. H. A lot costing \$480 has been bought by the Ladies Guild, and \$200 paid thereupon. The Sunday school will be organized on my next visit. I give them two Sundays in each month. It is the most important point in Southwestern Minnesota. I have been in charge since June 10th, of last year.

Faithfully and Obediently Yours,

C. S. WARE.

Litchfield, Population, 2,300, Meeker County; TRINITY CHURCH; The
Rev. A. G. PINKHAM, Rector; CHAS. H. STROBECK, JAS. H. MORRIS, Wardens; M. O. CATHCART, S. S. Supt; HAMLET STEVENS, Treas.; M. O. CATHCART, Clk. Vestry; CHAS. H. STROBECK, Lay Reader.

Pews free. No. Sittings, 250. Rector's Salary, \$900. No. families, 70. Individuals, 300. Baptisms (inf. 4, ad. 4), 8. Confirmations (m. 12, f. 10), 22. Confirmed persons, last report, 52; added by Confirmation, 22; added by transfer and otherwise, 39; Total, 140. Lost by death, 1. Lost by transfer and otherwise, 6. Total lost, 7. Present No. (m. 45, f. 88), 133. Communicants (m. 33, f. 80), 113. Communicating during year (m. 35, f. 70), 103. Holy Communion administered (pub. 16, private 1), 17. Public service: (Sundays 105, other days 22), 127. Marriages, 4. Burials, 6. Sunday schools, 1. Teachers (m. 3, f. 4), 7. Other officers (f. 1. Scholars (m. 34, f. 54), 88. Total teachers, officers and scholars, 96. Catechisms, 12.

Value of Church building, \$4,500; Chapel, \$400; Rectory, \$700; lots upon which Church stands, \$900; grounds and other property, \$900; Total, \$7,000.

Indebtedness—\$308.13.

Receipts—Communion Alms, \$11.60; Subscriptions, \$299.05; from endowment, \$24; Offerings, \$214.55; Parish Aid Societies, Guilds, etc., \$358.15; Sunday school, \$42.61; Weekly pledges, \$749.97; From Mission Board, \$112.50; Total, \$1,779.43.

Expenditures—Parochial: Current Expenses, \$189.35; Repairs, \$18.25; Rector's salary paid, \$354.50; S. School expense, \$33.40; Other expenses, \$100; Paid on organ, \$389.05; Total, \$1,189.55. Diocesan: Council fund, \$7.50; Bishop's salary, \$15; Diocesan Missionary Board fund, \$25; Other Mission work, \$24.15; Sheltering Arms, \$6.15; Travelling Missionary, \$25; Total, \$100.80. General: American Church Building fund, \$3.00; Children's Lenten offerings, \$17.98; Florida sufferers, \$7.75; Total, \$23.33. Grand total, \$1,719.68.

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

The foregoing report shows the result of united effort. We are not a rich Parish, but each member contributes faithfully the amount pledged. While our Communicant list is a large one it must be said one-third of it is composed of young people who are not in a position to help financially. With the hearty support my people have given me it will not be long before we shall be self-supporting. This is our aim. I have been greatly encouraged in my work here, and also at Howard Lake and Atwater by the general interest taken in the Church's welfare.

I am faithfully yours,

ALFRED G. PINKHAM.

Madelia, Population 1,000, Watonwan County; CHRIST CHURCH, The
Rev. D. GRIFFIN GUNN, Rector, (P. O., Wilder, Minn.)

Pews free. No. sittings, 100. Rector's salary, \$25. No. families, 6. Individuals, 30. Baptisms (inf.) 1. Added by confirmation, 1. Total, 8. Lost by transfer and otherwise, 8. Total lost, 8. Present No. (m. 3, f. 5) 8. Communicants (m. 3, f. 5) 8. Communicating during year, 8. Holy Communion administered, 4. Public services, Sundays 24.

Value of Church building, \$1,500; lots upon which Church stands, \$100; Total, \$1,600.

Receipts—Subscriptions, \$22; Offerings, \$25. The offering at Assistant Bishop's visit went for Special Need Fund. Bishop Gilbert offering for pews, \$10. Total, \$47.

Expenditures—Parochial: Pews, \$32; Rector's salary paid, \$23; Total, \$57. Diocesan: Bishop's salary, \$2; Diocesan Missionary Board Fund, \$3; Total \$5. Grand total, \$62.

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

I beg to report as follows: Madelia has lost by removals nearly the same as St. James, leaving us with only 8 communicants, yet I do not favor giving up the work there. Let the Missionary Board take a bold stand there and put in a good man, and give him Lake Crystal and St. James, with a buggy and horse, and the results would be satisfactory. Add also Wilder for one service a month, the others two. My part of the work will (D.V.) soon be finished.

Faithfully yours,

D. G. GUNN, Missionary.

Madison Lake, Population 350; Blue Earth County; GOOD SHEPHERD CHURCH, The Rev. JAS. CORNELL, Rector, (P. O. Janesville); H. A. HITCHCOCK, M. D., Warden; Mr. KRAMER, Treasurer; Mr. TUCKER, Clk. Vestry.

No. families, 15. Individuals, 60. Present No. (m 1, f. 1), 2. Communicating during year (m. 1, f. 1), 2. Public services (Sundays 7, other days 1), 8. Burials, 1. Other officers (m. 1, f. 3), 4.

Value of Church property, \$300.

Receipts—Parish Aid Societies, Guilds, etc, \$45.

Expenditures—Parochial: Current expenses, \$7.

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

The first service in this village was held the 10th Feb., 1889. On the 1st of March, a Ladies' Aid Society was formed, consisting of ten members. On the 18th and 31st of March, respectively, the heads of fifteen families handed me their names as members of the mission. On the 31st of March a meeting was called of the members, a committee of eight men was appointed, with Dr. H. A. Hitchcock as Warden, and the mission named "The Good Shepherd." On April 28th two sub-committees were appointed, and on May 11th reported that they have the refusal of two lots for \$50, and advised the propriety of accepting. The report was accepted, and the finance committee assured that \$300 or \$400 could be raised for building purposes. On June 9th it was decided to organize a Sunday school and buy an organ.

Mankato, Population 10,000; Blue Earth County; S. JOHN'S CHURCH.

The Rev. T. C. HUDSON, Rector, No. 312 Warren St. A. M. SMITH, GEO. W. SLADE, Wardens; H. E. SWAN, Treasurer; G. M. FORMAN, Clk. Vestry; H. W. BROWN, S. S. Supt.

Pews free. No. sittings, 250. Rector's salary, \$300. No. families, 65. Individuals, 230. Baptisms, (inf. 15, ad. 5), 20. Confirmations (m. 2, f. 9), 11. Confirmed persons, last report, 90, added by confirmation, 11, added by transfer and otherwise, 7. Total, 108. Lost by transfer and otherwise, 4. Total lost, 4. Present no. (m. 32 f. 72), 104. Communicants (m. 32, f. 72), 104. Communicating during year (m. 25, f. 60), 85. Holy Communion administered (pub.) 32. Public services (Sundays 98, other days 69), 167. Marriages, 8. Burials, 1. Sunday schools, 1. Teachers (m. 3, f. 5), 8. Other officers (m.) 1. Scholars (m. 19, f. 29) 48. Total teachers, officers and scholars, 56. Catechising, 4. S. S. Library books, 50.

Value of Church building, \$3,000. Rectory, \$1,600. Lots upon which church stands, \$2,000. Total, \$6,600.

Indebtedness, \$1,000.

Receipts—Balance from last report, \$6.32. Subscriptions, \$900. Donations, \$125. Offerings, \$188.51. Parish Aid Societies, Guilds, etc., \$350. Sunday school, \$50. Total, \$1,529.83.

Expenditures—Parochial: Current expenses, \$155.25. Improvement about Church building, \$75. Rectory building, \$300. Rector's salary paid, \$692.75. S. School expense, \$40. Other expenses, \$80. Diocesan—Council Fund, \$6. Bishop's salary, \$20. Diocesan Missionary Board Fund, \$22. Other mission work, \$16.50. Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund, \$10.90. Sheltering Arms, \$5.10. Total, \$90.50. General—Domestic missions, \$15.20. Foreign missions, \$4.70. Woman's Auxiliary, \$4.95. American Church Building Fund, \$4.23. Total \$29.08. Grand Total, \$1,529.83.

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

In addition to the above, I have given what time I could spare, to the work at Lake Crystal. I have to report, Sunday services 2, week days 11; baptisms, 6; confirmations, 5. Affectionately, yours.

T. C. HUDSON.

Mantorville, Population 400; Dodge County; S. JOHN'S Church; AMBROSE LA DUE, Treas.; A. ALEXANDER, Lay Reader.

Pews, free. No sittings, 150. No. families, 14. Individuals, about 60. Baptisms (inf 7, ad 3) 10. Confirmations (m 1, f 11) 12. Added by confirmation, 12. Lost by death, 2. Lost by transfer and otherwise, 2. Total lost, 4. Present No., 23. Communicants (m 5, f 18) 23. Communicating during year, 20. Holy communion administered, pub 5. Public services (Sundays 43, other days 4) 47. Burials, 2.

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

Services were commenced in St. John's Church, Mantorville, on the last Sunday of July of last year. It is distant from Kasson three miles, and the service is held at 3 P. M. Previous to July, 1898, there had been no services in the church for about ten years; since the re-commencement, as above noted, there has been service every Sunday, without exception. Ten months ago there were but six communicants, and the re-opening of the Church was regarded as quite an experiment—to-day she has about 23 communicants, and the people are beginning to renovate their very handsome stone church, and they have, moreover, promised two memorial windows if a resident minister is obtained to the charge of Kasson and Mantorville parishes, and to this end they have promised to add \$300 to the \$500 subscribed by Kasson.

Besides St. John's there is a Congregational place of worship in the little town, of many years standing, with a resident clergyman, but already St. John's is taking the lead, and the demand for a resident clergyman is now for Mantorville (with Kasson) a positive necessity.

I am,

Most faithfully and obediently,

A. ALEXANDER,

Student in charge.

Maple Grove Mission, The Rev. E. STEELE PEAKE, Missionary, (P. O. Detroit.)

Public services, 12. Holy communions, 2. Burials, 1. Baptisms, inf 4.

Melrose, Population 1,000, Stearns County; TRINITY MISSION, The Rev. J. F. HAMILTON, Missionary in charge, (P. O. Sank Center.)

Pews free. No. sittings, 84. No. families, 5. Individuals, 21. Baptisms, (inf. 2, ad. 4), 6. Confirmed persons, last report, 3, added by transfer and otherwise, 3. Total, 3. Present No., (m 1, f 5), 6. Communicating during year, (m 1, f 5), 6. Holy Communion administered, pub. 4. Public services, Sundays 21. Burials, 2.

Value of Church building and lots upon which church stands, \$1,000.

Receipts—Offerings, \$54.70.

Expenditures—Parochial: Current expenses, \$ 70. Rectors salary, \$53. Total, \$53.70. Diocesan: Council Fund, \$1. Bishop's salary, \$1. Diocesan Missionary Board Fund, \$1. Total, \$3. Grand Total, \$56.70.

The only male communicant at the mission removed last year to a distance of about thirteen miles. He now designs returning to the village in the autumn, when I hope the Sunday school will be re-opened.

Mentor, Polk County; CHURCH OF THE BELOVED PHYSICIAN, The Rev. S. CURRIE, Minister in Charge, F. A. HAYES, S. S. Supt.; F. S. HAYES, Lay Reader.

Pews free. No. sittings, 69. No. families, 12. Individuals, 61. Baptisms (inf.) 3. Confirmations (m 1, f 4) 5; added by confirmation 5. Lost by transfer and otherwise, 8. Total lost, 8. Present number (m 7, f 14) 21. Communicating during year (m 12, f 19) 31. Holy Communion administered, public 3. Public services (Sundays 56, other days 8), 64. Sunday schools, 1. Teachers (m 1, f 3) 4. Other officers (m) 2. Scholars (m 18, f 20) 38. Total teachers, officers and scholars, 42. Catechisings, 12. S. S. Library books, 100.

Value of Church building, \$2,000; lots upon which Church stands, \$200; Total \$2,200.

Receipts—Communion alms, \$10; Subscriptions, \$126; Endowment, \$40; Offerings, \$8.64; Parish aid societies, guilds, etc., \$16; Sunday schools, \$1; Total, \$204.64.

Expenditures—Parochial: Current expenses, \$7; Repairs, \$9; Rector's salary paid, \$166; S. School expense, \$4; Total \$186. General: Domestic Missions, \$4.48; Woman's Auxiliary, \$4.16; Miscellaneous, \$10; Total, \$18.64. Grand total, \$204.64.

Minneapolis, Population 200,000; Hennepin County; GETHSEMANE CHURCH, The Rev. A. R. GRAVES, Rector. No. 328 S. 10TH ST. The Rev. W. W. FOWLER, assistant minister most of year. JOHN I. BLACK, OGDEN T. TUTTLE, Wardens; J. B. PHELPS, Treas.; P. V. P. WIGGINS, Clerk Vestry; JOHN I. BLACK, S. S. Supt., GEO. L. KEEFER, and others, Lay Readers.

Pews free. No. sittings, 700. Rector's salary, \$2,000. Asst. Minister's salary, \$1,200. No. families, 365. Individuals, 1,530. Baptisms, (inf. 68, ad. 28) 92. Confirmations, (m 16, f. 44) 60. Confirmed persons last report 759. Present No. 765. Communicating during year, 523. Holy Communion administered (pub. 90, private, 4), 94. Public services, (Sundays, 204, other days, 182), 390. Marriages, 14. Burials, 35. Sunday schools, 3. Teachers, 23. Other officers, 5. Scholars, 230. Total teachers, officers and scholars, 253. Catechisings, 52.

Value of Church building, \$55,000. Lots upon which Church stands, \$25,000. Grounds and other property, \$30,000. Total, \$110,000.

Indebtedness, \$52,000.

Receipts—Communion alms, \$140.40. Subscriptions, \$3,000. Donations, \$698. Offerings, \$1,756.96. Parish Aid Societies, Guilds, etc., \$427.21. Sunday School, \$97.07. Miscellaneous, \$179.66. Total, \$8,339.30.

Expenditures—Parochial: Current expenses, \$1,994.00. Repairs, \$212.34. Payment of debts, \$219. Rector's salary paid, \$2,000. S. S. expense, \$45.58. Poor (Charitable work), \$452.21. Church or mission work in parish, \$294.28. Assistant minister, \$1,075. Rent of house for Rector, \$420. Temperance work, \$10.25. City missions, \$295. Total, \$7,021.64. Diocesan: Council Fund, \$45. Bishop's salary, 150. Diocesan missionary fund, \$300. Other mission, work, \$83.77. Aged and Infirm Clergy fund, \$38.52. Diocesan Education (Seabury Divinity School), \$7.72. Sheltering Arms, \$50. Hospitals, \$200. Interest on note to Episcopate Fund, \$70. General Missionary of Diocese, \$50. Special Needs fund, \$33.84. Choir Association, \$27.26. Total, \$1,056.11. General: Domestic missions, \$33.50. Foreign Missions, \$32.50. Woman's Auxiliary, \$79. American Church Building fund, \$17.22. Bible and Prayer Book Society, \$3.34. Miscellaneous, \$38. Sunday School Lent Offerings to Foreign and Domestic missions, \$23.89. Yellow Fever Sufferers, \$15.10. Total, \$261.55. Grand total, \$8,339.30.

Minneapolis, Population 200,000; Hennepin County; GRACE CHURCH.
The Rev. C. E. HIXON, Rector. No. 1410 19TH ST. S. A. H. KITTELL,
JNO. PARSLow, Wardens; FRED KITTELL, Treas.; J. B. POWLES, Clerk
Vestry; C. E. HIXON, S. S. Supt.; G. A. CODE, Lay Reader.

Pews free. No. sittings, 150. Rector's salary, \$700. No. families, 70. Individuals 325. Baptism (Inf. 20, a. 1. 2) 21. Confirmations, (m. 1. f. 5) 6. Confirmed persons, last report, 158, added by Confirmation, 6, added by transfer and otherwise, 90. Total, 194. Lost by death, 4. Lost by transfer and otherwise, 15. Total lost, 19. Present No. (m. 63, f. 112), 175. Communicants (m. 63, f. 112), 175. Communicating during the year, (m. 53, f. 106), 156. Holy Communion administered (pub. 28, private 4), 32. Public services, (Sundays) 195. Marriages, 11. Burials, 20. Sunday Schools, 1. Teachers, (m. 1, f. 8), 9. Other officers (m. 1, f. 1), 2. Scholars (m. 40, f. 50), 90. Total teachers, officers and scholars, 90. Catechisings, 56.

Value of Church building, \$2,500. Lots upon which church stands, \$3,000. Total, \$5,500.
Receipts—Communion alms, \$10.80. Subscriptions, \$406.45. Offerings, \$83.35. Parish Aid Societies, Guilds, etc., \$408.78. Sunday school, \$50. From Board of Missions, \$100. Total, \$1,059.38.

Expenditures—Parochial: Current expenses, \$60. Payment of debts, \$125.83. Rector's salary paid, \$700. S. S. Expense, \$20.00. Poor (Charitable work), \$400. Church or Mission work in parish, \$10. Total, \$919.83. Diocesan: Council Fund, \$1.50. Bishop's salary, \$5. Diocesan Missionary Board fund, \$7. (\$10 General Missionary) Rector, \$100. Missionary Board, Total, \$110. Grand total, \$1,043.33.

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR

This property is vested in the "Rector, Wardens and Vestry of Grace Church Parish."
C. E. HIXON, Rector.

Minneapolis, Population, 200,000, Hennepin County; ALL SAINT'S CHURCH; The Rev. E. J. PURDY, Rector, 2914 Portland avenue; LE ROY ROBERTSON, THOMAS SAEGAR, Wardens; ROBERT LYLE, S. S. Supt.; GEO. A. McDougall, Treas.; ROBERT LYLE, Clk. Vestry; ROBERT LYLE, Lay Reader.

Pews free. No. sittings, 250. No. families, 60. Individuals, 800. Baptisms (Inf.) 12. Confirmations (m. 5, f. 3), 8. Confirmed persons, last report, 123; added by Confirmation, 8; added by transfer and otherwise, 27; Total, 35. Lost by death, 1. Lost by transfer and otherwise, 31. Total, 32. Present No. 125. Communicating during year, 84. Holy Communion administered, 17. Public services (Sunday 104, other days 26), 130; Marriages, 5. Burials, 5. Sunday schools, 1. Teachers (m. 3, f. 5), 8. Other officers (m.) 3. Scholars, 125. Total teachers, officers and scholars, 136. Catechisings, 54. S. S. Library books, 120.

Value of Church building, \$5,000; lots upon which Church stands, \$3,000; grounds and other property, \$300; Total, \$8,300.

Receipts—Balance from last report, \$134.38; Communion Alms, \$56.41; Subscriptions, \$498.50; Donations, \$56.75; Offerings, \$319.11; Parish Aid Societies, Guilds, etc., \$130; Sunday school, \$51.34; Total, \$1,246.47.

Expenditures—Parochial: Current Expenses, \$220.74; Repairs, \$12. Rector's salary paid, \$800.50; S. School expense, \$24.23; Poor (charitable work), \$38; Other expenses, \$119.60; Total, \$1,025.13. Diocesan: Council fund, \$3; Bishop's salary, \$7; Diocesan Missionary Board Fund, \$10; City Mission work, \$7.25; Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund, \$4.40; Sheltering Arms, \$5.50; Hospitals, \$5.50; Total, \$42.65. General: Domestic Missions, \$3.25; Woman's Auxiliary, \$5.25; Total, \$8.50. Grand total, \$1,076.28.

Minneapolis, Population, 200,000, Hennepin County; HOLY TRINITY CHURCH, The Rev. ANDREW J. GRAHAM, Rector, No. 408 S. E. 4th st., WINTHROP YOUNG, JOHN G. HALL, Wardens; CHARLES H. HOUSE, Treasurer; GEO. EVANS, Clk. Vestry; FRED. FARRINGTON, S. S. Supt.; GEORGE S. GRIMES, Lay Reader.

Pews rented. No. sittings, 250. Rector's salary, \$1200 and house. No. families, 184. Individuals, 540. Baptisms (inf. 23, ad. 3), 26. Confirmations, (m. 5, f. 11), 16. Confirmed persons, last report, 236; added by confirmation, 16; added by transfer and otherwise, 23. Total, 273. Lost by death, 4. Lost by transfer and otherwise, 29. Total lost, 33. Present No. (m. 57, f. 185), 242. Communicants (m. 50, f. 195), 245. Communicating during the year (m. 40, f. 149), 189. Holy Communion administered (pub. 50, private 5), 55. Public services (Sundays 113, other days 19), 142. Marriages, 10. Burials, 14. Sunday schools, 1. Teachers (m. 1, f. 7), 8. Other officers (m. 3, f. 1), 4. Scholars (m. 21, f. 79), 100. Total teachers, officers and scholars, 112. Catechisings, 7. S. S. Library books, 200.

Value of Church building, \$7,500. Rectory, \$3,700. Lots upon which church stands, \$12,500. Total, \$23,500.

Receipts—Communion Alms box, \$13.73. Pew rents, \$1,344.42. Subscriptions, \$230. Donations, \$148. Offerings, \$468.20. Parish Aid Societies, Guilds, etc., \$183.30. Sunday School, \$129. Special—Easter, 1899, \$267.74. For old organ, \$25. Total, \$2,814.39.

Expenditures—Parochial: Current expenses, \$370.50. Repairs in church, \$275. Rectory building, repairs, \$170. Rector's salary paid, \$1200 and house. S. School expense, \$64. Poor (charitable work), \$58. Church or mission work in parish, \$25. Fridley Park. Taxes and insurance, \$225. Total, \$2,387.50. Diocesan: Council Fund, \$10. Bishop's salary, \$35. Diocesan Missionary Board Fund, \$60. Other missionary work, \$60. Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund, \$8.50. Sheltering Arms, \$37.30. Hospitals, \$103. City missions, about \$145. Total \$396.80. General: Domestic missions, \$15.51. Foreign missions, \$8. Woman's Auxiliary, \$25. Miscellaneous, \$17.20. Total, \$53.71. Grand total, \$2,940.01.

Minneapolis, Population 200,000, Hennepin County; S. ANDREW'S CHURCH. The Rev. W. WILKINSON, Rector, Oliver av. N. L. O. MERRIAM, M. Yost, Wardens; W. WILKINSON, S. Supt.; W. DES BRISAY, Clk. Vestry; M. MERRIAM, Lay Reader.

Rector's salary \$1,000. No. families 43. Individuals, 225. Baptisms (inf. 23, ad. 2), 25. Confirmations (m. 5, f. 15), 20, added by confirmation, 20, added by transfer and otherwise, 15. Total, 25. Present No. (m. 20, f. 50), 70. Communicating during year, 60. Holy Communion administered, 18. Public services, Sunday, 52. Marriages, 4. Burials, 4. Sunday schools, 1. Teachers (m. 3, f. 5), 8. Scholars, 101. Total teachers, officers and scholars, 109.

Value of Church building, \$3,000.

Indebtedness, \$860.

Receipts—Balance from last year's report, \$3,838.42. Subscriptions, \$348.79. Donations \$2,345.60. Offerings, \$317.22. Parish Aid Societies, Guilds, etc., \$281.31. Total, \$7,531.34.

Expenditures—Parochial: Current expenses, \$237.81. Repairs, \$19.43. Payment of debts, \$2,225. Church building, \$27.37. Rector's salary paid, \$1,000. Church or mission work in parish, \$12.30. Other expenses, \$231.16. Total, \$3,753.57. Diocesan: Bishop's salary, \$10. Diocesan Missionary Board Fund, \$32. Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund, \$65.85. Sheltering Arms, \$31. Total, \$158.85. General: American Church Building Fund, \$5. Grand Total, \$3,912.42.

REV. AND DEAR SIR:

I have pleasure in presenting this report. The work of our parish has been hard, but the Master has blessed us. I have tried with all my might to preach Christ as a sinner's Saviour, in the way the Church has taught, and to administer the sacraments of the Church with care. We look forward with hope to the future.

Truly, yours,

WM. WILKINSON.

Minneapolis, Population 200,000, Hennepin County; S. LUKE'S CHURCH. The Rev. Wm. B. HAMILTON, Rector, No. 2646 Portland ave.; F. H. HALL, Senior Warden; M. O. LITTLE, Junior Warden; F. H. HALL, Treas.; H. J. RICHARDSON, Clerk of Vestry; The Rector, S. S. Superintendent.

Pews free. No. sittings 100. Rector's salary, \$900. No. families, 31. Individuals, 150. Baptisms (inf. 34, ad. 3) 36. Confirmations (m. 7, f. 7) 14. Confirmed persons, last report, 90; added by confirmation, 14; added by transfer and otherwise, 10; total, 114. Lost by transfer and otherwise, 19. Total lost, 19. Present No. (m. 25, f. 70) 95. Communicants (m. 25, f. 70) 95. Communicating during year (m. 32, f. 82) 114. Holy Communion administered, public, 87. Public services (Sundays 192, other days 20) 212. Marriages, 3. Burials, 1. Sunday schools, 1. Teachers (m. 2, f. 7) 9. Other officers, 1. Scholars, 90. Total teachers, officers and scholars, 100. Catechisings, 53.

Value of Church building, \$2,000. Lots upon which Church stands, \$3,000. Grounds and other property, \$800. Total, \$5,800.

Indebtedness, \$3,000.

Receipts—Subscriptions, \$434.34; Donations, \$208.30; Offerings, \$201.72; Parish aid societies, guilds, etc., \$383.87; Sunday school, \$39.75; Other sources, \$72.25; Total, \$1,331.33.

Expenditures—Parochial: Current expenses, \$23.50; Repairs, \$9.25; Payment of debts, \$218.46; Rector's salary paid, \$919.67; S. School expenses, \$32.12; Poor (charitable work), \$15; Total, \$1,220. Diocesan: Council Fund, \$3; Bishop's salary, \$5; Diocesan Missionary

Board Fund, \$10; Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund, \$10.93; Salary Diocesan Missionary, \$10. Total, \$88.93. General: Domestic Missions, \$5.70; S. P. C. Jews, \$2; Yellow fever sufferers, \$11.33; Total, \$18.83. Grand total, \$1,277.76.

* 16 of these were baptized at St. Annette's Home for Babies.

† \$119.87 of this amount was balance due on last year's salary account.

Minneapolis, Population 200,900, Hennepin County; S. MARK'S CHURCH, The Rev. THOMAS B. WELLS, D. D., Rector, 33 South Sixth street; C. M. HARDENBERGH, W. B. FOLDS, Wardens; S. E. NEILER, Treas.; HECTOR BAXTER, Supt. S. S.

Pews assigned, 800. Sittings, 700. Rector's salary, \$2,500. No. families, 800. Individuals, 900. Baptisms (inf. 20; ad. 5) 25. Communicants last reported, 338; added by confirmation, 20; added by transfer, 33; Total, 446. Lost by death, 10; lost by transfer and otherwise, 25; Total, 35. Present No. 410. Marriages, 21. Burials, 15. Public services, 121. Holy Communions, 18. Sunday schools, 1. Teachers, 13. Other officers, 4. Scholars, 132. Total teachers, officers and scholars, 167.

Value Church property, \$100,000.

Indebtedness, \$5,000.

Receipts—Communion alms, \$382; Subscriptions, \$6,054; Donations, \$4,044; Offerings, \$900; Parish guilds, \$1,197; Sunday school, \$198; Total, \$12,775.

Expenditures—Parochial: Current expenses, \$4,319; Rector's salary, \$2,500; Sunday School, \$184; Charity, \$400; City Missionary Society, \$414; Children's Home, \$383; Women's Home, \$30; Woman's Exchange, \$100; St. Barnabas Hospital, \$113; Memorials, \$86; Miscellaneous, \$250; Total, \$9,023. Diocesan: Council Fund, \$45; Bishop's salary, \$250; Diocesan Missionary Board, \$420; General Missionary's salary, \$75; Other Mission work, \$147; Aged and Infirm Clergy, \$105; Sheltering Arms, \$715; Sheltering Arms, debt, \$505; Miscellaneous, \$45; Total, \$2,307. General: Domestic Mission's S. S., \$25; Church Building Fund, \$30; Woman's Auxiliary (Missionary), \$539; Woman's Auxiliary mite chest, \$70; Special for Bishop Thomas, \$300; Total, \$1,284. Grand total, \$12,619.

Minneapolis, Population 200,000, Hennepin County; S. PAUL'S CHURCH, The Rev. FRANK R. MILLSPAUGH, Rector, No. 1215 Hawthorn ave. WILLIAM RAGAN, C. L. WELLS, M. D., Wardens; WILLIAM STEELE, TREASURER; JOSEPH GASKELL, Clk. Vestry; ANDREW H. ADAMS, B. S. RUSSELL, Lay Readers.

Pews rented and free. No. sittings, 750. Rector's salary, \$2,220. No. families 313. Individuals, 1,000. Baptisms (inf. 42, ad. 7) 49. Confirmations (m. 12, f. 25), 37. Confirmed persons, last report, 330, added by confirmation, 37, added by transfer and otherwise, 66. Total, 103. Lost by death, 6. Lost by transfer and otherwise, 27. Total lost, 34. Present No. 400. Communicants (m. 157, f. 218), 375. Communicating during year, 345. Holy Communion administered, 78. Public services (Sundays 156, other days 146), 302. Marriages, 15. Churching, 2. Burials, 13. Sunday schools, 1. Teachers (m. 5, f. 8), 13. Scholars (m. 51, f. 99), 150. Total teachers, officers and scholars, 163. Catechising, 35. S. S. Library books, 275.

Value of Church building, \$5,000. Chapel, \$700. Lots upon which church stands, \$35,000. Total, \$40,700.

Indebtedness, \$7,905.

Receipts—Balance from last report, \$392.66. Communion alms, \$102.18. Pew rents, \$2,574.57. Subscriptions, \$2,477.25. Donations, \$130. Offerings, \$1971.20. Parish Aid Societies, Guilds, etc., \$627.33. Sunday School, \$63.30. Total, \$8,327.88.

Expenditures—Parochial: Current expenses, \$1,349.69. Repairs, \$128.60. Payment of debts, \$2,497.25. Rector's salary paid, \$2,153. Poor (charitable work), \$930. Church or mission work in city, \$101.43. Other expenses, \$436.78. Diocesan—Council Fund, \$20. Bishop's salary, \$35. Diocesan Missionary Board Fund, \$140. Other mission work, \$74.86. Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund, \$18. Sheltering Arms, \$88. Hospitals, \$150. General—Domestic missions, \$51.31. Foreign missions, \$3.14. Woman's Auxiliary, \$200. American Church Building Fund, \$23.78. Yellow fever sufferers, \$20. Grand total, \$8,327.88.

Minneapolis, Population 200,000, Hennepin County; The Rev. WM. B. GUION, City Missionary.

Baptisms, 43. Confirmations since last report, 12. Confirmed persons, last report, 125, added by confirmation, transfer, and otherwise, 46. Total, 171. Communicating during year, 150. Holy Communion administered, 36. Public services (Sundays 423, other days, 82), 505. S. S. teachers, officers and scholars, 744. Catechising, Sundays.

Value of Church property, \$900.

Receipts—\$1,100.60.

Expenditures—\$1,100.60.

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

The above work has been carried on by the missionary among sectarians, without the personal aid of the Church people of the parishes. He is his own Superintendent of S. S. It is necessary to do constant pastoral duty; 2,695 pastoral visits have been made. Rev. Dr.

S. M. Haskins has made a splendid gift of several lots to the missions, and efforts are now in progress to erect a church on a lot in St. Matthew's mission. The missions are paying their running expenses, and are in good condition.

Minnetonka Mills, Hennepin County; S. JOHN'S CHURCH, R. TUSON, Lay Reader.

No. families, 12. Individuals, 40. Baptisms (inf 6, ad 7) 13. Confirmations, 3. Confirmed persons, last report, 9; added by confirmation, 3; lost by death, 3. Present No. 12. Communicants, 12. Communicating during year, 11. Holy Communion administered, 1. Public Services, Sundays, 32. Marriages, 2. Burials, 3. Sunday School teachers, female, 2. Scholars, 25.

Value of Church building, \$800.

Receipts—From all sources, \$174.

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

It is with thankfulness and gratitude to our Heavenly Father that he has blessed our work. Since we came to the Mills we have opened two Missions, one at Hopkins, average attendance 50, mixed congregation; the other at Chanhassen, average attendance 50; also a Sunday school of 35. St. John's Church in the morning, Chanhassen 3 p. m., Hopkins 7:30 p. m.

Yours respectfully,

R. TUSON, Missionary.

Montevideo, Population 1,500, Chippewa County; GRACE CHURCH, The Rev. WM. S. SAYES, Rector; F. W. STURTEVANT, J. S. CASE, Wardens; J. M. SEVERENS, Treas.; M. E. TITUS, Clk. Vestry; F. W. STURTEVANT, S. S. Supt.; F. W. STURTEVANT, Lay Reader.

Pews free. No. sittings, 210. Rector's salary, \$412. No. families, 33. Individuals, 150. Baptisms (inf 20, ad 1) 21. Confirmations (m 3, f 4) 7. Confirmed persons, last report, 50; added by confirmation, 7; added by transfer and otherwise, 3; Total, 60. Lost by death, 1; lost by transfer and otherwise, 4; Total lost, 5. Present No. (m 23, f 35) 58. Communicants (m 21, f 35) 56. Communicating during year (m 18, f 30) 48. Holy Communion administered (public 25, private 1) 26. Public services (Sundays 88, other days 156) 242. Marriages, 3. Churchings, 1. Burials, 3. Sunday schools, 1. Teachers (m 1, f 7) 8. Other officers, (m 1, f 1) 2. Scholars (m 23, f 40) 65. Total teachers, officers and scholars, 73. Catechisings, 25.

Value of Church building, \$3,100. Grounds, lots and other property, \$800. Total, \$3,900. Receipts—Donations, \$91.30; Offerings, \$302.10; Parish aid societies, guilds, etc., \$99.98; Sunday School, \$25.52; Other sources, \$47.33; Total, \$826.23.

Expenditures—Parochial: Current expenses, \$127.55; Payment of debts, \$5.69; Rector's salary paid, \$412; S. School expense, \$15; Poor (charitable work) \$1.50; Total, \$561.74. Diocesan: Council Fund, \$1.50; Bishop's salary, \$3; Diocesan Missionary Board Fund, \$7.50; Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund, \$3.60; Sheltering Arms, \$8.47; Bishop Gilbert's Special Need Fund, \$8.47; Total, \$32.54. General: Domestic and Foreign Missions, \$22.22; American Church Building Fund, \$0.85; Cash on hand, \$8.58; Total, \$31.65. Grand total, \$526.23.

Moorhead, Population 3,500, Clay County; S. JOHN'S CHURCH. The Rev. THOS. E. DICKEY, Rector; SAM PARTRIDGE, A. A. WHITE, Wardens; THOS. C. KURTZ, Treas.; J. E. GREEN, Clk. Vestry; SAM PARTRIDGE, S. S. Supt.; B. F. MACKALL and SAM PARTRIDGE, Lay Readers.

Pews free. No. Sittings, 200. Rector's salary, \$800. No. families, 46. Individuals, 200. Baptisms (inf. 4, ad. 2), 6. Confirmations (m. 1, f. 3), 4. Confirmed persons, last report, 36. Added by confirmation, 4. Added by transfer and otherwise, 2. Total, 42. Lost by death, 1. Lost by transfer and otherwise, 7. Total lost, 8. Present No. 84.

Communicants, 34. Communicating during year, 34. Holy Communion administered, 56. Public services (Sundays, 52; other days, 4), 56. Marriages, 4. Burials, 1. Sunday schools, 1. Teachers (m. 3, f. 4), 7. Other officers, 2. Scholars (m. 35, f. 37), 72. Total teachers, officers and scholars, 81. Catechisings, 52.

Value of church building, \$1,200. Rectory, \$1,500. Lots upon which church stands, \$2,000. Grounds and other property, \$200. Total, \$5,700.

Receipts—Subscriptions, \$601.50. Donations, \$30.22. Offerings, \$90.65. Sunday School, \$24.00. Total, \$826.28.

Expenditures—Parochial: Current expenses, \$92.94. Rector's salary paid, \$733.34. Total, \$826.28. Diocesan: Council Fund, \$6.00. Bishop's salary, \$20.00. Diocesan Missionary Board Fund, \$22.00. Sheltering Arms, \$5.00 and 1 Box. General: Domestic Missions, \$6.00. Miscellaneous, \$25.00. Total, \$84.00. Grand total, \$910.23.

Morristown, Population 500; Rice County; S. JOHN'S CHURCH. The Rev. WM. McVERTIE, Rector. (P. O. Waseca.) BISHOP'S COMMITTEE, Wardens, Mr. JOSHUA BUCK, S. S. Supt.

Pews free. Rector's salary, \$200. No. families, 25. Individuals, 110. Baptisms, (inf. 4, ad. 5), 9. Confirmations (m. 11, f. 14), 25. Confirmed persons, last report, 45, added by Confirmation 25. Present No. 70. Communicants (m. 12, f. 33), 45. Communicating

during year (m. 8, f. 22), 80. Holy Communion administered, 2. Public services (Sundays, 50, other days 1), 51. Marriages, 3. Burials, 1. Sunday schools, 1. Teachers (m. 2, f. 2), 4. Other officers, 2. Scholars (m. 10, f. 15), 25. Total teachers, officers, and scholars, 31. S. S. Library books, 20.

Value of Church buildings, \$1,000.

Receipts—Subscriptions, \$140. Offerings, \$60. Parish Aid Societies, Guilds, etc., \$89.75. Total, \$289.75.

Expenditures—Parochial: Repairs, \$7.55. Payment of debts, \$50.50. Rector's salary paid, \$200. S. School expense, \$8.20. Total, \$284.75. Diocesan: Bishop's salary, \$5. Grand total, \$289.75.

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

This is an organized parish with Bishop committee. Don't know in whom church property vested. In the course of two years this parish anticipates building a new church.

North Branch, Population 200; Chisago County; S. THOMAS' CHURCH,
The Rev. WM. WILKINSON, Rector. (P. O. Minneapolis.) Mrs. J. C.
HUME, Treas.; CHARLES THOMSON, S. S. Supt.

No. families, 15. Individuals, 67. Baptisms, ad. 1. Confirmations, f. 4. Confirmed persons, last report, 17, added by Confirmation, 4. Total, 21. Lost by death, 1. Lost by transfer and otherwise, 5. Total lost, 6. Present No. (m. 2, f. 13), 15. Communicants (m. 2, f. 8), 10. Communicating during year (m. 2, f. 8), 10. Holy Communion administered, 1. Public services, occasional, 8. Sunday schools, 1. Teachers (m. 1, f. 3), 4. Scholars, 25. Total teachers, officers and scholars, 29. S. S. Library books, 75.

Value of Church buildings, \$2,000. Rectory, \$700. Grounds and other property, \$300. Total, \$3,000.

Indebtedness, \$49

Receipts—Subscriptions, \$4.10. Sunday School, \$23.59. From rent of rectory, \$80.92. Total, \$108.61.

Expenditures—Parochial: Current expenses, \$3.70. Church building, \$65. S. School expenses, \$13.56. Total, \$82.24. Diocesan: Council fund, \$3. Sheltering Arms, \$4.33. Total, \$7.35. Grand total, \$89.61.

New York Mills, Otter Tail County; A MISSION. The Rev. E. STEELE
PEAKE, Missionary. (Detroit P. O.)
Public Services, 10. Baptisms, 3. burials, 1.

Northfield, Population 3,200, Rice County; ALL SAINT'S CHURCH. The
Rev. GEO. H. MUELLER, Rector; MR. J. R. SUMMER, MR. H. L. CRUT-
TENDEN, Wardens; MR. H. K. KELLEY, Treas; MR. SEMON T. FINKEL-
SON, Clk. Vestry.

Pews free. No. sittings, 250. No. families, 73. Individuals, 199. Baptisms (inf. 7, ad. 9), 16. Confirmation (m. 4, f. 15), 19. Confirmed persons, last report, 96. Added by confirmation, 19. Added by transfer and otherwise, 4. Total, 121. Lost by transfer and otherwise, 9. Total lost, 9. Present No. (m. 26, f. 86), 112.

Communicants (m. 31, f. 43), 124. Communicating during year (m. 17, f. 70), 87. Holy Communion administered (pub. 32; private, 1), 33. Public services (Sundays, 84; other days, 70), 154. Marriages, 2. Burials, 2. Sunday schools, 1. Teachers (m. 1, f. 5), 6. Scholars (m. 18, f. 27), 45. Total teachers, officers and scholars, 51. Catechising, 9. S. S. Library books, 40.

Value of church building, \$1,500. Rectory, \$2,500. Lots upon which church stands, \$2,000. Total, \$6,000.

Receipts—Communion Alms, \$19.26. Subscriptions, \$187.50. Donations, \$20.00. Offerings, \$489.24. Parish Aid Societies, Guilds, etc., \$316.34. Sunday school, \$31.68. Total, \$1,044.02.

Expenditures—Parochial: Current expenses, \$353.80. Payment of debts, \$168.87. r's salary paid, \$400.96. S. School expense, \$10.53. Total, \$933.56. Diocesan: Council fund \$5.00. Bishop's salary, \$20.00. Diocesan Missionary Board Fund, \$15.00. Aged and infirm clergy fund, \$8.57. Education (Seabury Divinity School), \$0.95. Sheltering Arms, \$12.00. Bishop Gilbert visitation, \$7.57. Bishop Whipple, visit, \$4.69. Total, \$73.96. General: Foreign Missions, \$16.36. American Church Building Fund, \$3.33. Miscellaneous, \$3.96. Total, \$23.65. Grand total, \$1,031.17.

REV. AND DEAR SIR:

This report covers the last ten months.

Sincerely,

GEO. H. MUELLER.

Owatonna, Population 4,000, Steele County; S. PAUL'S CHURCH, G. W.
CHESLEY, B. E. DARBY, Wardens; B. E. DARBY Treas; B. E. DARBY, Clk.
Vestry; C. E. HAUPT, Lay Reader, (P. O. Faribault.)

Pews free. No. sittings, 200 Rector's salary, \$800. No families 56. Individuals, 200. Baptism (inf. 8, ad. 3), 11. Confirmations (m. 10 f. 4), 14. Confirmed persons, last report, 96, added by Confirmation, 14. Lost by death, 4. Lost by transfer and otherwise, 2.

Total lost, 6. Present No. 104. Communicants, (m. 27, f. 76), 103. Communicating during year, 90. Holy Communion administered pub., 15. Public services, (Sundays 104, other days 15), 119. Marriages 8. Burials, 4. Sunday Schools, 1. Teachers, (m. 2, f. 5), 7. Other officers (m. 2, f. 2), 4. Scholars 70. Total teachers, officers, and scholars, 77. S. S. Library books, 315.

Value of church building \$1,000. Chapel \$400. Lots upon which church stands \$500. Total \$4,900.

Receipts—Communion alms, \$21.16. Subscriptions, \$67 5.00. Offerings, \$113 84. Parish Aid Societies, Guilds etc., \$285.00. Sunday school, \$42.36. Total \$1,137.36.

Expenditures—Parochial: Current expenses, \$90. Repairs etc., \$160. Payment of debts, \$50. Rector's salary paid \$750. S. School expense etc., \$31.36. S. School offering to mission, \$11.00. Total, \$1,092.86. Diocesan—Council fund, \$5. Bishop's salary, \$15. Diocesan Missionary Board Fund, \$25. Total, \$15.00. Grand total, \$1,137.36.

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

My connection with St. Paul's Parish Owatonna, as Lay Reader in charge, commenced on Jan. 27th, 1889, as successor to Rev. R. E. Metcalf, resigned. I have not his report of last year for a guide, but this is a correct report of the present condition of the parish.

Very Respectfully Yours.

C. EDGAR HAUPPT.

Paynesville. Population (Estimated) 600, Stearns County; S. STEPHEN'S CHURCH; The Rev. D. T. BOOTH, Priest in Charge, (P. O. Seventh street, Willmar); ANGUS HAINES, T. H. WATSON, Wardens; WM. HAINES, Treas.; A. T. WATSON, Clerk of Vestry; ANGUS HAINES, S. S. Supt.; CHARLES BALDWIN FOSBROKE, Lay Reader.

Pews free. No. sittings, 200. Lay Reader's salary, \$300. No. families, 12. Individuals; 75. Baptisms (inf.) 2. Confirmations, 4; added by confirmation, 4; added by transfer and otherwise, 6; Total 10. Present No. (m. 7, f. 3) 10. Communicating during year (m. 7, f. 3) 10. Holy Communion administered, public, 7. Public services (Sundays 95, other days 15) 110. Sunday schools, 1. Teachers (m. 1, f. 3) 4. Other officers (m) 1. Scholars (m 10, f 15) 25. Total teachers, officers and scholars, 30.

Value of Church building, \$2,700. Lots upon which church stands, \$100. Total, \$2,800.

Indebtedness, \$1,502.

Receipts—Communion Alms, \$14.38. Subscriptions, \$1,042.55. Donations, \$91.64. Offerings, \$163.36. Parish aid societies, guilds, etc., \$139. Sunday School, \$73.1. Total, \$1,428.24.

Expenditures—Parochial: Church building, \$2,700; Lay Reader's salary paid, \$315.93; S. School expense, \$12; Total, \$3,027.93. General: Domestic Missions, \$2.31. Grand total, \$3,030.24.

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

I herewith present my report for the past year for St. Stephen's parish, Paynesville, Stearns county. During this time the parish has been duly organized and incorporated. A lot has been secured and a Church building erected thereon in which services are now being held. The opening services were held by Assistant Bishop Gilbert on May 17. Previous to this all the services were held in a public hall. Morning and evening services and Sunday school have been held on every Sunday since last June by our faithful lay reader, Charles Baldwin Fosbroke, in conjunction with myself as missionary in charge. Mr. Fosbroke also held services at Union Grove, Eden Valley and New London.

D. T. BOOTH, Missionary at Willmar.

Perham, Population 1,000, Otter Tail County; CHURCH OF THE REDEEMER, The Rev. E. STEELE PEAKE, Rector, (P. O., Detroit); FREDERIC CLAYDON, HENRY PLOWMAN, Wardens; A. J. SHOREY, Treas.

Pews free. No. sittings, 120. Rector's salary, \$100. No. families, 12. Individuals, 45. Baptisms (inf.) 1. Confirmations (m. 1, f. 2) 3. Confirmed persons, last report, 11; added by confirmation, 3. Total, 14. Lost by death, 1. Present No. (m. 4, f. 9) 13. Communicants (m. 4, f. 9) 13. Communicating during year (m. 4, f. 6) 10. Holy Communion administered, (public) 5. Public services (Sundays 18, other days 6) 24. Burials, 2.

Value of Church building, \$1,800; lots upon which Church stands, \$400. Total, \$2,200.

Receipts—Communion alms, \$35.06; Subscriptions, \$45.50. Donations, \$44; Church Building Fund, \$127 57; Total \$252.13.

Expenditures—Parochial: Current expenses, \$7 50; Furnishing Church and Chancel, \$29.99; For Church building, \$127.57. Diocesan: Diocesan Missionary Board Fund, \$3.61; Bishop of Florida, \$1.46. Grand total, \$170.13.

Donations: from Miss Elizabeth A. Cartwright, of Sing Sing, New York: A carved black walnut lectern and Oxford Bible, in memoriam George Parker Peake. Also from the same, altar covering of red.

From ladies of the Church Altar Society, in Boston, one fine linen altar cover.

From Frederic Claydon, material, books, and cash to building fund, \$50.

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

The Church of The Redeemer at Perham was consecrated by the Assistant Bishop, the Rt. Rev. M. N. Gilbert, D. D., on the 29th day of July, 1888, the Rev. George E. S. an and the Rev. T. E. Dickey assisting in the service. The Church is insured for three years for

\$1,000. It is the only building in which Divine worship is regularly celebrated in the English language in the town. It is of great importance that the service here be continuously sustained. Very Respectfully. E. STEELE PRAKE.

Pine Island, Population 800, Goodhue County; GRACE CHURCH. S. B. PURVES, Lay Reader. (P. O. Faribault.)

Pews free. No. Sittings, 200. Rector's salary, \$50 for two months. No. families, 15. Individuals, 80. Baptisms (inf. 3, ad. 1), 9. Confirmations, f. 2. Added by confirmation, 2. Present No. confirmed persons (m. 3, f. 12), 15. Communicants (m. 1, f. 11), 12. Communicating during year (m. 1, f. 9), 10. Holy Communion administered, pub. 1. Public services, Sundays, 14. Burials, 1.

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

Enclosed are a few items for report. Could Pine Island and Zumbrota have a clergyman, I think the church at both places would grow. Many of the church people have moved away and the people feel discouraged. STUART B. PURVES.

Point Douglas, Population 150, Washington County; S. PAUL'S CHURCH, The Rev. JNO. W. PROSSER in charge, (Minneapolis P. O.) JAMES SHEARER, Sr., A. NICOLL, Jr., Wardens; ORAS. HENRY, Treasurer; JOHN H. HONE, Clk. Vestry; CHAS. HENRY, Lay Reader.

Pews free. No. sittings, 102. No. families, 9. Individuals, 94. Baptisms (inf. 2 ad. 1), 3. Confirmations (m. 3, f. 3), 6, added by confirmation, 6. Present No. confirmed, 26. Communicants (m. 9, f. 19), 28. Communicating during year (m. 9, f. 19), 28. Holy Communion administered, 8. Public services, Sundays, 11. Sunday schools, 1. Teachers, f. 2. Scholars, 20. Total teachers, officers and scholars, 22.

Value of Church building, \$900. Lots upon which church stands, \$200. Total, \$1,100. Receipts—Offerings, \$16.91. Parish Aid Societies, Guilds, etc., \$12.60. Total, \$29.51. Expenditures—Parochial: Rector's salary paid, \$16.91. Diocesan: Council Fund, 50c. Bishop's salary, \$3. Other mission work, \$2.30. Total, \$5.80. Grand total \$22.74.

RE. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

By request of the Assistant Bishop I have been officiating at this church once each month, since September, '88. JNO. W. PROSSER.

Red Wing, Population, 7,000, Goodhue County; CHRIST CHURCH, The Rev. C. H. PLUMMER, Rector; The Rev. E. E. EDWARDS, Ph. D., Asst. Minister; E. T. WILDER, J. C. PIERCE, Wardens; E. T. WILDER, Treasurer; F. JOSS, Clk. Vestry; Rector, S. S. Supt.

Pews free. No. sittings, 460 to 550. Rector's salary \$1,200. No. families, 125. Individuals, 500. Baptisms (inf. 30, ad. 6), 36. Confirmations (m. 19, f. 20), 39. Confirmed persons, last report, 259, added by confirmation, 35, added by transfer and otherwise, 7. Total, 301. Lost by death, 5. Lost by transfer and otherwise, 17. Total lost, 22. Present No. (m. 97, f. 182), 279 plus 25 Indian communicants, suburban. Communicating during year, 219. Holy Communion administered (pub. 35, private, 3), 38. Public services, 288. Marriages, 11. Churchings, 2. Burials, 21. Sunday schools, 1. Teachers (m. 2, f. 10), 18. Other officers, 3. Scholars (m. 60, f. 100), 160. Total teachers, officers and scholars, 181. Catechisings often, 8. S. S. Library books, 200.

Value of Church building, \$25,000. Chapel, \$1,000. Rectory, \$4,000. Grounds and other property, \$5,000. Total, \$35,000.

Receipts—Communion alms, \$56.15. Subscriptions, \$1200. Donations (for tower fund), \$1,310.50. From endowment, \$140. Offerings, \$542. Parish Aid Societies, Guilds, etc., \$403.95. Sunday school, \$72.25. Diocesan assessments, \$280. For music, \$200. Special offerings as per expenditure, \$294.65. Total, \$3,501.50.

Expenditures—Parochial: Current expenses, \$477. Repairs, \$220. Cushions for church, \$304.15. Rector's salary paid, \$1,200. S. School expense, \$64.50. Poor (charitable work), \$56.15. Music, \$200. Total, \$2,521.80. Diocesan: Council Fund, \$30. Bishop's salary, \$100. Diocesan Missionary Board Fund, \$150. Other mission work, \$13. Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund, \$11. Diocesan Education (Seabury Divinity School), \$18. Sheltering Arms, \$11. Total, \$363. General: Domestic missions, \$37.50. Foreign missions, \$37.50. Woman's Auxiliary, \$101.80. American Church Building Fund, \$10.25. Miscellaneous, \$16.15. For Jews, \$16.70. Indian missions, \$3.35. Deaf mutes, \$5. Yellow fever, Jacksonville, \$41.50. Missions south, \$13.70. Total, \$413.45. Grand total, \$3,198.25.

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

E. E. Edwards, Ph. D., lately a minister in the Methodist Society, studied with me during the winter, and acted as lay reader until his ordination in this church on May 12th. Since which time he has been my assistant.

Rice's Station, Population 100, Benton County; The Rev. C. A. CUMMINGS, Missionary. (P. O. St. Cloud.)

Families, 2. Individuals, 11. Public services, weekdays, 10. Offerings, \$16.24, which were paid missionary. There is no Church organization, only monthly services, Wednesday evenings, which I expect to discontinue.

Richwood, Population 75, Becker County; HOLY APOSTLE'S CHURCH.

The Rev. J. A. GILFILLAN, Priest in charge, (P. O. White Earth).

Families, 6. Individuals, 29. Baptisms (inf.) 1. Confirmed persons, 17. Communicating during year (m. 5, f. 11), 16. Holy Communion, 3. Public services (Sundays, 25; other days, 2), 27.

Value church building, \$600.

Receipts—Offerings, \$17.27.

Expenditures—Bishop Gilbert's special needs fund, \$2. Japan Missions, \$15.27. Total, \$17.27.

Rochester, Population 5,000, Olmstead County; CALVARY CHURCH. The

Rev. W. W. FOWLER, Rector; Prospect St. Hon. HENRY C. BUTLER,

J. EASTON BOWERS, M. D., Wardens; GEO. D. PARMELE, Treas; W.

LOGAN BRAKENRIDGE, Clk. Vestry; MRS. MARTHA, J. BUTLER, S. S.

Supt.

Pews free. No. Sittings, 200. Rector's salary, \$1,000. No. families, 63. Individuals, 88. Baptisms (inf. 7, ad. 7), 14. Confirmations (f.) 3. Added by confirmation, 3. Added by transfer and otherwise, 10. Total, 13. Present No. (m. 11, f. 80), 91. Communicants (m. 11, f. 80), 91. Communicating during year (m. 7, f. 59), 66. Holy Communion administered, pub. 8. Public services (Sundays, 14; other days, 4), 18. Burials, 2. Sunday schools, 1. Teachers (m. 1, f. 8), 9. Other officers (f.) 1. Scholars (m. 33, f. 29), 62. Total teachers, officers and scholars, 72. Catechisings, 4. S. S. Library books, 300.

Value of church building, \$5,000. Rectory, \$1,500. Total, \$6,500.

Receipts—Offerings, \$43.90. Parish Aid Societies, Guilds, etc., \$345.36. Sunday school, \$70. Total, \$1,059.26.

Expenditures—Parochial: Current expenses, \$46.92. Repairs, \$151.58. Other expenses, \$45.74. Total, \$244.24. Diocesan: Council Fund, \$10.50. Bishop's salary, \$15. Diocesan Missionary Board Fund, \$18. Other mission work, \$20.30. Hospitals, \$15. Total, \$78.80. General: Domestic Missions, \$8.84. Foreign Missions, \$8.83. Total, \$7.67. Grand total, \$1,059.26.

T. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

During the year ending May 31, 1899, I have been engaged in Church work as follows: assistant minister Gethsemane church, Minneapolis, Minn., administering the sacraments of the church, preaching and doing such other duty as was assigned me by the rector. The Monday in Easter week I entered upon the discharge of my obligations as rector of Calvary Church, Rochester.

The above report is as perfect as I could make it, having been obliged to gather much of the information from scattered sources. The report of public services and Holy Communion administered, dates from the Monday in Easter week.

Faithfully yours,

W. W. FOWLER.

Rockford, Wright County; BRECK MEMORIAL CHAPEL, The Rev. FRANK

R. MILLSAUGH Priest in Charge, (Minneapolis P. O.); J. BENNER Warden; ANDREW H. ADAMS, Lay Reader.

No. families, 17. Individuals, 60. Baptisms (inf. 5, ad. 2), 7. Confirmations, (m. 1, f. 7), 8. Confirmed persons, last report, 28, added by Confirmation, 8. Lost by death, 1. Lost by transfer and otherwise, 3. Total lost, 4. Present No. (m. 12, f. 20), 32. Communicants, 32. Communicating during year, 30. Holy Communion administered, 4. Public services, (Sundays 11, other days 10), 21. Sunday schools, 1. Teachers (m. 1, f. 3), 2. Scholars 25. Total Teachers, Officers, and Scholars, 29. catechings, 2.

Receipts—Subscriptions, \$18.00. Offerings, \$33.17. Sunday School, \$10.00. Total, \$61.17.

Expenditures—Parochial: Current expenses, \$51.00. S. School expense, \$10. Total, \$61.00. Diocesan: Other Mission work, \$5.00. Grand total, \$66.17.

T. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

The Lord has wonderfully helped his work here. Beside the spiritual a material temple is in process of building. The foundation of a church is finished—the corner stone is laid on June 7th, by the assistant Bishop. There is a subscription which with what I have been enabled to supplement will complete the church, we hope to have you consecrate in September of this year.

Obediently,

FRANK R. MILLSAUGH.

Rosemount, Population, 350; Dakota County; A MISSION. Served from Seabury.

Rector's salary, \$180. No. families, 6. Individuals, 24. Communicants, 13. Public services, Sundays, 7.

Receipts—Subscriptions, \$35.

REV. AND DEAR SIR:

Divine services are held in the German Methodist Church.

Royalton, Population 900; Morrison County: GRACE CHURCH, The
Rev. C. A. CUMMINGS, Rector, (St. Cloud P. O.) H. F. GILBERT, RALPH
JUDGE, Wardens; O. H. HOVIL, Treas., and Clerk Vestry; T. W. MANX,
S. S. Supt

Pews free. No. sittings, 100. No. families, 29. Individuals, 96. Baptisms (inf. 1, ad. 8), 6. Confirmations (m. 2, f. 7), 9. Confirmed persons, last report, 14, added by Confirmation, 9, added by transfer and otherwise, 1. Total 10. Lost by transfer and otherwise, 1. Present No. (m. 4, f. 19), 23. Communicants (m. 1, f. 19), 20. Communicating during year, about 18. Holy Communion, administered, 6. Public services, week days, 38. Sunday Schools, 1. Teachers (m. 1, f. 4), 5. Other officers (m. 2, f. 3), 5. Scholars (m. 25, f. 41), 66. Total teachers, officers and scholars, 76. Catechisms, 2. Value of Church building, \$1,200. Lots upon which church stands, \$200. Total, \$1,400. Receipts—Communion Alms, \$2. Subscriptions, \$54.95. Offerings, \$53.79. Parish Aid Societies, Guilds, etc. \$125.06. Sunday-School, \$12.65. S. S. Lenten offering, \$3.76. Total, \$287.23.

Expenditures—Parochial: Current expenses, 21.40. Church building, \$51.50. Rector's salary paid \$54.95. S. School expenses, \$29.87. Poor (Charitable work) \$2. Other expenses, \$20. Total, \$179.72. Diocesan: Council fund, \$1. Bishop's salary, \$3. Diocesan Missionary Fund, \$4. Other Mission work, \$5. Total, \$13. General: Domestic Missions, \$1.89. Foreign Missions, \$1.89. Total, \$3.78. Grand Total, \$201.50.

Rushford, Population, 1200, Fillmore County; EMMANUEL CHURCH, The
Rev. S. BRITCHARD, Rector. A. E. HAZZARD, H. M. SMITH, Wardens;
H. M. SMITH, Treas.; W. E. COLBURN, Clk. Vestry; Mrs. G. G. STEVENS,
S. S. Supt.; A. E. HAZZARD, Lay Reader.

Pews free. No. sittings, 150. Rector's salary, \$200. No. families, about 20. Individuals, nearly 100. Baptisms (inf., 2, ad., 10), 12. Confirmations (m. 1, f. 12) 13. Added by confirmation, 13. Lost by death, 1. Lost by transfer and otherwise, 2. Total lost, 1. Present No., 40. Communicants (m. 5, f. 35), 40. Communicating during year, 25. Holy Communion administered, 12. Public services, 61. Marriages, 3. Burials, 5. Sunday Schools, 1. Teachers (m. 2, f. 8), 10. Other officers (m. 1, f. 1), 2. Scholars (m. 25, f. 43), 76. Total teachers, officers and scholars, 82. S. S. library books, 50.

Value of Church building, \$1,200. Lots upon which Church stands, \$300. Total, \$1,500. Receipts—Balance from last report, \$15.83. Subscriptions, \$252.25. Offerings, \$118.66. Sunday School, \$20. Total, \$406.74.

Expenditures—Parochial: Current expenses, \$30. Repairs, \$25.90. Rector's salary paid, \$200. S. School expense, \$25. Poor (Charitable work), \$4.10. Total, \$345. Diocesan: Council Fund, \$3. Bishop's salary, \$10. Diocesan Missionary Board fund, \$11. Bishop Gilbert for his Special Needs Fund, \$10.50. Total, \$34.50. General: American Church Building Fund, \$3.25. Bishop Weed for yellow fever sufferers, \$5.20. Total, \$43.65. Grand Total, \$391.95.

Sauk Center, Population 2,000; Stearns County; GOOD SAMARITAN
CHURCH: The Rev. J. F. HAMILTON, Rector; C. R. TUBBS, W. S. DEAR,
Wardens; STUART TAYLOR, Treas; H. T. ALDEN, Clk. Vestry; STUART
TAYLOR, S. S. Supt.

Pews free. No. sittings, 194. Rector's salary, \$500. No. families, 42. Individuals, 105. Baptisms, (inf. 9, ad. 6), 15. Confirmations, (m. 3, f. 11) 14. Confirmed persons, last report, 40; added by confirmation, 14; added by transfer and otherwise, 3. Total, 17. Lost by transfer and otherwise, 1. Present No. (m. 16, f. 40) 56. Communicants (m. 16, f. 40) 56. Communicating during year, (m. 7, f. 31) 38. Holy communion administered, pub., 12. Public services, (Sundays, 66; other days, 57) 123. Marriages, 1. Burials, 2. Sunday schools, 1. Teachers, (m. 3, f. 5) 8. Other officers, m. 1. Scholars, (m. 39, f. 54) 93. Total teachers, officers and scholars, 102. S. S. library books, 190.

Value of Church building, Rectory and lots upon which Church stands, \$4,000. Indebtedness—\$25. Receipts—Subscriptions, \$381.75; Offerings, \$192.81; Parish Aid Societies, Guilds, etc. \$145; Sunday school, \$32.43; Special offerings, \$77.54; Total, \$829.53.

Expenditures—Parochial: Current expenses, \$113.35; Repairs, \$51.85; Rector's salary paid, \$500; S. School expense, \$72.43; Insurance, \$10; Total, \$747.63. Diocesan: Council fund, \$8.00; Bishop's salary, \$12.00; Diocesan Missionary Board fund, \$18.00; Aged and Infirm Clergy, \$4.75; Total, \$37.75. General: American Church building fund, \$6.24; Yellow fever sufferers, \$35.10; Mission to Jews, \$2.81; Total, \$44.15. Grand total, \$829.53.

We have heretofore devoted the Easter offerings of the congregation and the Lenten and Easter offerings of the Sunday school to missions. This year we were compelled to use these for purchasing books for the Sunday school.

auk Rapids; Population 800, Benton County; GRACE CHURCH, The
Rev. C. A. CUMMINGS, Rector. (St. Cloud P. O.) C. G. Wood, G. S.
 RUDER, Wardens. G. S. RUDER, Treas. SAM'L ELLIS, M. D., Clk. Vestry.
 Pews free. No. sittings, 140. No. families, 20. Individuals, 71. Baptisms inf., 3.
 Confirmations (m. 1, f. 1) 2. Confirmed persons, last report, 38, added by Confirmation, 2.
 Total, 40. Lost by transfer and otherwise, 5. Present No. (m. 8, f. 27) 35. Communi-
 cants (m. 8, f. 23) 31. Communicating during year (m. 4, f. 26) 30. Holy Communion
 administered, 12. Public services (Sundays, 52, other days, 14), 76. Marriages, 1. Burials, 2.
 Sunday Schools, 1. Teachers (m. 1, f. 1), 2. Other officers, 1. Scholars (m. 4, f. 20), 24.
 Total teachers, officers and scholars, 27.
 Value of Church buildings, \$1,800. Lots upon which the Church stands, \$200. Total,
 \$2,000.

Indebtedness, \$500.00.

Receipts—Donations, \$107. Offerings, \$98.50. Parish Aid Societies, Guilds, etc.,
\$64.51. Entertainments, \$10. Total, \$280.01.

Expenditures—Parochial: Current expenses, \$45.31. Payment of debts, \$107. Rector's
salary paid, \$108.50. Total, \$260.81. Diocesan: Council Fund, \$2. Bishop's Salary, \$3.
Diocesan Missionary Board Fund, \$5. Total, \$10. Grand total, \$270.87.

Shakopee, Population 2,300, Scott County; S. PETER'S CHURCH. The
Rev. F. H. POTTS, Rector; W. A. COLE, Senior Warden; E. SOUTHWORTH,
Treas; C. C. STORER, Clk. Vestry; RECTOR, S. S. Supt.

Pews free. No. sittings, 200. Rector's salary, \$500. No. families, 25. Individuals
 10. Baptisms (inf.), 9. Confirmations (f.) 2. Confirmed persons, last report, 39. Added
 by Confirmation, 2. Total, 41. Lost by transfer and otherwise, 4. Total lost, 4. Present
 No. (m. 14, f. 23), 37. Communicants (m. 11, f. 23), 34. Communicating during year,
 m. 10, f. 23), 33. Holy Communion administered, pub. 20. Public services (Sundays,
 15; other days, 43), 118. Burials, 8. Sunday schools, 1. Teachers (m. 1, f. 2), 3. Other
 officers, 3. Scholars (m. 5, f. 14), 19. Total teachers, officers and scholars, 22. Catechis-
 ings, 24. S. S. Library books, 70.

Value of church building, \$1,500. Rectory, \$2,000. Lot upon which church stands,
 \$500. Total, \$4,000.

Indebtedness—\$161.19. (Note in Bank, \$109.69. Sidewalk, \$51.50.)

Receipts—Offerings, \$416.38. Parish Aid Societies, Guilds, etc., \$198. Sunday school
\$18.34. Total, \$632.72.

Expenditures—Parochial: Current expenses, \$50.15. Payment of debts, \$15. Rec-
tor's salary paid, \$500. S. School expense, \$15.83. Mission work in parish, \$4.02.
Total, \$587. Diocesan: Council fund, \$5.00. Bishop's salary, \$10.00. Aged and infirm
clergy fund, \$7.57. Bishop's special fund, \$3.45. Arrears special fund, \$5.00. Diocesan
Missionary, \$5.10. Total, \$39.02. General: Domestic missions, \$5.50. For the Jews,
\$1.20. Total, \$6.70. Grand total, \$632.72.

Skyberg, Population *150, Goodhue County; MISSION. The Rev. WM ST
J. CRICKMER, Rector; (The Rectory, Kenyon P. O.) ALEXANDER MCCAD-
DEN, Warden; JOHN GATZKEE, Treas; JOHN MCCADDEN, Clk. Vestry.

No. families, *12. Individuals, *30. Baptisms (inf.) 1. Confirmations (m.) 4. Pres-
 ent No. confirmed persons (m.) 4. Public services (Sundays, 11; other days, 1), 12.

*Approximate figures.

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

I beg to say that I have filled out this report without the aid of a previous one; this
 being the first one sent in. The farmers of Skyberg contribute to the keeping of my horse,
 as payment for my services. I have been holding regular services there every other Sunday
 afternoon since December 2nd of last year.

Yours Respectfully,

WM. ST. J. CRICKMER.

Slayton, Population 400, Murray County; S. JOHN'S CHURCH, The Rev
C. S. WARE, Rector, (P. O. Worthington); H. G. C. MACREDIE, Treas.

Pews free. No. sittings, 40. Rector's salary, \$48. No. families, 3. Individuals, 9.
 Baptisms (inf.) 3. Confirmations (f.) 1. Confirmed persons, last report, 9; added by con-
 firmation, 1; added by transfer and otherwise, 1; total, 11. Lost by transfer and otherwise,
 2. Present No. (m. 2, f. 7) 9. Communicants (m. 3, f. 6) 9. Communicating during year
 (m. 3, f. 6) 9. Holy Communion administered (pub.) 7. Public services, other days, 7.
 Churchings, 1.

Value of Church building, \$500.

Receipts—Subscriptions, \$15; Officers, \$14; Total, \$29.

Expenditures—Parochial: Rector's salary paid, \$28.

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

Slayton was not assigned to me for the past year. I have made them a monthly visita-
 tion, as I did not wish the work entirely abandoned. No Sunday services have been held,
 as my time is taken elsewhere. No appropriation was made for Slayton by the Missionary
 Board, consequently they were not assessed for the funds.

Faithfully and obediently yours,

C. S. WARE.

Spring Valley, Population 1,500, Fillmore County: S. PAUL'S CHURCH.
 The Rev. THOS. K. ALLEN, Rector, (No. 133 South 4th St., La Crosse, Wis.); C. G. EDWARDS, Warden; STEPHEN LOBBILL, Clerk.

No. families, 7. Individuals, 35. Present No. confirmed persons (m. 3, f. 9) 12. Communicants (m. 3, f. 9) 12. Communicating during year (f.) 8. Holy Communion administered (pub.) 2. Public services (Sundays 3, other days 2) 5.

Receipts—Offerings for Rector's salary, \$35; Council Fund, \$1; Diocesan Missions, \$1; Bishop's salary, \$1; Total, \$38.

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

I have held services in Preston, Fillmore county, and in Hartford, Winona county, during the past year with good results and encouragement.

Faithfully,

THOS. K. ALLEN.

Stillwater, Population 18,000, Washington County: ASCENSION CHURCH

The Rev. ANDREW D. STOWE, Rector, No. 212 W. Cherry St. ROBERT SLAUGHTER, WILLIAM G. BRONSON, Wardens; H. E. SMITH, Treas.; H. E. SMITH, Clk. Vestry: H. E. SMITH, S. S. Supt.

Pews free. No. sittings, 300. Rector's salary, \$1,200. No. families, 105. Individuals, 386. Baptisms, (inf. 23, ad. 31) 54. Confirmations, (m. 19, f. 37) 56. Confirmed persons, last report, 71; added by confirmation, 56; added by transfer and otherwise, 8; Total, 135. Present No., 135. Communicants, 125. Communicating during year, 125. Holy communion administered, (pub., 30; private, 1) 31. Public services, (Sundays, 96; other days, 90) 186. Marriages, 3. Burials, 10. Sunday schools, 1. Teachers, (m. 1, f. 9) 10. Other officers, (m. 1, f. 1) 5. Scholars, (m. 45, f. 55) 100. Total teachers, officers and scholars, 113. Catechisms, 34. S. S. Library books, 90.

Value of Church building, \$15,000; Rectory, \$2,000; Lots upon which church stands, \$1,000; Total, \$23,000.

Indebtedness: \$2,500.

Receipts. Balance from last report, \$319.83; Communion alms, \$91.47; Subscriptions, \$766.49; Offerings, \$298.73; Parish aid society, \$129.41; Sunday school, \$232.44; Special subscriptions, (p. p.) \$170; Rent Parsonage, \$180; For yellow fever sufferers, \$15.49; Woman's Auxiliary, \$69.55; Ascension Church Guild \$184.15; Total, \$1,661.00.

Expenditures. Parochial: Current expenses, \$1,750.70; Payment of debts, \$270.89; Rector's salary paid, \$1,200; S. School expense, \$190.46; Poor (charitable work), \$29.77; Church mission work in Parish, \$10.50; Other expenses, \$485.01; Total, \$3,497.13. Diocesan: Council fund, \$20; Bishop's salary, \$90; Diocesan missionary board fund, \$9; Other mission work, \$21.20; Aged and infirm clergy fund, \$21.42; Sheltering Arms, \$3; Diocesan auxiliary, \$25; Bp. Gilbert's S. N. E., \$27.25; Total, \$237.87. General: Woman's Auxiliary, \$69.55; Total, \$69.55. Grand Total, \$1,291.85.

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

Results: the above a very large charitable work has been done by the ladies of the Parish among the poor of the city—their share doubtless reaching \$250—through the "King's Daughters," also a very nice package, the work of the ladies, during Lent, was sent to the "Sheltering Arms," which was very much appreciated, as shown by the letter of acceptance. Memorial and other furniture, altar hangings for Easter, and hymn board, aggregating at least \$200, have been placed in the Church during the year, by devoted members of the Parish, making the total receipts \$5,164.09.

St. Charles, Population 1,000, Winona County: TRINITY CHURCH, The

Rev. JOSEPH J. HILLMER Rector, (P.O. 203 E. King, Winona); H. C. PARSONS, J. C. WOODARD, G. HAM, Bishops Committee; The Rector S. S. Supt., G. HAM, Treas.

Pews free. No. sittings, 125. Rector's salary, \$110.00. No. families, 15. Individuals, 47. Baptisms, (inf. 11, ad. 4) 15. Confirmations, (m.) 4. Confirmed persons, last report, 26; added by confirmation, 4. Total, 30. Lost by death, 1. Lost by transfer and otherwise, 6. Total, 35. Present No. (m. 8, f. 15), 23. Communicants, (m. 6, f. 13), 19. Communicating during year, (m. 3, f. 12), 17. Holy Communion administered, (pub. 4; private, 1), 5. Public services, (Sundays, 33; other days, 1), 34. Marriages, 2. Burials, 2. Sunday schools, 2. Teachers, (m. 1, f. 2), 3. Scholars, (m. 5, f. 12), 17. Total Teachers, Officers, and Scholars, 20. Catechisms, 20. S. S. Library books, 50.

Value of church building, \$2,500.00. Lots upon which church stands, \$300.00. Total, \$2,800.00.

Receipts. Subscriptions, \$125. Offerings, \$5.50. Sunday School \$10. Total, \$140.50. *Expenditures.* Parochial: Rector's salary paid, \$110.00. S. School expenses, \$10.00. Other expenses, \$2.00. Total, 122.00. Diocesan: Bishop's salary, \$5.00. Diocesan Missionary board fund, \$1.50. Total, \$8.50. Grand total, \$130.50.

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

We hold regular services every alternate Sunday at Minneiska in the Methodist Church. There are but few church members in this place, but my services are attended by a congregation who sincerely appreciate the same. Yours Faithfully,

J. J. HILLMER

t. Cloud, Population 10,000, Stearns County; S. JOHN'S Church;
The Rev. C. A. CUMMINGS, Rector, No. 396, Third avenue south;
WM. POWELL, F. TOLMAN, Wardens; C. F. LAMB, Treas.; C. F. LAMB,
Clk. Vestry; F. TOLMAN, S. S. Supt.; F. TOLMAN, Lay Reader.

Pews free. No. sittings, 125. Rector's salary, \$300. No. families, 63. Individuals, 72. Baptisms, inf. 6. Confirmations (m. 1, f. 6) 7. Confirmed persons, last report, 111. Added by confirmation, 7. Added by transfer and otherwise, 4. Total, 129. Lost by death, 2. Lost by transfer and otherwise, 4. Total lost, 6. Present No., m. 31, f. 89) 121. Communicants (m. 21, f. 78) 101. Communicating during year, m. 22, f. 87) 101. Holy communion administered (pub. 32, private 2) 34. Public services (Sundays 116, other days 2) 142. Marriages 5. Burials, 7. Sunday schools, 1. Teachers (m. 1, f. 9) 10. Other officers, m. 2. Scholars (m. 35, f. 35) 70. Total teachers, officers, and scholars, 82. Catechisings, 10.

Value of Church building, \$1,600. Rectory, \$1,600. Lots upon which church stands \$2,000. Grounds and other property, \$2,000. Total, \$7,200.

Receipts—Communion alms, \$48.12. Subscriptions, \$329.21. Offerings, \$494.42. Parish aid societies, guilds, etc., \$220.97. Woman's Auxiliary, \$17.05. Total, \$1,409.77.

Expenditures—Parochial: Current expenses, \$123.16. Rector's salary paid, \$300. Poor (charitable work) \$5. Other expenses, \$24.68. Total, \$1,052.81. Diocesan: Council fund, \$7. Bishop's salary, \$22. Diocesan missionary board fund, \$35. Other mission work, \$35. Aged and infirm clergy fund, \$7.73. Total, \$106.73. General: Domestic missions, \$13.63. Foreign missions, \$13.62. Woman's Auxiliary, \$17.05. American Church building fund, \$11.51. Bible and prayer book society, \$1.75. Miscellaneous, \$13. Total, \$70.59. Grand total, \$1,230.16.

St. James, Population 1000, Watonwan County; CALVARY CHURCH; The Rev. D. GRIFFIN GUNN, Missionary. (P. O., Wilder.)

Pews free. No. sittings, 100. Rector's salary, offerings, \$25. No. families, 6. Individuals, 30. Added by transfer and otherwise, 5. Total, 5. Lost by death, 1. Total lost, 10. Present No. (m. 3, f. 5) 8. Communicating during year, 8. Holy communion administered, pub. 4. Pub. Services Sundays 22.

Value of church building, \$1,200. Lots upon which church stands, \$200. Total, \$1,400.

Receipts—Communion alms for salary. Offerings, \$25. For putting in glass broken by tramps, \$1.50. Assistant bishop's offering, \$10; for sidewalk, \$11.50. Total, \$51.50.

Expenditures—Parochial: Building, \$1.50. Rector's salary paid, \$25. Sidewalk which includes Bp. Gilbert's \$10 and glass put in, \$25.50. Diocesan: Bishop's salary, \$2. Diocesan missionary board fund, \$3. Grand Total, \$51.50.

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

Since last report, the removals from this place still continue until we have left only six families; two of these old, four new. The church is in good condition: kept in perfect order by Mrs. Peabody, without pay, in grateful remembrance of a kindness done her by members of our congregation. The services have been kept up regularly by the missionary during the year, on the 4th Sunday of each month, except when broken into by accident on the track at St. James, when I was laid up for four weeks. The congregations are better and interest is increasing.

Faithfully yours,

D. GRIFFIN GUNN.

St. Paul, Ramsey County: ASCENSION CHURCH, The Rev. J. H. LLOYD, Rector, No. 497, Greenwood av., St. Paul; WILLIAM K. DIXON, JAMES STABKEY, Wardens; JOHN DALE, Treas., F. L. BAYARD, Clk. Vestry; J. H. LLOYD, S. S. Supt.

Pews free. No. sittings, 150. Rectors salary, \$1,200. No. families, 100. Individuals, 150. Baptisms, (inf. 14, ad. 8) 22. Confirmations, (f.) 12, added by confirmation, 12, added by transfer and otherwise, 3. Total 81. Lost by transfer and otherwise, 4. Present No. (m. 23, f. 55) 77. Communicants (m. 22, f. 55) 77. Communicating during year, 65. Holy communion administered (pub.) 30. Public services, (Sundays, 156, other days, 102), 258. Marriages, 3. Burials, 6. Sunday schools, 1. Teachers, m. 2, f. 9) 10. Other officers, (m. 2, f. 1), 3. Scholars, 60. Total teachers, Officers, and Scholars, 73.

Value of church building, \$2,000. Lots upon which church stands, \$3,000. Total, \$5,000.

Indebtedness—\$1,600.

Receipts—Subscriptions, \$75.70. Offerings, \$323.06. Parish Aid Societies, Guilds, etc., \$327.23. Sunday school, \$70.44. Total, \$1,672.43.

Expenditures—Parochial: Current expenses, \$74.85. Payment of debts, \$268.00. Rectors salary paid, \$12.50. School expense, \$55.82. Font by Guild, \$75.00. Interest on debt, \$112.15. Music, \$1.00. Total \$1,586.12. Diocesan: Council fund, \$5.00. Bishops salary, \$10.00. Diocesan Missionary Board fund, \$15.00. Other Mission work, \$10.00. Bishop special fund, \$10.75. Total, \$50.75. General: Domestic Missions by S. I., \$11.76. Foreign Missions by S. S., \$11.76. Total, \$23.52. Grand total, \$1,672.39.

St. Paul, Population estimated 175,000 Ramsey County; CHRIST CHURCH.
 The Rev. CHAS. D. ANDREWS, Rector, (155 W. 4th St.) The Rev. SIDNEY G. JEFFORD, Asst. Minister, (Merriam Park P. O.); REUBEN WARNER, JOHN Q. ADAMS, Wardens; JAMES BAILIE, S. S. Supt.; RUSSELL FREEMAN, Lay Reader.

Pews rented. No. sittings, 600. Rector's salary, \$3,000. Asst. Minister's salary, \$458.25. No. families, 360. Individuals (about) 1800. Baptisms (inf. 34, ad. 7), 41. Confirmations (m. 16, f. 18), 34. Confirmed persons, last report, 602. Added by confirmation, 34. Added by transfer and otherwise, 10. Total, 646. Lost by death, 1. Lost by transfer and otherwise, 12. Total lost, 13. Present No. 633. Communicants, 633. Communicating during year (about) 500. Holy Communion administered (pub. 80, private, 4), 84. Public services (Sundays, 230; other days, 180), 410. Marriages, 25. Burials, 15. Sunday schools, 1. Teachers (m. 7, f. 15), 22. Other officers (m.) 3. Scholars, 230. Total teachers, officers and scholars, 305. Catechisings, monthly. S. S. Library books, 300. Value of church building, \$20,000. Chapel, \$5,000. Rectory, \$10,000. Lot upon which church stands, \$10,000. Total, \$45,000.

Receipts—Communion Alms, \$521.37. Pew rents, \$5,624.79. Subscriptions, \$400. Offerings, \$1,965. Parish Aid Societies, Guilds, etc., \$2,070.79. Sunday school, \$366.62. From special collections, \$3,570.22. Total, \$15,448.69.

Expenditures—Parochial: Current expenses, \$5,843.57. Repairs, \$244.82. Rector's salary paid, \$3,000. Poor (charitable work), \$1,188.95. Church or mission work in parish \$71.60. Assistant Minister's salary, \$458.56. Special offering for city mission, \$547.77. Total, \$11,549.67. Diocesan: Council fund, \$45.00. Bishop's salary, \$200. Diocesan missionary board fund, \$350. Other mission work, \$120. Aged and infirm clergy fund, \$212.50. Diocesan education (Seabury divinity school), \$61.25. Sheltering Arms, \$30.00. Hospitals, St. Luke's, \$387.11. (collected in parish for sheltering arms, debt over \$100. Bishop's special need fund, \$120.53. Total, \$1,946.44. General: Domestic missions \$63.00. Foreign Missions, \$45.00. Miscellaneous, \$20.00. To Bishop Weed for yellow fever sufferers, \$130. Total, \$258. Grand total, \$13,734.11.

Rt. Rev. and Dear Sir:

The building of a new guild hall and parish house and improvements upon the parish church is to be begun immediately.

St. Paul, Population 175,000, Ramsey County; GOOD SHEPHERD CHURCH, The Rev. WILLIAM C. POPE, Rector, (No. 51 East 12th St.); GEORGE BELL, W. D. ARNOLD, Wardens; GEORGE BELL, Treas.; W. D. ARNOLD, Clk. Vestry; GEORGE BELL, S. S. Supt.

Pews free. No. sittings, 250. Rector's salary, \$747.56. No. families, 75. Individuals, 300. Baptisms (inf. 29, ad. 1) 30. Confirmations (m. 12, f. 4) 16. Confirmed persons, last report, 162; added by confirmation, 16; added by transfer and otherwise, 20; Total, 198. Lost by death, 2; lost by transfer and otherwise, 30; Total lost, 32. Present No. 166. Communicants (m. 69, f. 97) 166. Communicating during year (m. 52, f. 87) 139. Holy Communion administered (pub. 82, private 3) 85. Public services (Sundays 200, other days 850) 1,050. Marriages, 9. Churchings, 2. Burials, 13. Sunday schools, 1; Teachers (m. 3, f. 1) 6. Other officers (m. 1, f. 1) 2; Scholars (m. 25, f. 35) 60. Total teachers, officers and scholars, 68.

Value of Church building, \$3,000; Chapel, \$1,500; Rectory, \$10,000; lots upon which Church stands, \$30,000. Total, \$44,500.

Indebtedness, \$1,600.

Receipts—Balance from last report, \$101.36; Communion alms, \$1,052.06; Subscriptions, \$216; Offerings, \$309.68; Parish aid societies, guilds, etc., \$36.71; Sunday school, \$68.6; Borrowed, \$250; Total, \$2,004.48.

Expenditures—Parochial: Current expenses, \$613.69; Repairs, \$145.89; Payment of debts, \$30; Rector's salary paid, \$704.83; S. School expense, \$20.50; Poor (charitable work) \$5; Church or Mission Work in Parish, \$31.56; Other expenses, \$26.97; Total, \$1,934.44. Diocesan: Council Fund, \$6; Bishop's salary, \$20; Diocesan Missionary Board Fund, \$18; Diocesan Education (Seabury Divinity School) \$2.50; Sheltering arms, \$13.55; Total, \$30.65. General: Domestic Missions, \$22.83; Foreign Missions, \$12.28; Total, \$35.11. Grand total, \$2,079.60.

Church property vested in the Rector, Church Wardens and Vestrymen.

St. Paul, Ramsey County; S. JAMES' CHURCH, The Rev. SAMUEL MILLS, Missionary in Charge, (No. 741 East 5th St.); F. HICKS, Sr., WM. DUNLAP, Wardens; F. HICKS, Jr., Treas.; W. J. NOYES, Clk. Vestry; GEORGE KING, S. S. Supt.; WALTER KEEN, W. J. EVANS, Lay Readers.

Pews free. No. sittings, 100. No. families, 48. Individuals, 159. Baptisms, (inf. 8, ad. 1) 9. Confirmations (m. 2, f. 5) 7. Present No. confirmed persons, 45. Communicants, 40. Communicating during year, 40. Holy Communion administered (pub. 13, private 1) 14. Public services (Sundays 80, other days 12) 92. Marriages, 1. Burials, 2. Sunday school

Teachers, 4 Other officers, 2; Scholars, 80; Total teachers, officers and scholars, 85. Catechisings, 5.

Value of Chapel, \$500; lots upon which Chapel stands, \$2,500. Total, \$3,000.

Receipts—Communion alms, \$32.32; Subscriptions, \$37.25; Donations, \$3.05; Offerings, \$145.70; Parish aid societies, guilds, etc., \$10; Total, \$248.32.

Expenditures—Parochial: Current expenses, \$23.65; Repairs, \$6.63; Poor (charitable work) \$10; Church or Mission work in parish, \$1.10; Other expenses, \$9.30; City Mission Society, \$150; Bishop Gilbert's Fund, \$6; Total, \$266.68.

St. Paul, Merriam Park, Population 3,000, Ramsey County; S. MARY'S CHURCH, The Rev. SYDNEY G. JEFFORDS, Priest in Charge, (No 1944 St. Anthony Ave., Merriam Park); H. B. DUTCHER, ANDREW HENDERSON, M. D., Wardens; J. J. CORCORAN, Treas.; C. H. GIBBS, Clk. Vestry; H. M. HOOD, S. S. Supt.; H. M. HOOD, Lay Reader.

Pews free. No. sittings, 175. Rector's salary, \$440. No. families, 65. Individuals, 195. Baptisms (inf. & ad. 2) 11. Confirmations (m. 3, f. 7) 10. Confirmed persons, last report, 70; added by confirmation, 10; added by transfer and otherwise, 5; Total, 85. Lost by transfer and otherwise, 8. Present No. (m. 28, f. 49) 77. Communicants (m. 20, f. 49) 75. Communicating during year (m. 19, f. 46) 95. Holy Communion administered (pub.) 21. Public services (Sundays 52, other days 6) 58. Burials, 2. Sunday schools, 1; Teachers (m. 2, f. 5) 7; Other officers (m.) 3; Scholars (m. 12, f. 38) 50; Total teachers, officers and scholars, 60. Catechisings, 25. S. S. library books, 100.

Value of Church building, \$1,500; lots upon which Church stands, \$5,000; Total, \$9,500.

Indebtedness, \$1,400.

Receipts—Balance from last report, \$31.72; Subscriptions, \$335.75; Offering, \$229.86; Parish aid societies, guilds, etc., \$115; Sunday school, \$48.75; Entertainments and other sources, \$180.55; Total, \$941.63.

Expenditures—Parochial: Payment of debts, \$200; Rector's salary paid, \$440; S. School expense, \$53.17; Other expenses, \$218.46; Total, \$916.63. Diocesan: Bishop's salary, \$10; Diocesan Missionary Board Fund, \$15; Total, \$25. Grand total, \$941.63.

St. Paul, St. Anthony Park, Ramsey County; S. MATTHEW'S CHURCH, The Rev. SAMUEL MILLS, Minister in Charge, (No. 741 East 5th St.); J. H. SOUTHALL, J. C. TALBOT, Wardens; NEWMAN HALL, Clk. Vestry; J. H. SOUTHALL, S. S. Supt.

No. families, 26. Individuals, 67. Present No. confirmed persons, 27. Communicants, 25. Communicating during year, 25. Public services (Sundays 40, other days 2) 42. Marriages, 1.

Value of lots upon which Church is to stand, \$1,500.

Receipts—Subscriptions, \$161.11; Offerings, \$128.47; Parish aid societies, guilds, etc., \$165.63; Pledges, \$49.80; Total, \$504.53.

Expenditures—Parochial: Current expenses, \$61.79; Payment of debts, \$409.47; Total, \$471.26.

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

Services are held every Sunday in the Congregational Church. First service was held in St. Louis railway depot building, on last Sunday in July, 1898. A Church, it is hoped, will be built this year.

St. Paul, Population 175,000, Ramsey County; S. PAUL'S CHURCH; The Rev. JOHN WRIGHT, Rector, (No. 383 E. 9th St.); HARAERY OFFICER, GEORGE H. HAMILTON, Wardens; EDWARD KOPFER, Treas.; WILLIAM J. SLEPPY, Clk. Vestry; JOHN WRIGHT, S. S. Supt.; WILLIAM CORDICK, Lay Reader.

Pews rented. No. sittings, 450. Rector's salary, \$3,000. No. families, 260. Individuals, 780. Baptisms (inf. & ad. 24) 57. Confirmations (m. 20, f. 20) 40. Confirmed persons, last report, 480. Added by confirmation, 40. Added by transfer, 4. Total, 524. Lost by death, 10. Lost by transfer and otherwise, 60. Total lost, 70. Present No. (m. 206, f. 248) 454. Communicants (m. 206, f. 248) 454. Communicating during year (m. 155, f. 220) 375. Holy communion administered (pub. 30, private 10) 40. Public services (Sundays 104, other days 40) 144. Marriages, 10. Churchings, 5. Burials, 14. Sunday schools, 1. Teachers (m. 4, f. 8) 12. Other officers, m. 3. Scholars m. 50, f. 150) 200. Total teachers, officers and scholars, 215. Catechisings, 40. S. S. library books, 350.

Value of Church building, \$12,000. Chapel, \$1,000. Rectory, \$2,000. Lots upon which church stands, \$11,600. Grounds and other property, \$23,000. Total, \$48,600.

Indebtedness—\$2,500.

Receipts—Communion alms, \$216. Pew rents, \$3,553.15. Subscriptions, \$100. Offerings, \$2101.35. Parish aid societies, guilds, etc., \$1,272.31. Sunday school, \$389.02. Total, \$7,415.83.

Expenditures—Parochial: Current expenses, \$3,076.83. Rectory building, \$100. Rector's salary paid, \$3,000. School expense, \$50. Total, \$6,226.83. Diocesan: Council fund,

\$45. Bishop's salary, \$300. Diocesan missionary board fund, \$350. Aged and infirm clergy fund, \$11.32. Sheltering Arms, \$12.85. City Mission Society, \$140. Diocesan missionary fund, \$100. Total, \$1,114.17. General: Woman's Auxiliary, \$391. American church building fund, \$18.50. Miscellaneous, \$80. Total, \$989.50. Grand total, \$4,499.50.

St. Paul, Population 175,000, Ramsey County; S. PETER'S CHURCH; The Rev. SAMUEL MILLS, Missionary, (No. 741 East 5th St.); C. A. SEERLEY, J. M. SMITH, Wardens; J. M. SMITH, Treas.; DANIEL DAVIES, Clk. Vestry; C. H. FAUNTLEROY, S. S. Supt.; F. B. MILLARD, Lay Reader.

Pews free. No. sittings, 200. No. families, 102. Individuals, 253. Baptisms (inf. 11, ad. 4) 15. Confirmations (m. 9, f. 7) 18. Present No. confirmed (m. 51, f. 75) 125. Communicating during year, 90. Holy communion administered (pub. 20, private 7) 27. Public services (Sundays 78, other days 15) 93. Marriages, 3. Churchings, 1. Burials, 8. Sunday schools, 1. Teachers (m. 8, f. 5) 8. Other officers (m) 3. Scholars, 116. Total teachers, officers and scholars, 124. Catechising, 10.

Value of Church building, \$9,000. Lots upon which church stands, \$5,000. Total \$11,000. Indebtedness—\$5,600.

Receipts—Subscriptions, \$985.80. Offerings, \$570.94. Parish aid societies, guilds, etc., \$281.37. Sunday school, \$182.12. From loans to complete buildings, \$1,375.62. Total, \$6,895.85.

Expenditures—Parochial: Current expenses, \$805.15. Church Building, \$5,579.63. City mission society, \$225. Furnishing church, etc., from ladies guild, \$287.37. Total, \$6,291.15.

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

The organization of St. Peter's Parish was only perfected in November of 1888. The above report simply tells of its first years' work.

SAMUEL MILLS,
Minister in charge.

St. Paul, Ramsey County; S. STEPHEN'S CHURCH, The Rev. SYDNEY G. JEFFORDS, Priest in charge. (No. 1944 St. Anthony avenue, Merriam Park.) THOMAS YORK, H. ORME, GEO. HERBERT, Committee; GEO. HERBERT Treas.; R. H. DUNBAR, S. S. Supt.

Pews free. No. sittings, 150. Rector's salary, \$150. No. families, 34. Individuals, 127. Baptisms, inf., 17. Confirmations, (m. 2, f. 3), 5. Confirmed persons, last report, 33, added by Confirmation, 5, added by transfer and otherwise 4. Total, 42. Lost by death, 1. Lost by transfer and otherwise, 2. Total lost, 3. Present No. (m. 14, f. 25), 39. Communicants, 27. Communicating during year, 27. Holy Communion administered, pub. 12. Public services, (Sundays, 52, other days, 6), 58. Burials, 6. Sunday schools, 1. Teachers, (m. 2, f. 7), 9. Other officers, (m.) 2. Scholars, (m. 37, f. 79), 116. Total teachers, officers and scholars, 127. Catechising, 15. S. S. Library books, 150.

Value of church building, \$3,000.00. Lot upon which church stands, \$1,500.00. Total, \$4,500.

Receipts—Communion alms, \$26.19. Subscriptions, \$62. Offerings, \$169.18. Parish Aid Societies, Guilds etc., \$52.87. Sunday school, \$52.82. Total, \$363.06.

Expenditures—Parochial: Current expenses, \$20.19. Repairs, \$66.07. Rector's salary, paid \$150. S. School expense, \$75.48. Total, \$311.74. Diocesan: Council Fund, \$3. Bishop's salary, \$5. Diocesan Missionary Board Fund \$12. Bishop's Special Need Fund \$6.01. Diocesan Missionary \$3.20. Total, \$29.21. General: Yellow Fever sufferers, \$12.62. Grand total, \$353.57.

St. Paul, Ramsey County, Population 175,000; S. JOHN THE EVANGELIST CHURCH, The Rev. JOHN H. WHITE, Rector, (No. 30 Kent st.) G. W. DELLINGER and J. H. AMES, Wardens; A. M. EDDY, Clerk of Vestry; S. C. OLMSTEAD, Treas. and S. S. Supt.

Pews rented. Sittings, 400. No. families, 160. Individuals, 500. Public services, 30. Holy Communions, 8. Sunday school teachers, 12. Scholars, 100. Total, 112.

Value of church Property \$12,000.

Receipts—Pew rents, \$2335.14. Subscriptions, \$237.15. Donations, \$10. Offerings, \$303.93. Rent of school building, \$210. Total, \$3,821.22.

Expenditures—Parochial: Current expenses, \$300. Repairs, \$29.83. Payment of debts, \$333.45. Church building, \$39.74. Rector's salary paid, \$1912.00. Music, \$384.42. Interest on Kittson mortgage, \$543.75. Church decorations \$12.26. Total, \$4235.57. Diocesan: Diocesan Missionary Board Fund, \$13.50. Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund, \$23.82. City Mission, \$38.57. Total, \$126.89. General: Protestant Orphan Asylum, \$17.77. City Canvas, \$25. Total, \$42.77. Grand total, \$4425.23.

My services have been during lent daily service and address. Every Sunday, early celebration. Morning service and sermon and evening service and sermon. Since Easter service every Wednesday and Friday. The seating capacity of the church is 400, all rented.

St. Paul, St. Paul Park, Washington County; TRINITY CHURCH, The Rev. SAMUEL MILLS, Missionary; (No. 741 E. 5th st., St. Paul.) H. HORNE, Mr. BENSON, Wardens; H. HORNE, Treas.; RUSSELL FREEMAN, S. S. Supt.; RUSSELL FREEMAN, Lay Reader.

Pews free. No. sittings, 100. No. families, 28. Individuals, 64. Baptisms, inf. 12. Confirmations, f. 2. Present No. Confirmed persons, 26. Communicants, 20. Communicating during year, 20. Holy Communion administered, pub. 6. Public services, (Sunday 42, other days 8), 50. Burial, 1. Sunday schools, 1. Teachers, 4. Scholars, 50. Total, teachers, officers, and scholars, 54.

Value of church building, \$1,000.00. Lots upon which church stands, \$600.00. Total, \$1,600.00.

Indebtedness - \$500.00.

Receipts—About \$300.00.

Expenditures—Parochial: About \$500.00.

St. Rev. and Dear Sir:—

First services held in the Park on the first Sunday in July, 1888. Since then lot has been secured and church built.

St. Peter, Population 3,500, Nicollet County; HOLY COMMUNION CHURCH. The Rev. D. F. THOMPSON, Rector; A. W. DANIELS, M. D., C. R. WOODS, Wardens; FRED M. DONAHOWER, Treas.; A. F. KILBOURNE, Clk. Vestry; RECTOR, S. S. Supt.

Pews free. No. families, 50. Individuals, 230. Baptisms, inf. 3. Confirmations, (m. 6, f. 2) 8. Confirmed persons, last report, 73; added by confirmation, 8; Total, 81. Lost by death, 8; Lost by transfer and otherwise, 7. Total lost, 10. Present No. 71. Communicating during year (m. 20, f. 40) 60; Holy Communion administered, (pub. 14, private 1) 15. Public services, (Sundays, 90; other days, 25) 115. Marriages, 5. Burials, 3. Sunday schools, 1. Teachers, (m. 1; f., 6) 7. Other officers, f., 1. Scholars, (m., 20; f., 35) 55. Total teachers, officers and scholars, 63. Catechisings, 12.

Value of Church building, \$8,000; Rectory, \$2,500. Total, \$10,500.00.

Indebtedness—\$940.

Receipts—Subscriptions, \$323.85; Offerings, \$243.58; Parish Aid Societies, Guilds, etc., \$127.35; Church fair, \$483.64; Special offering Easter, \$45; Total, \$1,173.42.

Expenditures—Parochial: Current expenses, \$188.57; Repairs, \$11.65; Payment of debts, \$164.90; Rectory building, \$240.37; Rector's salary paid, \$331.68. Total, \$937.07. Diocesan: Council fund, \$7.50; Bishop's salary, \$15; Diocesan Missionary Board fund, \$22.50; Total, \$45. Grand total \$1,012.07.

Tower, Population 3,000; St. Louis County; CHRIST CHURCH; JOSEPH SAWBRIDGE, SR., Warden; D. H. OWEN, Treas.; CHAS. A. LOVELL, S. S. Supt.; CHAS. A. LOVELL, Lay Reader.

No. Families, 6. Individuals, 28. Baptisms, inf. 2. Confirmations, f. 4. Confirmed persons 15; added by confirmation, 4; added by transfer and otherwise, 1; Total, 20. Present No. (m., 4; f., 16) 20. Holy Communion administered, pub., 4. Public services, (Sundays, 38; other days, 2) 40. Sunday schools, 1. Teachers, f., 5. Other officers, (m., 1; f., 2) 3. Scholars, (m., 10; f., 25) 35. Total teachers, officers and scholars, 43.

Receipts—Donations, \$375; Offerings, \$37.80; Parish Aid Societies, Guilds, etc., \$234.88; Sunday school, \$21.71. Total, \$949.39.

Expenditures—Parochial: Current expenses, (rent) \$15.

St. Rev. and Dear Sir:

I regret to say this is not as complete as I would like, but next time will do better. An Episcopal Guild was formed here Nov. 15, '88, followed by a Sunday school, December 15, and Church services, Jan'y. 13, '89. Since which time there has been no interruptions. We have a lot on which to build the Church with \$300 in the treasury for that purpose, and will go ahead at once.

Sincerely yours,

CHAS. A. LOVELL.

St. Vincent, Population 295, Kittson County; CHRIST'S, S. JOHN'S and other CHURCHES; The Rev. H. BEER, Rector, St. Vincent; MARTIN W. RAY, ALBERT POSTON, Wardens; M. N. RAY, S. S. Supt.; M. N. RAY, Lay Reader.

Pews free. No. sittings, 500. Rector's salary, \$1,000. No. families, 57. Individuals, 195. Baptisms, inf. 32. Confirmations (m. 5, f. 7), 12. Confirmed persons, last report, 49, added by confirmation, 12, added by transfer and otherwise, 2. Total, 63. Lost by death, 3. Lost by transfer and otherwise, 8. Total lost, 11. Present No. (m. 16, f. 27), 43. Communicants (m. 40, f. 35). Communicating during year (m. 20, f. 31), 51. Holy Communion administered (pub. 47, private 8), 55. Public services (Sundays 156, other days, 60), 216. Marriages, 10. Burials, 6. Sunday schools, 4. Teachers, (m. 4, f. 8), 12. Scholars (m. 20, f. 36), 56. Total teachers, officers and scholars, 68. Catechisings, 6.

Value of Church building, \$1,800. Chapel, \$2,200. Rectory, \$1,500. Lots upon which church stands, \$1,300. Grounds and other property, \$5,000. Total, \$12,800.

Receipts—Subscriptions, \$390.31. Offerings, \$49.50. Sunday school, \$10.09. Children's lenten offering, \$4.00. Total, \$443.90.

Expenditures—Parochial: Rector's salary paid, \$390.31. S. School expense, \$49.90. Total, \$440.21. Diocesan: Council Fund, \$7.50. Bishop's salary, \$4. Diocesan Missionary Board Fund, \$7.50. Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund, \$8. Sheltering Arms, \$7.90. Diocesan Missionary, \$10. Total, \$44.90. General: Domestic Missions, \$8.50. Foreign Missions, \$2.50. Bible and Prayer Book Society, \$1.50. Children's lenten offering, \$4. Total, \$16.50. Grand total, \$459.61.

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

The above is a correct statement of the affairs of this Mission, so far as I have been able to ascertain them. I took charge last October.

Your Obed't Serv't,

H. BEER.

Wabasha, Population 3,500, Wabasha County; GRACE CHURCH, The Rev. LEWIS CASS BIRCH, Rector; AJT. GEN. J. H. MULLEN, President of Bishop's Committee; J. PECK, Treas.; W. O. McLEAN, Clk. Vestry; LEWIS CASS BIRCH, S. S. Supt.

Pews free. No. sittings, 110. Rector's salary, \$500. No. families, 46. Individuals, 219. Baptisms (inf. 17, ad. 1), 18. Confirmations (m. 1, f. 11) 12. Confirmed persons, last report, 53. Added by Confirmation, 12. Total, 65. Lost by death, 1. Lost by transfer and otherwise, 2. Total lost, 3. Present No. (m. 8, f. 54), 62. Communicants (m. 8, f. 54), 62. Communicating during year (m. 7, f. 54), 61. Holy Communion administered, pub. 22. Public services (Sundays 95, other days 56), 150. Marriages, 6. Burials, 6. Sunday schools, 1. Teachers (m. 1, f. 6), 7. Other officers (m. 1, f. 2), 3. Scholars (m. 40, f. 60), 100. Total officers, teachers and scholars, 103. Catechisings, 20.

Value of Church building, \$500; Rectory, \$2,500; Lots upon which Church stands, \$1,000. Total, \$4,000.

Receipts—Balance from last report, \$56.25; Subscriptions, \$300; Offerings, \$114.86; Parish Aid Societies, Guilds, etc., \$117.11; Sunday School, \$100. Total, \$967.24.

Expenditures—Parochial: Current expenses, \$114; Rector's salary paid, \$500; Sunday School expense, \$100; Church or Mission work in Parish, \$56.25; Other expenses, \$27.11; Total, \$797.36. Diocesan: Council Fund \$4; Bishop's salary, \$15. Diocesan Missionary Board Fund, \$22; Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund, \$2.40; Clergy Widows' and Orphans' Fund, \$3.00; Total, \$48.40. General: Domestic Missions, \$10; Foreign Missions, \$8.75. Total, \$18.37; Grand Total, \$922.13.

Church property vested in the Bishop of the Diocese.

Wadena, Population 1,000, Wadena County; GRACE CHAPEL; The Rev. E. S. PEAKE, Visiting Dean, (Detroit); G. F. GLADDING HOYT, Lay Reader.

Pews free. No. sittings, 42. Lay Reader's salary, \$100. No. families, 13. Individuals, 50. Baptisms (inf., 7; ad., 4) 11. Confirmations (m., 2; f., 2) 4. Confirmed persons, last report, 14; added by confirmation, 4; added by transfer and otherwise, 2; Total 6. Lost by death, 1. Lost by transfer and otherwise, 4. Total lost, 5. Present No. (m., 7; f., 8) 13. Communicants, (m., 5; f., 8) 13. Communicating during year, (m., 5; f., 6) 11. Holy Communion administered, (pub., 2; private, 1) 3. Public services, (Sundays, 48; other days, 27) 75. Burials, 1.

Value of Chapel (in. the Rectory), \$1,100. Lots upon which church stands \$300. Total, \$1,400.

Receipts—Subscriptions, \$50; Offerings, \$25; Parish Aid Societies, Guilds, etc., \$25; Donations, \$10; Total, \$110.

Expenditures—Parochial: Repairs, \$10; Lay Reader's salary paid, \$100; Total, \$110. Diocesan: Special needs fund, \$1.65. Grand total, \$111.65.

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

Services were held by me at Wadena, from June 17 to September 3, 1888; from Dec. 23, 1888, to Jan. 1, 1889; and from Feb. 3, to April 1, 1889—being the period of intermission of my Divinity studies. During the summer, 2 services were held at Compton, six miles from Wadena.

Br. Gilbert made a visitation on July 27th, baptizing 3 adults, celebrating the Holy Communion, preaching and confirming 4 persons. The Rev. E. S. Peake, Dean of the Northern Convocation, also was present, baptized 1 adult and 7 infants, and assisted the Bishop in the celebration of the Holy Communion.

The Dean visited the parish during the winter, holding service and preaching, Mar. 13, and celebrating the Holy Communion, Mar. 14.

Friday evening services have been held, throughout, with a few exceptions; also, services on Christmas, Holy Innocents, and the Wednesdays in Lent. Addresses or sermons have been given at nearly every service.

The Chapel, which is the lower floor of the Rectory, has received substantial additions in the way of furniture and the necessary appurtenances of the Church worship.

A Ladies' Guild has been organized, which is the practical working and business basis of the Parish.

Very respectfully,

G. F. GLADDING HOYT.

SEABURY HALL, Faribault, Minn.

Warsaw, Population 400, Rice County; S. THOMAS CHURCH, The Rev. Wm. McVETTIE, Rector; BISHOP COMMITTEE, Wardens; HENRY A. DORN, S. S. Supt.

Pews free. Rector's salary, \$40.00. No. families, 14. Individuals, 70. Baptisms (inf. 6, ad. 7), 13. Confirmations, 8. Confirmed persons, last report, 10. Added by confirmation, 8. Added by transfer and otherwise, 9. Total, 27. Lost by transfer and otherwise, 2. Present number (m. 12, f. 13), 25. Communicants (m. 13, f. 14), 27. Communicating during year (m. 13, f. 14), 27. Holy Communion administered, pub. 1. Public services (Sundays, 2; other days, 17), 19. Sunday schools, 1. Teachers (m. 1, f. 5), 6. Other officers (m. 2, f. 1), 3. Scholars (m. 17, f. 19), 36. Total teachers, officers and scholars, 45. S. S. Library books, 30.

Value of church building, \$1,000. Lots upon which church stands, \$100. Total \$1,100. Receipts—Subscriptions, \$14.50. Offerings, \$11.35. Parish aid societies, guilds, etc., \$39.16. Sunday school, \$2.35. Total, \$67.37.

Expenditures—Parochial: Rector's salary paid, \$21.25. S. School expense, \$2.35. Other expenses, \$38.77. Total, \$62.37. Diocesan: Bishop's salary, \$5.00. Grand Total, \$67.37.

Rt. Rev. and DEAR SIR:

This report only covers the period I have been in charge of this parish, from January 1st, 1898, to May 31st, 1899. When I took charge it was in a deplorable condition. Thanks be to God there is a change for the better. We have now a good Sunday school and not a few, who manifest a lively interest in church work.

I remain Dear Bishop,

Your servant,

WM. McVETTIE.

Waseca, Population, 3000; Waseca County; CALVARY CHURCH. The Rev. W. McVETTIE, Rector; Bishop's Committee, Wardens; Mrs. E. B. COLLESTER, S. S. Supt.

Pews free. Rector's salary, \$285. No. families, 14. Individuals, 50. Baptisms (inf. 3; ad. 1), 4. Confirmations (m. 3, f. 2), 5. Confirmed persons, last report, 27; added by Confirmation, 5; added by transfer and otherwise, 4. Total, 36. Lost by death, 1; lost by transfer and otherwise, 7. Total lost, 8. Present No. (m. 4, f. 24), 28. Communicants (m. 4, f. 24), 28. Communicating during year (m. 2, f. 13), 15. Holy Communion administered (pub.), 4. Public services (Sundays, 50; other days, 29), 79. Burials, 1. Sunday Schools, 1. Teachers (f.), 4. Other officers (f.), 3. Scholars (m. 5, f. 16), 21. Total teachers, officers and scholars, 28. S. S. Library books, 40.

Value of church buildings, \$1,500. Lots upon which church stands, \$500. Total, \$2,000. Receipts—Subscriptions, \$249.56. Offerings, \$93.94. Parish Aid Societies, Guilds, etc., \$27.51. Sunday School, \$26.92. Sale Wilton church, \$280. Total, \$648.93.

Expenditures—Parochial: Repairs, \$40.39. Rector's salary paid, \$285. S. School expense, \$22.54. Repairing furnace, fencing lots, and painting church, \$280. Total, \$627.93. Diocesan: Council fund, \$8. Bishop's salary, \$7. Diocesan Missionary Board Fund, \$8. Total, \$18. General: Florida sufferers, \$3. Grand total, \$648.93.

This is an organized parish with Bishop's Committee. The church property is vested in "the Diocese of Minnesota."

Waterville, Population 1,000, Le Sueur County; S. ANDREW'S CHURCH, The Rev. W. McVETTIE, Rector; H. H. STOWE, JOHN RUTHS, Wardens; JOHN RUTHS, Treas; D. B. PARSONS, Clk Vestry; LEWIS STOWE, S. S. Supt.

Pews free. No. sittings 120. Rector's salary \$200.00. No. families, 9. Individuals, 28. Baptisms (inf. 7, ad. 4), 11. Confirmations (m. 2 f. 3.), 5. Confirmed persons last report 40. Added by Confirmation, 5, added by transfer and otherwise, 4. Total, 49. Lost by death, 1. Lost by transfer and otherwise, 4. Total lost, 5. Present No. 44. Communicants 44. Communicating during year, 20. Holy Communion administered, 4. Public services (Sundays 49, other days 3), 52. Burials, 1. Sunday schools 1. Teachers (m. 1 f. 3), 4. Other officers (m.) 2. Scholars (m. 14, f. 16), 30. Total Teachers, Officers and Scholars, 35. S. S. Library books, 50.

Value of Church building, \$2,300.00. Lots upon which Church stands, \$1,500. Total \$3,800.00.

Receipts—Subscriptions \$177.59. Donations \$50.00. Offerings \$69.09. Parish Aid societies, Guilds etc., \$30.00. Sunday schools \$15.00. Total \$340.68.

Expenditures—Parochial: Current expenses, \$89.68. Repairs, \$40.00. Rector's salary \$200.00. S. School expense, \$15.00. Total, \$324.68. Diocesan: Council fund, \$3.00. Bishop's salary, \$5.00. Diocesan Missionary Board Fund, \$8.00. Total, \$16.00. Grand total, \$340.68.

Wells, Population 1,200, Faribault County; THE NATIVITY CHURCH; The Rev. EDWARD H. CLARK, Rector; J. M. NYE, F. E. WATSON, Wardens; The Rector, S. S. Supt.; L. C. MILLER, Lay Reader.

Pews, free. No. Sittings, 125. Rector's Salary, \$800. No. families, 22. Individuals, 91. Baptisms (inf. 10, ad. 1) 11. Confirmations (m. 5, f. 8) 3. Confirmed persons, last report, 42. Added by Confirmation, 13. Total 55. Present No. (m. 19, f. 36) 55. Communicants, (m. 19, f. 36) 55. Communicating during year, (m. 18, f. 33) 49. Holy Communion administered, (pub. 27, private 1) 28. Public services, (Sundays 107, other days 77) 184. Burials, 1. Sunday Schools, 1. Teachers, (m. 1, f. 6) 7. Other officers, m. 1. Scholars, (m. 19, f. 22) 41. Total Teachers, Officers and Scholars, 49. Catechisings, 12. Value of Church building, \$3,000. Rectory, \$1,100. Lots upon which church stands, \$500. Total, \$4,600.

Receipts—Subscriptions, \$599.50; Offerings, \$271.47; Parish Aid Societies, Guilds, etc., \$125.93; Sunday School, \$87.93. Total, \$1,084.83.

Expenditures—Parochial: Current Expenses, \$158.89. Repairs, \$6.50. Rector's salary paid, \$558. S. School Expense, \$23.71. Church or Mission Work in Parish, \$19.30. Total, \$761.40. Diocesan: Council fund, \$3. Bishop's Salary, \$9. Diocesan Missionary Board Fund, \$30. Other Mission Work, \$21.50. Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund, \$20. Diocesan Educational (Seabury Divinity School) \$41.32. Sheltering Arms, \$13. Special Needs Fund, \$19.50. From S. S. for Salary, Diocesan Missionary, \$15. Total, \$171.52. General: Foreign missions, \$20. American Church Building Fund, \$5.30. Jacksonville Sufferers, \$34. S. S. Lenten offerings, \$25.57. Patty Buford, \$12 (hospital). Total, \$96.87. Grand Total, \$1,029.59.

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:—

During the past year \$150 has been received from the Diocesan Board. While absent on a short vacation in July the Rector held two services, and celebrated the Holy Communion once, at Lake Benton. Fourteen services and seven celebrations of the Holy Communion were held during the Lenten Mission conducted by the Rev. A. H. Graves.

Respectfully yours, EDWARD H. CLARK.

White Bear Lake, Population 1,500, Ramsey County; S. JOHN'S IN THE WILDERNESS CHURCH; The Rev. SYDNEY G. JEFFORDS, Priest in Charge, (No. 1944 St. Anthony Ave., Merriam Park P. O.); CYRUS B. COBB, THOS. C. FULTON, Wardens; WILLIAM CLARK, Treas.; WILLIAM CLARK, Clk. of Vestry; CYRUS B. COBB, S. S. Supt.

Pews free. No. sittings, 125. Rector's Salary, \$230.00. No. of families, 43. Individuals, 162. Baptisms, (inf. 4, ad. 5), 9. Confirmations, (m. 5 f. 4), 9. Confirmed persons, last report 38; added by Confirmation, 9. Total, 47. Present No. (m. 16, f. 31), 47. Communicants 35. Communicating during year, 35. Holy Communion administered, pub., 12. Public services, (Sundays, 33, other days, 6), 44. Burials, 1. Sunday schools, 1. Teachers, (m. 3, f. 3), 6. Other Officers, (m. 1). Scholars, (m. 32, f. 31) 63. Total Teachers, Officers, and Scholars, 70. Catechisings, 12. S. S. Library books, 150.

Value of Church building, \$2,000; lots upon which church stands, \$1,500. Total, \$3,500. *Receipts*—Subscriptions, \$182; Donations, \$120.23; Offerings, \$192.25; Parish Aid Societies, Guilds, etc., \$30.20; Total, \$554.68.

Expenditures—Parochial: Current expenses, \$39.40; Repairs, \$67.05; Church building, \$15; Rector's Salary paid, \$216.23; Other expenses, \$25; Organ, \$100; Yellow fever sufferers, \$10.55; Total, \$508.23. Diocesan: Council fund, \$1.50; Bishop's salary, \$10; Diocesan Missionary Board Fund, \$18.00; Bishop's special needs fund, \$30.61; Total, \$63.11. General: Domestic and foreign Missions, \$20.82; Grand Total, \$587.18.

Wilder, Population 125, Jackson County; CHURCH OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD, The Rev. D. G. GUNN, Rector; MRS. KATE A. GUNN, S. S. Supt.

No. families, 11; Individuals, 53. Baptisms inf. 2. Lost by transfer and otherwise, 13. Present No. confirmed (m. 3, f. 5) 8. Communicating during year (m. 3, f. 5) 8. Holy Communion administered, 4. Public services, (Sundays 32, other days 32) 104. Marriages, 1. Sunday schools, 1. Teachers, (m. 4, f. 4) 8. Other officers, f. 1. Scholars, (m. 15, f. 23) 38. Total teachers, officers, and scholars, 47. Catechisings, 4.

Value of Church building, unfinished; lots upon which church stands, \$100. School or college buildings, \$10,000; Grounds and other property, \$15,000; Total \$25,100.

Receipts—Communion alms, for salary; Offerings, \$30. This part of report is now in preparation to the trustees of the Breck Mission and farm school.

Expenditures—Parochial: Rector's salary paid, \$25. Diocesan: Bishop's salary, \$2; Diocesan Missionary Board Fund, \$3; Total, \$5; Grand total, \$30.

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

I make no report of the expenses of building the farm school and church at this place to the council, as that will soon be laid before the trustees, for whom I am agent under contract, limited to three years. My work at Wilder, however, I hope to finish this season, and I hope to report the work finished (in two years instead of three) the present month, and I urge upon you the necessity of placing a good man in my place, for I consider the work here of the utmost importance to the future church in Minnesota.

Your Obedt. Servt. for His sake,

D. G. GUNN.

Windom, Population 1,000, Cottonwood County; CHURCH OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD. The Rev. C. S. WARE, Rector; (Worthington P. O.); Mrs. T. C. COLLINS, Treasurer; Mrs. CHAS. KING, S. S. Supt.

Pews free. No. sittings, 70. Rector's salary, \$250. No. families, 8. Individuals, 33. Baptisms, inf. 9. Confirmations, f. 1. Confirmed persons, last report, 11; added by confirmation, 1; added by transfer and otherwise, 7. Total, 19. Lost by transfer and otherwise, 1. Present No. (m. 6, f. 13), 19. Communicants (m. 6, f. 11), 17. Communicating during year, (m. 6, f. 11), 17. Holy Communion administered, pub. 15. Public services (Sundays 49, other days 8), 52. Marriages, 1. Churchings, 1. Sunday schools, 1. Teachers, f. 6. Scholars, (m. 16, f. 24), 40. Total teachers, officers and scholars, 48. Catechisings, 4. Value of Church building, \$1,000. Lots upon which church stands, \$200. Total, \$1,200. Receipts—Offerings, \$30. Sunday schools, \$12. Total, \$82. Expenditures—Parochial: Rector's salary paid, \$200. Sunday school expense, \$25. Total, \$225. Diocesan: Diocesan Missionary Board Fund, \$5. Grand total, \$230.

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

Windom is a mission station. Services are held on two Sunday in each month. The Church property is vested in the Bishop of the diocese. I have not kept an account of all receipts and expenditures. The financial department is under the charge of the ladies. The work is progressing in a most satisfactory manner; the attendance is good, and the future prospect very encouraging.

Faithfully and obediently yours.

C. S. WARE

Winona, Population 20,000, Winona County; S. PAUL'S CHURCH; The Rev. WM. HENRY KNOWLTON, Rector; CHARLES HORTON, P. G. HUBBELL, Wardens; L. D. FROST, Treas.; W. J. WHIPPLE, Clk. Vestry; WM. A. CUNNINGHAM, S. S. Supt.

Pews free. No. sittings, 400. No. Families, 120. Individuals, 600. Baptisms (inf. 13, ad. 3) 16. Confirmations, (m. 4, f. 5) 9. Confirmed persons, last report 164. Added by Confirmation, 9. Added by transfer and otherwise, 5. Total, 178. Lost by transfer and otherwise, 16. Present No., 162. Communicants (m. 45, f. 110) 155. Communicating during year, 109. Holy Communion administered (pub. 75, private 1) 76. Public Services, (Sundays 114, other days 60) 174. Marriages, 6. Burials, 4. Sunday Schools, 1. Teachers (m. 3, f. 15) 18. Other officers, (m. 4, f. 1) 5. Scholars (m. 54, f. 80) 114. Total Teachers, Officers and Scholars, 139. Catechisings, 25. S. S. Library books, 300. Value of Church building, \$30,000. Lots upon which church stands, \$10,000. Total, \$40,000.

Receipts—Communion Alms, \$91. Subscriptions, \$2,317. Offerings, \$1,002.60. Parish Aid Societies, Guilds, etc., \$100. Sunday School, \$150. Total, \$3,502.60.

Expenditures—Parochial: Current expenses, \$2,357.97. Repairs, \$240. S. School expenses, \$97. Poor (Charitable Work), \$149. Other expenses, \$200. Total, \$2,537.97. Diocesan: Council fund, \$20. Bishop's salary, \$100. Diocesan Missionary Board Fund, \$100. Other mission work, \$162.50. Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund, \$23. Diocesan Education (Seabury Divinity School), \$375. Asst. Bp's Special Needs fund, \$20.05. Total, \$429.30. General: Domestic Missions, \$5. Foreign Missions, \$5. Yellow Fever Sufferers, \$19.33. Total, \$29.33. Grand Total, \$3,502.60.

The title of S. Paul's, Winona, is in the vestry.

Willmar, Population 1,300, Kandiyohi County; S. LUKE'S CHURCH, The Rev. D. T. BOOTH, Rector, Seventh street. JOHN H. WIGGINS, EDWARD S. FROST, M. D., Wardens; MRS. SOPHIA L. RICE, Treas.; JOHN L. JOHNSON, Clk. Vestry; D. T. BOOTH and JOHN H. WIGGINS, S. S. Supts.

Pews free. No. sittings, 125. Rector's salary, \$327.35. No. families, 44. Individuals, 226. Baptisms (inf. 16, ad. 1), 17. Confirmations, (m. 2, f. 6) 8. Confirmed persons, last report, 70. Added by Confirmation, 8. Added by transfer and otherwise, 9. Total, 87. Lost by death, 2. Lost by transfer and otherwise, 7. Total lost, 9. Present No. (m. 28, f. 50), 78. Communicants (m. 55, f. 125), 180. Communicating during year, (m. 22, f. 51), 73. Holy Communion administered, (pub. 13, private 3), 16. Public services (Sundays, 135, other days, 33), 168. Marriages, 2. Burials, 6. Sunday Schools, 1. Teachers (m. 1, f. 4), 5. Other officers (m. 1), 1. Scholars (m. 30, f. 39), 69. Total Teachers, Officers and Scholars, 75. Catechisings, 40. S. S. Library books, 50. Value of Church building, \$2,400. Rectory, \$2,100. Lots upon which church stands, \$1,500. Total, \$6,000.

Receipts—Communion alms, \$45.09. Subscriptions, \$327.35. Donations, \$14.05. Offerings, \$129.25. Parish Aid Societies, Guilds, etc., \$288.12. Sunday School, \$66.82. Total, \$870.68.

Expenditures—Parochial: Current expenses, \$109.11. Repairs, \$37.40. Rector's salary paid, \$327.35. S. School expense, \$31.03. Other expenses, \$217.23. Total, \$755.17. Diocesan: Council fund, \$1.50. Bishop's salary, \$12.00. Diocesan Missionary Board fund, \$35.12. Aged and Infirm Clergy fund, \$3.16. Sheltering arms, \$11.34. Total, \$66.12. General: Domestic Missions, \$10.21. Foreign Missions, \$10.22. Woman's Auxillary,

On Sundays twice we pray in the church. Again I teach the children within in the Church questions. Again on weekdays, Fridays, we keep the day, having service. Again we assemble sometimes in my house, singing, exhorting each other about religion. That is all.

Your's, truly,

JOHN COLEMAN.

Lake Winnibigoshish, Population 160, Itasca County; S. PHILIP THE DEACON CHURCH, The Rev. JOS. WAKAZOO in charge, (Leech Lake P. O.)

Pews free. No. sittings, 75. Rector's salary, \$365. No. Families, 15. Individuals, 46. Baptisms (inf.) 1. Confirmations, 1. Confirmed persons, last report, 21. Added by Confirmation, 1. Total, 22. Present No. 22. Communicants, 22. Communicating during year 10. Holy Communion administered (pub.), 1. Public services, (Sundays, 45; other days, 34), 79. Sunday schools, 1. Teachers (m.), 1. Scholars, 13. Total teachers, officers and scholars, 18.

Value of Church building, \$275.

Receipts—Offerings, \$7.25. From Domestic and Foreign Missionary Society New York, Missionary Stipend, \$365. Total, \$372.25.

Expenditures—Parochial: Rector's salary paid, \$365. Diocesan: Council fund, \$1. Bishop's salary, \$1. Diocesan Missionary Board fund, \$3. Asst's Bishop's Special Needs fund, \$2.25. Total, \$7.25. Grand total, \$372.25.

DEAR BISHOP:

Ever since the last council I have been at Winnibigoshish till the first day of January. On Sundays I gathered the Winnibigoshish Indians, and on Fridays, I kept a day school half of each day when the families were gathered together, because they keep going away and coming back again to their village on account of living on snake root fishing and hunting. Now as I am at Leech Lake Mission working with Rev. George Smith the Church here is always full of the Indians on Sundays, not only the Christians but heathen Indians also.

Yours,

JOSEPH WAKAZOO.

Leech Lake, Population 500, Cass County; CHURCH OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD: The Rev. GEORGE SMITH, in charge; (Leech Lake P. O.) The Rev. JOSEPH WAKAZOO, Asst. Minister; (Leech Lake P. O.) Rev. GEORGE SMITH S. S. Supt.

Pews free. No. sittings, 200. Rector's salary \$365. Asst. Minister's salary, \$365. No families, 41. Individuals, 169. Baptisms (inf. 18, ad. 9), 25. Confirmations, (m. 5, f. 4), 9. Confirmed persons, last report, 74, added by confirmation, 9. added by transfer and otherwise, 2. Total, 85. Present No. (m. 33, f. 52), 85. Communicants, (m. 33, f. 52), 85. Communicating during year, (m. 26, f. 41), 67. Holy Communion administered, (pub.) 5. Public services (Sundays 40, other days 106), 146. Burials, 5. Sunday Schools, 2. Teachers, (m. 3), Scholars (m. 55, f. 40), 95. Total Teachers, Officers, and Scholars, 98. Catechising, 50.

Value of church building, \$1,690. Two Rectory's, \$300. School buildings, \$300. Total, \$2,290.

Receipts—Donations, \$40. Offerings, \$37.75. From Domestic and foreign Missionary Societies, salary of Rev. George Smith, one year, \$365. From Domestic and Foreign Missionary Society, salary of Rev. Geo. Smith one year, \$365, salary of Rev. Joseph Wakazoo five months, \$150. Total, \$592.75.

Expenditures—Parochial: Rector's salary paid, \$365. School expenses, \$20. Poor (Charitable Work) \$20. Salary of Rev. Joseph Wakazoo while at Leech Lake five months, \$150. Total, \$555. Diocesan: Council fund, \$5.00. Bishop's salary, \$10. Diocesan Missionary Board Fund \$15. Bishops Special Needs Fund \$8.75. Total, \$38.75. General: Jewish Missions, \$1.00. Grand total, \$592.75.

YOU WHOM I LOVE, THE BISHOP:

A little I speak to you of the work I have. We hold services twice on Sundays, again Fridays we assemble, and the Sunday School is going on well. It is a joyful thing that the work more and more goes well. O, that the Lord may be with it, is my prayer. That is all.

GEO. SMITH.

Red Lake Agency, population 500, Beltrami County; S. JOHN IN THE WILDERNESS CHURCH: The Rev. MARK HART in Charge, (Red Lake, P. O.)

Pews free. No. Sittings, 200. Rector's salary, \$365. No. families, 35. Individuals, 143. Baptisms (inf. 6, ad. 2), 8. Confirmations, 4. Confirmed persons, last report, 50. Added by Confirmation, 4. Total, 61. Lost by death, 1. Lost by transfer and otherwise, 5. Total loss, 6. Present No., 66. Communicants, 66. Communicating during year (m. 14, f. 13), 22. Holy Communion administered (pub. 6, private 1), 7. Public services (Sundays 50, other days 42), 92. Marriages, 1. Burials, 1. Sunday Schools, 1. Teachers, m. 1. Scholars (m. 11, f. 9), 19. Total Teachers, Officers and Scholars, 20.

Value of Church building, \$1,600. Rectory, \$175. Total \$1,775.

Receipts—Donations, \$49. Offerings, \$19.50. From Dom. and For. Miss. Soc. N. Y., salary of clergyman for year, \$365. Donation of clothing to clergyman and family, \$40. Total, \$454.50.

Expenditures—Parochial: Rector's salary paid, \$365. S. School expense, \$20. Poor

(Charitable Work) \$20. Value of donation of clothing received by clergyman and family, \$40. Total, \$45. Diocesan: Council fund, \$1 Bishop's salary, \$4. Diocesan Missionary Board fund, \$3. Asst. Bp's Sp. Needs Fund, \$2. Total, \$15. General: Foreign Missions, \$3.50. Jewish Missions, \$1. Total, \$1.50. Grand Total, \$154.50.

BISHOP WHOM I LOVE:

I tell you my work there at Red Lake. In the end of August I arrived there, and as much as I can and as much as I know I work there, and similarly at Old Chief's Village. No one there gives up his religion, but they still hold on the same. Just the same they go forward to where they look for their salvation. Yours,

MARK HART.

Old Chief's Village, Red Lake, Population, 118, Beltrami County;

S. ANTIPAS CHURCH. The Rev. MARK HART in charge, (Red Lake P. O.)
Pews free. No. sittings, 75. No. families, 21. Individuals, 116. Baptisms (inf. 4, ad. 1), 5. Confirmations, m. 1. Confirmed persons, last report, 50; added by confirmation, 1. Total, 51. Lost by death, 1. Lost by transfer and otherwise, 2. Total lost, 3. Present No. 48. Communicants, 48. Communicating during year (m. 19, f. 15), 34. Holy communion administered (pub. 6, private 4), 10. Public services (Sundays 47, other days, 1), 48. Burials, 2.

Value of Church building, \$400. Rectory, \$150. Total 550.
Receipts—Donations, \$15. Offerings, \$14.35. Total, \$29.35.
Expenditures—Parochial: S. School expense, \$7.50 Poor (charitable work) \$7.50. Total, \$15. Diocesan: Council Fund, \$1. Bishop's salary, \$3. Diocesan Missionary Board Fund, \$3. Bishop's Special Needs Fund, \$1. Total, \$13. General: Foreign Missions, \$3c. Jewish Missions, \$1. Total, \$1.35. Grand Total, \$29.35.

Pembina Settlement, Population 300, Norman County; CHURCH OF THE HOLY SPIRIT, The Rev. CHARLES T. WRIGHT in charge, (White Earth P. O.)

Pews free. No. sittings, 75. No. families, 4. Individuals, 12. Baptisms, inf. 1. Confirmed persons, last report, 8. Total, 8. Lost by transfer and otherwise, 1. Total lost, 1. Present No. (m. 3, f. 4) 7. Communicants (m. 3, f. 4), 7. Communicating during year (m. 3, f. 4), 7. Holy Communion administered, pub. 2. Public services, Sunday, 17.

Value of Church building, \$380. Rectory, \$120. Total, \$500.
Receipts—Offerings, \$1.
Expenditures—General: Jewish Missions, \$1.

White Earth Agency, Population 500, Becker County; S. COLUMBA CHURCH; The Rev. J. A. GILFILLAN, in charge, (P. O. White Earth); The Rev. GEO. B. MORGAN, Asst. Minister, (P. O. White Earth); JOHN SMITH, Treas.; Rector Emeritus, Rev. JOHN JOHNSON, Enmegahbowh.

Pews, free. No sittings, 500. Rector's salary, \$500. Asst. Minister's salary, \$365. No. families, 75. Individuals, 280. Baptisms, (inf. 18, ad. 1) 19. Confirmations, (m. 5, f. 7) 12. Confirmed persons, last report, 121; added by confirmation, 12; total, 12. Lost by death, 7. Present No., (m. 58, f. 82) 146. Communicants (m. 58, f. 82) 140. Communicating during year (m. 34, f. 59) 93. Holy Communion administered, (pub. 13, private 20) 33. Public services (Sundays 82, other days 60) 122. Marriages, 2. Churchings, 1. Burials, 11. Sunday schools, 1. Teachers (m. 1, f. 1) 2. Scholars (m. 5, f. 5) 10. Total teachers, officers and scholars, 12.

Value of Church building, \$10,000; Chapel, \$300; 3 Rectories, \$5,400; Hospital, \$5,500; Total, \$21,200.

Receipts—Donations, \$2,645; Offerings, \$112.33; Total, \$2,757.33.
Expenditures—Current expenses, \$32; Rector's salary, \$500; S. School expense, \$50; Poor (charitable work) \$230. Asst. Minister's salary, \$365; Rector Emeritus' salary, \$500; Rector Emeritus presents, \$1,000; Total, \$2,877. Diocesan, Council fund, \$3; Bishop's salary, \$20; Diocesan Missionary Board fund, \$33; Bp. Gilbert's special needs fund, \$9.56; Total \$299.56. General: Foreign missions, \$7.17; Jewish missions, \$1; Yellow fever sufferers, \$2.80; Total, \$10.77. Grand total, \$2,757.33.

YOU WHOM I LOVE, BISHOP:

This last year I helped Mr. Gilfillan in the work, and I think in every kind of effort I helped him as I could. I thought once that I would not still be able to do so, but I praise the Lord for giving me again to make this report. Respectfully yours,

GEORGE B. MORGAN.

Wild Rice River, Population, 300; Norman County; EPIPHANY CHURCH. The Rev. CHARLES T. WRIGHT, in charge, (P. O. White earth.)

Pews free. No. sittings, 200. Rector's salary, \$365. No. families, 28. Individuals, 103. Baptisms (inf. 23, ad. 7), 30. Confirmation (m. 2, f. 2), 4. Confirmed persons, last

report, 29; added by Confirmation, 4. Precept No. 83. Communicants, 33. Communicating during year (m. 10, f. 20) 30. Holy Communion administered (pub. 7, private 2) 9. Public services, 63. Marriages, 2. Burials, 5. Sunday Schools, 1. Teachers, (m.) 1. Scholars, (m. 15, f. 15), 30. Total teachers, officers and scholars, 51.

Value of Church building and Rectory, \$1,700. School buildings, \$1,880. Total, \$3,580.

Receipts—Donations, \$195. Offerings, \$19.65. From Dom. and For. Mission Society, for salary of clergyman, \$365. Total, \$579.65.

Expenditures—Parochial: Rector's salary paid, \$365. S. School expenses, \$30. Poor (charitable work), \$175. Total, \$560. Diocesan: Council fund, \$2. Bishop's salary, \$5. Diocesan Missionary Board Fund, \$3. Bishop Gilbert's Special Needs fund, \$3.65. Total, \$18.65. General: Jewish Mission, \$1. Total, \$1. Grand total, \$579.65.

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

I am glad to tell you a little of how the religion of our Savior has worked the past year at Wild Rice River. I see that now there is considerable light there; which the gospel has shed during the past year. Thirty children and adults have been baptized during the past year. Again, four Roman Catholics have come into our church. There is a certain man who has very greatly helped the work there, so that he is a pillar of the church, JAMES MADISON, the son of the deceased Shay-day-ence.

Your son in the Gospel,

CHARLES T. WRIGHT.

Report of Rev. FRED. W. SMITH, (P. O. White Earth, Minnesota.) For the present he has no particular charge, being sick.

DEAR BISHOP WHIPPLE:

Another year has passed since I have written you. I have not done much work this year, being sick. When I came home from the Convention, went to my home at Red Lake, doing my work as usual. I have returned home from St. Luke Hospital, St. Paul, and assisted in the church services a little; not able to do much, but I hope by the mercy and love of our Dear Master will restore my poor health, to resume my missionary work at Red Lake.

Your Brother the Gospel,

FRED. W. SMITH.

June 1st, 1880.

The Sheltering Arms.

FIFTH ANNUAL REPORT.

To the President and Ladies of the Board.

The fifth year of the corporation of the Sheltering Arms closes to-day, and the following report is respectfully submitted:

The record of the year has been in many ways one of encouraging prosperity. Although still harassed with debt, we have been enabled to meet promptly all current expenses and to a great extent the interest on the mortgages. The children under our care have enjoyed excellent health, having with the exception of one siege of diphtheria, escaped any serious epidemic, and, for the most part, all ordinary ailments. This exemption from disease we can, doubtless, largely attribute to the perfect sanitary condition of the house and premises. At all times the Home has been well filled, and the number of applications for admittance has often exceeded the limits of our accommodations.

The Annual Donation party took place on October 4th and was a very enjoyable occasion, calling forth a large number of visitors. The amount of \$180.00 in cash was received and many acceptable donations of goods. The concert given at the residence of our vice-president, early in the year, also realized for us very gratifying proceeds. Throughout the year the Home has been the recipient of generous donations of clothing and provisions, and recently of a supply of coal sufficient for the winter's use. To the several donors our thanks are extended together with the assurance that their gifts have been applied to the best advantage.

Since the appointment of the Rev. W. B. Guion as chaplain there have been regular services each Sunday, at the Home. Under the chaplain's auspices, the 30th of August, the children enjoyed a picnic held in a neighboring grove. Through the kindness of friends in furnishing tickets, they were also made happy by a visit in the fall, to the Exposition.

During the year a change has been necessarily made in the management of the institution, our former matron who for so long a time had held the position having resigned on account of failing health. To her successor who for a short time remained in charge, we are much indebted for the order and comfort which she maintained throughout the Home. After considerable delay the services of our present matron, Mrs. Bassett, were secured and in her faithfulness and capacity for the skillful performance of her duties we are able to place a firm reliance.

The number of children in the Home at the time of the last annual meeting was 25; 23 having since been admitted and 21 removed; 2 having been adopted into comfortable homes, and 2 have died. Present number 20. 220 homeless little ones have been cared for during the five years of incorporation. Our means being still inadequate for maintaining a resident teacher, all the older children attend a public school, where their orderly and studious habits have received much commendation.

The Board tenders sincere thanks to Dr. Hall for his freely given services

as attending physician, and the watchful care bestowed upon the health of the children.

The regular meeting of the Board, as well as several special meetings, have been well attended and all have been marked by a prompt consideration of business and a heartfelt sympathy with the work in which we are engaged. At these meetings we have keenly felt the absence of our president, Mr. Breed, who has been prevented by illness from attending, and it is hoped that we may, ere long, again welcome her among us in renewed health. The resignation of our vice-president, Mrs. Goodfellow, was accepted with sincere regret. A vice-president pro. tem. was consequently appointed and a new member elected to the Board.

A word of tribute is due to the memory of the late Mrs. Lockwood, at one time a member of the Board, a woman eminent for her many Christian virtues. Her interest in our work and earnest efforts for its success are held in loving remembrance by many of the present members.

Much discouragement has been felt as to the possibility of relieving our property of debt, and at one time it was feared that we could not much longer keep up the institution. In this extremity an appeal was made to the Bishop of the diocese who called a meeting at St. Paul's church, Minneapolis, in behalf of the Sheltering Arms. The meeting was largely attended, and included several of the clergy of St. Paul and Minneapolis who expressed their interest in the Home, and willingness to aid in promoting its welfare. Bishop Whipple in a long and earnest address impressed upon his hearers the duty of carrying on the work, expressing his firm belief that the help needed for so worthy an enterprise could certainly be obtained. At the Bishop's request, a committee for the thorough canvassing of the diocese was appointed, and the results of this canvass have thus far been encouraging, nearly one-half the debt having been subscribed on condition that the whole amount is raised.

With sincere gratitude for the assistance which the friends of the home have given us in the past, we begin the work of another year in the hope that their more abundant aid will soon place us free from debt, and further the good which could be accomplished by this much needed institution.

December 28, 1888.

HENRIETTA WELLES,

Secretary.

January 10, 1889.

P. S.

A few days after the Annual Meeting the members of the Board were called upon to mourn the death of their beloved president, Mrs. S. S. Breed.

TREASURER'S REPORT.

TREASURER'S REPORT.

	Board	From all other sources.	Wages.	Groceries.	Meat.	Milk.	Fuel.	Incidentl.	Water.	Interest and Principle.	Insurance.	Und' taker.	Rep'ring & Kennel- ing.	Exp'nd'd
Jan.	.....	\$104 86	\$67 00	\$9 00	.....	.....	\$25 00	.....	\$16 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	\$117 00
Feb.	\$318 30	\$97 35	109 75	51 77	\$32 10	\$28 25	29 50	\$7 13	.....	\$290 00	\$5 00	\$24 00	\$111 05	588 55
Mar.	23 63	289 08	18 00	43 04	10 04	8 00	102 50	5 15	8 00	.....	.....	.....	3 00	246 77
April	88 16	56 60	58 00	42 25	.....	.....	20 54	9 04	.....	Int 67 35	.....	.....	.....	227 22
May.	59 15	97 31	83 80	44 54	33 80	51 76	.....	6 75	.....	.....	.....	10 00	2 60	182 65
June.	162 50	70 45	87 50	31 06	.....	\$5 00	25 00	10 00	.....	.....	.....	17 00	13 00	108 58
July.	86 25	61 10	61 10	43 94	36 74	25 40	.....	8 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	2 50	172 56
Aug.	40 15	11 70	77 50	31 06	18 62	17 00	.....	5 00	Ice 2 40	.....	.....	.....	.....	146 58
Sept.	49 00	\$23 78	54 13	38 08	9 98	.....	.....	27 75	.....	.....	5 80	7 50	12 50	155 70
Oct.	76 00	88 04	59 25	35 26	11 00	40 00	108 35	6 15	Ice 2 55	.....	.....	.....	13 50	278 01
Nov.	55 90	365 91	75 37	14 98	13 53	17 00	36 00	19 63	.....	.....	.....	.....	2 24	178 75
Dec.	42 50	129 98	47 00	16 11	16 00	20 00	20 00	7 55	.....	.....	.....	.....	11 75	138 41
Total	\$996 44	\$1,979 23	\$738 30	\$400 95	\$186 28	\$246 35	\$366 80	\$107 19	\$25 46	\$387 35	\$10 80	\$58 50	\$72 14	\$2,000 50

On hand, January 1st, 1888. \$ 48 63
 Board 986 44
 Other sources 1,979 23
 Expended \$3,019 30
 Deposited in Savings Bank, for the debt. \$ 418 48
 Balance for use, December 31st, 1887. 125 00
 Deposited in Savings Bank, in "His Name" fund. \$12 08
 Mas. S. H. McAden, Treasurer
 January 10, 1888. \$ 288 48

S. Barnabas Hospital.

MINNEAPOLIS.

Board of Trustees.

Rev. A. R. Graves,	Rev. F. R. Millspaugh,
Rev. T. B. Wells,	John I. Black,
C. M. Hardenbergh,	W. W. Folwell,
Jno. C. Reno,	M. H. Sessions,
L. R. Robertson,	Geo. C. Farnham,
Geo. S. Grimes.	

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 SECRETARY AND TREASURER—L. R. Robertson.
 EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE—Chas. M. Hardenbergh,
 Jno. C. Reno,
 Geo. C. Farnham.
 SUPERINTENDENT AND MATRON—Mrs. Alice A. Pew.
 HOUSE PHYSICIAN—Dr. E. L. Wood.

ALLEOPATHY STAFF.

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Dr. J. T. Moore,	Dr. C. L. Wells,
Dr. T. S. Roberts,	Dr. J. W. McDonald,
Dr. J. C. Cockburn,	Dr. W. A. Hall,
Dr. E. A. Hutchins,	Dr. J. M. Lewis.

SPECIALISTS.

EYE AND EAR—Dr. Frank Allport,
 Dr. J. C. Spratt.
 GYNECOLOGICAL—Dr. E. Phillips,
 Dr. A. C. Fairbairn.
 NERVOUS DISEASES—Dr. W. A. Jones.

CONSULTING STAFF.

Dr. Chas. Simpson,	Dr. K. Hoegh,
Dr. S. F. Hance.	Dr. J. W. Bell.

CHIEF OF STAFF—Dr. Chas. Simpson.

HOMEOPATHIC STAFF.

MEDICAL.	SPECIALISTS.
Geo. E. Ricker, M. D.,	SURGEON—R. D. Matchan, M. D.
Geo. E. Dennis, M. D.,	EYE AND EAR—J. F. Beaumont, M. D.
S. M. Spaulding, M. D.,	
H. C. Aldrich, M. D.	

The annual meeting of the trustees, the executive committee reported the past year had been the most prosperous of any year since the hospital was opened, and that, by excellent management and close attention to the superintendent had brought the hospital up to the highest standard of efficiency, cleanliness and comfort, which has resulted in establishing a high reputation for the institution, as numerous letters, which are constantly received from grateful patients, abundantly testify. There have been 321 patients treated during the year, 28 of whom died and 3 were cured, making the percentage of mortality nine per cent—a low percentage.

The number of days treatment given to patients was 7,371, at a total cost of \$9,723.50, or \$1.31 per day. This cost does not include repairs to buildings, taxes, insurance and "charity" outlays which amount to \$897.83.

The Annual Meeting of the Board of Trustees of St. Barnabas Hospital, the Treasurer read the following reports, showing Account Current, and Receipts and Expenditures for the year ending June 1st, 1899:

ACCOUNT CURRENT.

EARNINGS.

For treatment.....	\$12,086.83	
From—		
W. S. King.....	\$250.00	
Gethsemane.....	94.54	
R. Martin (int.).....	120.00	
All Saints Church.....	5.50	
Miscellaneous.....	8.76	482.60
		<u>6.00</u>
		\$12,575.45

EXPENDITURES.

For Property.....	\$	131.96	
Super.....		200.00	
.....		825.00	
.....		100.00	
.....		391.28	
(emloyees).....		3,114.99	
and medicines.....		780.62	
Medical appliances.....		76.54	
.....		2,096.17	
.....		1,084.99	
.....		654.80	
.....		59.45	
.....		25.00	
.....		848.37	
.....		1,147.98	
.....		130.20	
Balance.....		1,954.12	<u>12,575.45</u>

CHARITY FUND.

RECEIPTS.

From St. Anne Church.....	\$	100.00	
St. Mark's Church.....		71.00	171.00

PER CONTRA.

State of deposit in hands of treasurer.....		<u>171.00</u>
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RESOURCES AND LIABILITIES.

Resources.			
Cash on hand.....	\$145.47		
Charity Fund.....	171.00		
Funds in Bank.....	275.74		
Due from National Benefit Co.....	679.50		
Due from patients.....	1,322.09		
			<u>\$2,593.50</u>
Liabilities.			
Overpaid by Sundry friends.....	\$130.92		
Due employees.....	242.90		
Due sundry creditors acct. of supplies.....	1,676.18		
Balance (Surplus).....	543.80		
			<u>\$2,593.80</u>

PERMANENT FUND.

Contributions by—		
Joel Bassett, Minneapolis, (1875).....	\$200.00	
Mrs. Horatio Seymour, Buffalo, N. Y., (1882).....	1,000.00	
John Inness, Minneapolis (1883).....	760.00	
		\$1,960.00
Investments, loaned on mortgage at 8 per cent to—		
Robert Swenson, Chas. Kreger.....	\$1,075.00	
Wilhelm Gillen.....	500.00	
Isaac Atwater.....	20.22	
Certificate of deposit in hands of treasurer.....	282.78	
O. Longworth, note endorsed by D. D. Knickerbocker...	75.00	
		\$1,960.00

The interest on the above fund is all the income the Hospital has, from endowments to devote to purely charity work. The board looks forward with faith to the time when some good souls, moved with love and sympathy for suffering fellow beings, shall abundantly endow this noble work so that all needy poor can find a home here in their misfortunes.

TREASURER'S REPORT OF RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES DURING THE YEAR
ENDING JUNE 1, 1889.

Balance on hand at last report	\$	216.44	
Cash received from Superintendent, acct. of earnings.....		10,293.32	
Donations—			
W. S. King	\$	250.00	
Gethsemane Church.....		98.54	
All Saints		5.50	
St. Mark's		71.00	
Gethsemane		55.00	
		45.00	525.04
Interest on permanent fund.....		126.00	\$11,131.00
PER CONTRA.			
Bookkeeper.....	\$	200.00	
Taxes		25.00	
Treasurer's expenses.....		17.40	
Transferred to Charity Fund.....		171.00	
Paid to sundry creditors ac. of supplies.....		10,441.86	
Balance (cash on hand).....		275.74	11,131.00

SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT OF CASH RECEIVED AND EXPENDED DURING
THE YEAR ENDING JUNE 11, 1889.

RECEIPTS.		
From patients.....		\$11,318.39
EXPENDED.		
Transferred to treasurer.....	\$10,233.52	
For sundries as per cash book.....	909.46	
Balance (cash on hand).....	145.47	11,318.39

The value of the hospital property is estimated at \$62,000.

S. Luke's Hospital.

DULUTH.

BOARD OF MANAGERS, 1889.

REV. WILLIAM M. BARKER	-	-	-	-	President.
MR. THOMAS CULLYFORD,	-	-	-	-	Secretary.
MR. GEORGE E. WELLES,	-	-	-	-	Treasurer.
D. G. CASH,					MRS. W. R. STONE,
MRS. F. W. PAINE,					MRS. J. H. CROWLEY,
					MISS MARY E. SCOTT,
					Matron and Superintendent.

Number of patients admitted from Oct. 18, 1881 to May 1, 1888	1318	Died,	173
May 1, 1888 to May 1, 1889	289	"	31

CLASSIFICATION.

Private	118
County	121
Marine	28
Charity	37

NATIONALITY.

Sweden	74
United States	68
Finland	41
Canada	28
Germany	17
Ireland	12
England	10
Scotland	6
Italy	4
Bohemia	2
Belgium, Denmark, Holland, Iceland, Palestine and Wales, each 1.	

The Secretary's report is as follows:

RECEIPTS.

May, 1888	\$225 88
June, "	280 57
July, "	413 81
Aug, "	496 15
Sept, "	543 80
Oct, "	823 25
Nov, "	803 60
Dec, "	688 05
Jan, 1889	471 55
Feb, "	340 60
Mar, "	291 60
Apr, "	623 37
Oct, 1888 Cash Donations	480 25

ORDERS DRAWN.

May, 1888	\$264 40
June, "	294 80
July, "	608 43
Aug, "	685 98
Sept, "	562 53
Oct, "	1128 75
Nov, "	861 49
Dec, "	938 33
Jan, 1889	384 22
Feb, "	424 80
Mar, "	361 01
Apr, "	359 61

STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS.

From St. Louis County.....	\$ 3,228
From private patients.....	1,022
From marine patients.....	657
From donations.....	684
	\$ 6,689

STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES.

Household expenses.....	\$ 2,178
Permanent improvements.....	1,701
Groceries.....	1,523
Fuel.....	351
Meat.....	350
Drugs.....	250
Miscellaneous.....	781
	\$ 6,884

SUMMARY.

May 1, 1888, cash balance.....	\$ 786 83	May 1, 1889, bills paid for year.....	\$6,994 50
May 1, 1889, receipts for year.....	6,652 48	May 1, 1889, cash balance.....	554 00
	\$7,439 31		\$ 7,439 31

Total number days' care.....	7,439
Daily average number of patients.....	12
Average cost of each patient per day exclusive of donations.....	90

S. Luke's Hospital.

105 N. EIGHTH ST., ST. PAUL, MINN.

OFFICERS.

PRESIDENT.....	Mrs. T. D. Barton.
VICE PRESIDENT.....	Mrs. Oliver Dalrymple.
SECRETARY.....	Mrs. James Giltillan.
TREASURER.....	Mrs. H. Stevens.
CHAPLAIN.....	Rev. Chas. D. Andrews.
MATRON.....	Mrs. M. A. Bradbury.

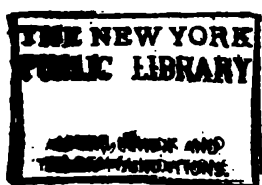
BOARD OF TRUSTEES.

A. H. Wilder,	R. R. Nelson,
Henry Hale,	Reuben Warner,
William Dawson,	John Swainson,
H. H. Sibley,	John H. Ames.

MEDICAL BOARD.

Drs. Senkler, Flagg, Wharton, Ritchie and Stamm.

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Summary of Statistics of the Diocese of Minnesota.

JUNE 12, 1889.

Parishes and Missions reporting	139
Churches with rented pews	6
Bishops	2
Priests	77
Deacons	12
Families	5,985
Whole No. Souls	21,375
Baptisms (infants, 1,112, adults, 422)	1,581
Confirmations (parishes reported, 1,085), bishop's report	1,125
Communicants	9,415
Communicating during year	7,325
Marriages	292
Burials	458
Public Services	13,363
Holy Communion (times celebrated)	2,017
Sunday School Teachers	786
Sunday School Scholars	7,111
Value Church Property (Church buildings, \$595,530.00), Rectories, lots, etc., \$813,105.00)	\$1,408,625.00
Indebtedness	\$78,825.32
Communion Alms	83,268.77

PAROCHIAL.

Rector's Salaries	\$50,600.83
Current Expenses	31,469.99
Church Building, Improvements, Charity and Mis- cellaneous	31,875.81
Sunday School Work	2,423.33
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	8116,369.96

DIOCESAN

Missions, Bishop's Salary, C. F. and Miscellaneous	\$12,981.13
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EXTRA DIOCESAN.

Domestic and Foreign Missions, and Miscellaneous	\$4,815.59
Total Receipts as reported	\$147,694.71

STATE OF THE CHURCH.

PARISHES AND MISSIONS REPORTING, 1881.

RENTED PLEWS, 6.

SUMMARY OF ANNUAL REPORTS, 1881 TO 1889.

	1881.	1882.	1883.	1884.	1885.	1886.	1887.	1888.	1889.
Bishops.....	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2
Presbyters.....	69	72	69	69	70	68	67	75	77
Deacons.....	12	11	9	7	10	11	11	11	12
Families.....	3,493	3,940	4,093	3,708	3,733	4,249	4,633	4,500	5,485
Individuals.....	11,901	15,806	16,329	15,403	15,402	17,108	18,712	19,330	21,375
Baptisms.....	639	720	595	674	604	806	802	700	1112
Infants.....	140	176	125	147	124	209	214	230	423
Adults.....									
Confirmations.....	425	397	629	430	455	472	717	900	1,581
Communicants.....	5,084	5,213	5,305	5,394	5,322	6,322	7,613	7,360	8,085
Communicating during year.....	2,861	3,224	3,339	3,335	3,322	3,922	5,081	5,000	5,115
Marriages.....	255	300	300	325	302	277	483	500	7,323
Burials.....	438	480	475	408	471	574	485	425	482
Public Services.....	9,481	7,853				8,077	9,266	9,740	13,408
Holy Communion.....	1,041	1,074				1,007	1,007	1,007	2,017
Sunday School Teachers.....	458	574	408	449	485	444	607	607	746
Sunday School Scholars.....	4,420	4,742	4,412	4,089	4,268	5,308	5,311	5,408	7,111
Church Schools.....	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2
Theological Schools.....	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Hospitals.....	1	2	4		3	3	3	3	3
Value Church Property.....	\$410,408.05	\$479,050.03	\$525,000.00	\$661,325.00	\$768,142.00	\$870,615.00	\$870,800.00	\$900,170.00	\$908,530.00
Indebtedness.....	14,076.00	12,090.00		48,307.00	69,549.00	72,481.50	57,439.00	60,035.00	813,105.00
Communion Alms.....	2,032.91	2,076.04	2,113.47	3,194.50	3,182.50	3,084.69	2,704.41	2,448.40	78,323.32
Pastor Salaries.....	20,698.93	29,276.45	36,411.24	39,674.91	39,161.42	41,708.30	38,300.80	37,867.80	53,304.77
Proctorial.....	47,449.85		67,032.77	39,664.53	69,793.03	72,719.33	91,454.21	124,500.29	103,660.83
Diocesan.....	7,531.91		21,080.18	14,666.93	30,102.10	16,368.58	22,842.10	116,360.16	
Extra Disbursements.....	731.07	904.91	5,706.84	7,431.55	1,842.65	3,077.57	2,732.25	3,250.32	12,081.13
Total Contributions reported.....	47,360.17	83,474.22	136,041.50	127,571.97	132,684.34	135,707.73	135,160.75	146,507.30	147,694.71

*As per Parochial Report. †Church Buildings and Rectories only. ‡There is a loss in this summary of some 500 families and some 2,000 individuals and a proportionate loss in all the other items, by the failure of several Parishes to report, notably Brainerd, Duluth, St. John's, St. Paul, and St. Andrew's, Minneapolis, and many others. §g. Bishop's Report, Corcoran.

STANDING RULES OF ORDER.

I. No motion shall be debated, or shall be considered as before the Council, unless seconded, and, if required, reduced to writing.

II. When a question is under consideration, no motion shall be received unless to lay it upon the table; to postpone it to a certain time; to postpone it indefinitely; to commit it; to amend it; or to divide it. And motions for any of these purposes shall have precedence in the order named.

III. The motion to lay upon the table, and to adjourn, shall always be in order, and shall be put without debate.

IV. A majority of each order of those who have been present at any time in the Council, shall be necessary to constitute a quorum; and no questions shall be considered as finally decided on which a quorum fails to vote.

V. The Council shall vote by orders whenever any two members shall require it.

VI. All Clergymen of the Protestant Episcopal Church, and of Churches in full communion with the same; candidates for Holy Orders in this Diocese; and the Vestry of the Church in which the Council is held shall be admitted to the sittings of the Council, and their names entered in the Journal on reporting themselves to the Secretary

ORDER OF PROCEDURE.

I. FIRST DAY.

1. The Secretary, under the direction of the Bishop, or, in case of his absence, disability, or of a vacancy in the Episcopate, under the direction of the Standing Committee, shall call the names of the clergy entitled to seats.

2. The Secretary shall call the Parishes entitled to representation, when the Lay Delegates shall present their certificates, which shall be examined by a committee consisting of the Secretary and two members appointed by the chair. Irregular and defective certificates, and certificates and documents relating to contested seats, shall be temporarily laid aside. The names of the Lay Delegates duly appointed shall then be called; after which the certificates and documents laid aside shall be referred to the Standing Committee on Privileges.

3. A constitutional quorum being present, the President shall declare the Council organized for business, which shall proceed in the following order:

4. The Annual Address of the Bishop, unless he should prefer another time for its delivery, if so, it shall at any time be in order.

5. Reading the rules of order.

6. Election of a Secretary and Treasurer.

7. The announcement by the President of the following

STANDING COMMITTEES.

1. On the Organization and Incorporation of Parishes and their Admission into union with the Council—one clergyman and two laymen.

2. On Finance—to whom shall be referred the accounts of the Treasurers of the different funds—one clergyman and two laymen.

3. On Privilege—to whom shall be referred any doubtful or disputed claims to a seat in the Council—two clergymen and two laymen.

4. On Legislation—to whom shall be referred all proposed alterations and amendments of the Constitution and Canons—two clergymen and two laymen.

5. On the State of the Church—to whom shall be referred the subject of Missions, Education, Charities and other work of the Church, and Diocesan Statistics—two clergymen and three laymen.

6. On Unfinished Business.
7. On Assessments.
8. The receiving and referring, when necessary, of reports, other than those of special committees, which may have been handed to the Secretary.
9. The receiving and referring of applications of Parishes for admission into union with the Council.
10. Miscellaneous Business.

II. SECOND DAY.

1. Morning prayer.
2. Calling the roll.
3. Reading the minutes.
4. Report of Committees on Certificates of Lay Delegates not present before.
5. Reports of Standing Committees of the Council.
6. Report of Standing Committee of the Diocese.
7. Report of the Secretary when business has been committed to him.
8. Report of Select Committees.
9. Report of Treasurer of Missions.
10. Election of Deputies and Supplementary Deputies to the General Convention.
11. Miscellaneous business.

III. EACH SUBSEQUENT DAY.

1. Morning prayer.
2. Calling the roll.
3. Report of Committees on certificates of Lay Delegates.
4. Calling the names of members not present before.
5. Reports of Standing Committees of the Council.
6. Miscellaneous business.

IV. If the prescribed order of business on any day shall not have been gone through with, the first business on the succeeding day shall be the matters which had not been reached on the previous day, and in the order prescribed for that day. This rule shall not apply to miscellaneous business.

V. If the President *ex-officio* is not present at the opening of the Council, the Secretary shall call the Council to order, when the senior presbyter present, being entitled to a seat, shall take the chair; and in such case, immediately after the organization of the Council, a President shall be elected by ballot from among the clergy.

VI. Before the rising of the Council, the minutes of the last day's meeting shall be read and approved.

VII. This order of business may be suspended at any time by the vote of two-thirds of the members present.

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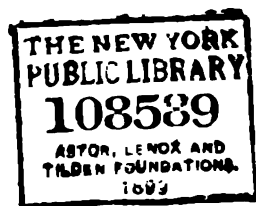
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 Hamilton, Rev. Wm. B., Rector, S. Luke's Church, Minneapolis.
 Hart, Rev. Mark, Indian Missionary, charge Church of Good Shepherd, Leech Lake.
 Haupt, Rev. C. E., Rector, S. James' Church, St. Paul.
 Hawley, Rev. Fletcher J., D. D., (P. O. Lake Park.)
 Hillmer, Rev. Joseph J., charge Trinity Church, St. Charles, (P. O. Winona.)
 Hills, Rev. Horace J., Wabasha.
 Hixon, Rev. Charles E., Rector, Grace Church, Minneapolis.
 Hudson, Rev. Theodore C., Sauk Center.
 Johnson (Enmegahbowh), Rev. John, White Earth Reservation.
 Johnson, Rev. Hubert M.
 Jones, Rev. J. Wynne, Rector, S. Mark's Church, Lake City.
 Jukes, Rev. Mark, Rector, Emmanuel Church, Alexandria.
 Joss, Rev. A. A., Rector, Church of Our Saviour, Little Falls.
 Kedney, Rev. J. S., D. D., Prof. Divinity, Seabury Divinity School, Faribault.
 Knowlton, Rev. Wm. H., Rector, S. Paul's Church, Winona.
 Kuehn, Rev. Alexander D. J., Rector, Christ Church, Glencoe.
 Lyon, Rev. D. B., Minneapolis.
 McVettie, Rev. Wellington, Rector, Christ Church, Austin.
 Millsbaugh, Rev. Frank R., Rector, S. Paul's Church, 1215 Hawthorn ave., Minneapolis.
 Mills, Rev. Samuel, Rector, S. Peter's Church, St. Paul.
 Morgan, Rev. George B., Indian Missionary, Church of the Holy Spirit, Pembina Settlement (P. O. White Earth.)
 Moyses, Rev. Edward, Rector, S. Luke's Church, Hastings.
 Mueller, Rev. G. H., Rector, All Saints Church, Northfield.
 Nash, Rev. F. B., Sr., Tintah.
 Peake, Rev. E. S., Chaplain S. Mary's Hall, Faribault.
 Pinkham, Rev. Alfred G., Rector, Trinity Church, Litchfield.
 Plummer, Rev. Charles H., Lake City.
 Pope, Rev. Wm. C., Rector, Church of the Good Shepherd, St. Paul.
 Pritchard, Rev. J., charge, Emmanuel Church, Rushford.
 Purdy, Rev. E. J., Minneapolis.
 Poole, Rev. Charles A., Professor, Seabury Divinity School, Faribault.
 Potts, Rev. Francis H., Rector, Christ Church, Benson.
 Prosser, Rev. J. W., Managing Editor Diocesan Organ, 1922 Fourth street, S. E., Minneapolis, and Missionary.
 Pullen, Rev. C. M., Rector, S. Peter's Church, Shakopee.
 Purves, Rev. Stuart B., Missionary, Redwood Falls.
 Ray, Rev. M. N., Rector, Gethsemane Church, Appleton.
 Rollit, Rev. C. C., Rector, S. James' Church, Fergus Falls.
 Root, Rev. Herbert, Valley City, Dak.
 Ross, Rev. W. H. H., Rector, S. Peter's Church, Kasson.
 Sayres, Rev. William S.
 Sherman, Rev. C. A., Faribault.
 Smith, Rev. Frederick W., Indian Missionary, Church S. John in the Wilderness, Red Lake.
 Smith, Rev. Geo., Indian Missionary, Church S. Antipas, Red Lake.



- Sterrett, Rev. J. McBride, D. D., Professor Ethics and Apologetics, Seabury Divinity School, Faribault.
 Stowe, Rev. Andrew D., Rector, Ascension Church, Stillwater.
 Tanner, Rev. Geo. C., Chaplain, Shattuck School, Faribault.
 Townsend, Rev. I. Jerome, Fairmont.
 Tuson, Jr., Rev. Wm., Rector, S. Andrew's Church, Waterville.
 Walden, Rev. Treadwell.
 Wakazoo, Rev. Joseph, Indian Missionary, S. Phillip's Church, Lake Winnebagoishish (P. O. Leech Lake.)
 Ware, Rev. Charles S., Missionary, Luverne.
 Wells, Rev. Thomas B., D. D., S. Mark's Church, 33 S. 6th, Minneapolis.
 Wells, Rev. Charles L., Professor Ecclesiastical History, Seabury Divinity School, Faribault.
 White, Rev. John H., Rector, Church of S. John the Evangelist, St. Paul.
 Willis, Jr. Rev. Francis, Missionary, Red Lake.
 Williamson, Rev. John, Hastings.
 Wilkinson, Rev. Wm., Rector, S. Andrew's Church, Minneapolis.
 Wilson, Rev. E. Stuart, D. D., Professor O. and N. T. Exegesis and Hebrew, Seabury Divinity School, Faribault.
 Winsor, Rev. A. S. H., Rector, S. Martin's Church, Fairmont.
 Woodward, Rev. Charles, residing in Olmsted county. (P. O. Rochester.)
 Wright, Rev. Charles, Indian Missionary, Assistant S. Columba Church, White Earth Reservation.
 Wright, Rev. John, Rector, S. Paul's Church, 383 E. 9th, St. Paul.

† Not Canonically connected with the Diocese.

DISTRICT PRESBYTERS.

NAMES OF DISTRICTS BY COUNTIES, AND THE DISTRICT PRESBYTER.

1. The Indian Country—Rev. J. A. Gilfillan, White Earth.
2. Kittson, Marshall, Polk and Norman—Rev. Henry Beer, St. Vincent.
3. Clay, Becker and Wilkin—Rev. T. E. Dickey, Moorhead.
4. Cass, (southern portion) Crow Wing, Aitkin and Morrison—Rev. Geo. H. Davis, Brainerd.
5. Carlton, St. Louis, Lake and Cook—Rev. W. M. Barker, Duluth.
6. Grant, Douglas and Pope—Rev. M. Jukes, Alexandria.
7. Pine, Chisago, Kanabec, Isanti, Washington—Rev. A. D. Stowe, Stillwater.
8. Stearns (northern portion) and Todd—Rev. J. F. Hamilton, Sauk Centre.
9. Stearns, (southern portion) Benton and Sherburne—The Dean, Rev. C. A. Cummings, St. Cloud.
10. Big Stone, Traverse, Stevens and Swift—Rev. F. H. Potts, Benson.
11. Kandiyohi and Meeker—Rev. D. T. Booth, Willmar.
12. Chippewa, Lac qui Parle, Yellow Medicine, Lyon, Lincoln and McLeod—Rev. J. B. Halsey, Granite Falls.
13. Wright, Anoka, Hennepin and Mille Lacs—Rev. F. R. Millsbaugh, Minneapolis.
14. Ramsey, Scott and Carver—Rev. John Wright, St. Paul.
15. Le Sueur, (western portion) Sibley, Nicollet, Blue Earth and Watonwan—Rev. A. R. Taylor, Mankato.
16. Rock, Pipestone, Murray, Nobles, Jackson and Cottonwood—Rev. C. S. Ware, Luverne.

17. Martin, Faribault, Freeborn and Mower—Rev. R. R. Goudy, Blue Earth.
18. Fillmore, Houston, Dodge, Olmstead and Winona—Rev. W. H. Knowlton, Winona.
19. Wabasha, Goodhue and Dakota—Rev. Edward Moyses, Hastings.
20. Rice, Steele, Waseca and Le Sueur (eastern portion)—Rev. E. S. Wilson, D. D., Faribault.
21. Otter Tail, Wadena and Hubbard—Rev. C. C. Rollit, Fergus Falls.
22. Red Wood, Renville and Brown—Rev. S. B. Purves, Redwood Falls.

CANDIDATES FOR HOLY ORDERS.

JUNE 4, 1890.

Roland S. Nichols,
R. M. Baker,
Albert E. Fillmore,
Arthur Chard,
Frank H. Barton,
Laurence E. Miller,
Geo. M. Marshall,

Wm. H. Dewart,
Albert M. Hilliker,
Wm. J. Cordick,
C. H. Remington,
J. M. Frost,
J. Sahlinger,
Geo. F. G. Hoyt.—14

POSTULANTS.

JUNE 4, 1890.

Anthony T. Gesner,
Geo. L. Keefer,
Chas F. Kite,
Geo. Robinson,
Jno. Johnson,

Thos. P. Thurston,
John Caldwell,
Frank Durant,
Ernest Dray,
Eugene Rucker.—10

LAY READERS.

LICENSED DURING THE YEAR ENDING MAY 31, 1890.

E. A. Hazzard.....Rushford.
Frank Hamilton.....Faribault.
Herbert H. Ten Broeck..Caledonia.
Ernest Dray.....St. Paul.
Mrs. Caroline F. Smyser,Glyndon.
Wm. Denley.....Cass Lake.
Geo. Code.....Minneapolis.
John I. Black.....Minneapolis.
E. S. Weitzel.....Minneapolis.
Fred G. Atkinson.....Minneapolis.
Ed. H. Mathes.....Minneapolis.
Chas. H. Evans.....St. Paul.
N. R. Reynolds.....Luverne.
Harry Steele.....Faribault.
Arthur Chard.....Faribault.
H. F. Parshall.....Faribault.
C. H. Remington,Cambridge,Mass.
B. T. Dryden.....Wilder.
Angus Haines, Jr.....Paynesville.
Wm. Hinman.....Birch Coolie.
W. H. Franklin.....St. Paul.

Geo. Bell.....St. Paul.
T. M. Bacon.....Faribault.
H. M. Hood.....Merriam Park.
Frank Durant.....Faribault.
Robt. Lyle.....Minneapolis.
L. C. Miller.....Wells.
Roger Tuson.....Minnetonka Mills.
Jno. Soper.....Minneapolis.
Jos. D. Greene.....Lake Benton.
Jno. Caldwell.....Rush City.
Russell Freeman.....St. Paul.
Chas. Henry.....Point Douglass.
Frank B. Millard.....St. Paul.
V. E. Baxter.....Faribault.
Geo. F. G. Hoyt.....Faribault.
Jno. E. Sanborn.....Faribault.
Jno. A. Williams.....Faribault.
W. J. Cordick.....Faribault.
Frank S. Hayes.....Mentor.
David Gallinger.....Basswood Grove.
Isaac Houlgate.....Faribault.

PARISHES AND CONGREGATIONS.

ORGANIZED AND INCORPORATED AND ENTITLED TO REPRESENTATION IN COUNCIL.
JUNE 4-5, 1890.

<i>Place</i>	<i>County</i>	<i>Name.</i>
Albert Lea.....	Freeborn.....	Christ.
Appleton.....	Swift.....	Gethsemane.
Anoka.....	Anoka.....	Trinity.
Austin.....	Mower.....	Christ.
Alexandria.....	Douglas.....	Emmanuel.
Basswood Grove.....	Washington.....	S. Mary's.
Becker.....	Sherburne.....	Trinity Chapel.
Belle Plaine.....	Scott.....	Church of the Transfiguration.
Benson.....	Swift.....	Christ.
Brainerd.....	Crow Wing.....	S. Paul's.
Brown's Valley.....	Traverse.....	S. Luke's.
Chatfield.....	Fillmore.....	S. Matthew's.
Caledonia.....	Houston.....	Trinity.
Cannon Falls.....	Goodhue.....	Redeemer.
Crookston.....	Polk.....	Christ.
Duluth.....	St. Louis.....	S. Paul's.
Elk River.....	Sherburne.....	Trinity.
Fairmont.....	Martin.....	S. Martin's. [Saviour.
Faribault.....	Rice.....	Cathedral of our Merciful
Farmington.....	Dakota.....	Church of the Advent.
Fergus Falls.....	Otter Tail.....	S. James.
Granite Falls.....	Yellow Medicine.....	Trinity.
Hastings.....	Dakota.....	S. Luke's.
Hasson.....	Hennepin.....	S. John the Evangelist.
Henderson.....	Sibley.....	S. Jude's.
Janesville.....	Waseca.....	S. John's.
Kenyon.....	Goodhue.....	Ascension.
Lake City.....	Wabasha.....	S. Mark's.
Le Sueur.....	Le Sueur.....	S. John's.
Litchfield.....	Meeker.....	Trinity.
Little Falls.....	Morrison.....	Our Saviour.
Mankato.....	Blue Earth.....	S. John's.
Montevideo.....	Chippewa.....	Grace.
Minneapolis.....	Hennepin.....	Gethsemane.
Minneapolis.....	Hennepin.....	Grace.
Minneapolis.....	Hennepin.....	Holy Trinity.
Minneapolis.....	Hennepin.....	All Saints.'
Minneapolis.....	Hennepin.....	S. Mark's.
Minneapolis.....	Hennepin.....	S. Andrew's.
Minneapolis.....	Hennepin.....	S. Paul's.
Minneapolis.....	Hennepin.....	S. Luke's.
Moorhead.....	Clay.....	S. John's.
Northfield.....	Rice.....	All Saints.'
Owatonna.....	Steele.....	S. Paul's.
Paynesville.....	Stearns.....	S. Stephen's.
Point Douglas.....	Washington.....	S. Paul's.
Pine Island.....	Goodhue.....	Grace.
Redwood Falls.....	Redwood.....	Holy Communion.

<i>Place.</i>	<i>County.</i>	<i>Name.</i>
Red Wing	Goodhue	Christ.
Rushford	Fillmore	Emmanuel.
Rochester	Olmstead	Calvary.
Royalton	Morrison	Grace.
Sauk Centre	Stearns	Good Samaritan.
Sauk Rapids	Benton	Grace.
Shakopee	Scott	S. Peter's.
Stillwater	Washington	Ascension.
St. Charles	Winona	Trinity.
St. Cloud	Stearns	S. John's.
St. Paul	Ramsey	Ascension.
St. Paul	Ramsey	Christ.
St. Paul	Ramsey	Good Shepherd.
St. Paul	Ramsey	S. James'.
St. Paul	Ramsey	S. Matthew's.
St. Paul	Ramsey	S. John, the Evangelist.
St. Paul	Ramsey	S. Paul's.
St. Paul	Ramsey	S. Peter's.
St. Paul (Merriam Pk)	Ramsey	S. Mary's.
St. Peter	Nicollet	Holy Communion.
St. Vincent	Kittson	Christ.
Wabasha	Wabasha	Grace.
White Bear Lake	Ramsey	S. John's in the Wilderness.
Winona	Winona	S. Paul's.
Waterville	Le Sueur	S. Andrew's.
Wells	Faribault	Nativity.
Willmar	Kandiyohi	S. Luke's.
Wilton	Waseca	Calvary.
White Earth	Becker	S. Columba.
Zumbrota	Goodhue	Trinity.
Total		78.

MISSIONS.

NOT ENTITLED TO REPRESENTATION IN COUNCIL, JUNE 4-5, 1890.

<i>Place.</i>	<i>County.</i>	<i>Name.</i>
.....	Aitkin.....	.....
.....	Kandiyohi.....	.....
.....	Goodhue.....	S. Paul's
.....	Dakota.....	S. Barnabas'
.....	Redwood.....	S. John's
.....	Faribault.....	Good Shepherd
.....	Wilkin.....	S. Luke's
.....	Houston.....	Holy Comforter
.....	McLeod.....	S. Mary's
.....	Wright.....	.....
..... (P. O. Clearwater).....	Wright.....	S. Mark's
.....	Rice.....	Holy Innocents
.....	Le Sueur.....	Christ
.....	Beltrami.....	Prince of Peace
.....	Becker.....	S. Luke's
.....	Rice.....	Holy Cross
.....	Wright.....	.....
.....	Winona.....	.....
.....	Winona.....	S. John's
.....	Hennepin.....	Trinity
.....	Le Sueur.....	Grace
.....	Hennepin.....	S. John's
.....	Goodhue.....	Christ
.....	Rice.....	Scandinavian Mission.
.....	Anoka.....	Holy Trinity Chapel
.....	McLeod.....	Christ.
.....	Pope.....	.....
.....	Clay.....	.....
.....	Houston.....	Our Saviour
.....	Wright.....	All Saints'
.....	Kittson.....	.....
.....	Jackson.....	.....
.....	Dodge.....	S. Peter's
.....	Lincoln.....	S. John's Chapel
.....	Le Sueur.....	.....
.....	Todd.....	.....
.....	Blue Earth.....	All Angels
.....	Becker.....	.....
.....	Cass.....	Good Shepherd
.....	Rock.....	Holy Trinity
.....	Watonwan.....	Christ
.....	Dodge.....	S. John's
.....	Lyon.....	S. James'
.....	Blue Earth.....	Good Shepherd
.....	Stearns.....	Trinity
.....	Polk.....	.....
.....	Wabasha.....	.....
.....	Hennepin.....	S. John's
.....	Stevens.....	All Saints'

Place	County	Name
Morris, Wis.	Rice	S. John's
New Hartford	Winona	
New London		
New York Mills	Outer Tail	
North Branch	Chisago	S. Thomas'
Northfield	Big Stone	Christ
Perham	Outer Tail	Epiphany
Preston	Fillmore	
Pembina settlement	Norman	Holy Spirit
Pipe Stone	Pipe Stone	
Rockwood	Becker	Holy Apostles
Reno	Pope	
Rockford	Wright	Trinity
Red Lake Falls	Potik	
Red Lake Agency	Beltrami	S. John in the Wilderness
Red Lake	Beltrami	S. Antipas
Rice's	Morrison	
Rush City	Chisago	Grace
Skyberg	Goodhue	
South Kenyon	Goodhue	
Spring Valley	Fillmore	
Stanton	Goodhue	
Stockton	Winona	Trinity
Stayton	Murray	S. Paul's
St. Paul	Ramsey	S. Stephen's
St. Paul	Ramsey	Resurrection
St. Paul	Ramsey	Nativity
St. Paul	Ramsey	Church of the Messiah
St. Paul Park	Washington	Trinity
Sleepy Eye	Redwood	
St. James	Watonwan	Calvary
Wadena	Wadena	Grace
Warsaw	Rice	S. Thomas'
Waseca	Waseca	Calvary
Wells	Rice	Emmanuel
Wilder	Jackson	Redeemer
Windom	Cottonwood	Good Shepherd
Winnibigoshish Lake	Itasca	S. Philip's
Wild Rice River	Norman	Epiphany
Worthington	Nobles	S. John's
Total		89
Parishes		78
Missions		89
Total		167

ROLL OF LAY DELEGATES.

ENTITLED TO SEATS AND PRESENT IN THE THIRTY-THIRD ANNUAL COUNCIL OF
THE DIOCESE, JUNE 4-5, 1890.

<i>Albert Lea</i>	CHRIST CHURCH: Mr. E. F. Gage.	
<i>Appleton</i>	GETHSEMANE CHURCH: Mr. A. D. Countryman.*	
<i>Austin</i>	CHRIST CHURCH: Mr. H. E. Cook.*	
<i>Basswood Grove</i>	S. MARY'S CHURCH: Mr. W. G. Hetherington,*	Mr. D. B. Gallinger.*
<i>Brainerd</i>	S. PAUL'S CHURCH: Capt. W. P. Spalding, Mr. L. P. White,	Mr. J. C. Small, Mr. R. H. Walters.
<i>Benson</i>	CHRIST CHURCH: Mr. Frank M. Thornton,*	Mr. Ernest Aldrich.
<i>Duluth</i>	S. PAUL'S CHURCH: Mr. S. F. Snively.*	
<i>Faribault</i>	CATHEDRAL CHURCH: Hon. G. E. Cole,* Mr. J. C. N. Cottrell,* Mr. A. E. Haven,* Mr. Geo. S. Whitney.*	Mr. S. L. Crocker,* Mr. E. K. Clements,* Mr. Stephen Jewett.*
<i>Fairmont</i>	S. MARTIN'S CHURCH: Mr. Percy Wollaston,*	Mr. Alfred Sinclair.*
<i>Fergus Falls</i>	S. JAMES' CHURCH: Mr. Jas. A. Brown,*	Mr. Geo. C. Miles.*
<i>Granite Falls</i>	TRINITY CHURCH: Mr. Jno. Winter,*	Mr. Jacob Cooke.*
<i>Hassan</i>	S. JOHN'S CHURCH: Mr. Septimus Parslow.*	
<i>Hastings</i>	S. LUKE'S CHURCH: Mr. John R. Claggett,* Mr. A. J. W. Thompson.*	Dr. Wm. Thorne.*
<i>Kenyon</i>	ASCENSION CHURCH: Mr. S. A. Bullis,*	Mr. N. J. Bohlke.*
<i>Lake City</i>	CHRIST CHURCH: Mr. L. H. Buck,*	Mr. R. H. Moore.*
<i>Litchfield</i>	TRINITY CHURCH: Mr. Chas. H. Strobeck, Mr. Hamlet Stevens.	Mr. J. H. Morris.

<i>Minneapolis</i>	ALL SAINTS' CHURCH: Mr. Thomas Saegar,	J. W. McDonald, M. D.
<i>Minneapolis</i>	GETHSEMANE CHURCH: Hon. I. Atwater, Mr. Jno. I. Black, Mr. E. H. Holbrook, Jr., Mr. W. E. Hartsborn, Mr. E. H. Mathes, Mr. Wm. Saegar, Mr. Z. V. P. Wiggins (alt.)	Mr. C. H. Brown, Mr. O. T. Tuttle, Mr. Geo. C. Farnham,* Mr. W. H. Ritchie,* Mr. E. W. Weitzel,* Mr. F. G. Atkinson, Mr. E. P. Hawthorne, (alt.)
<i>Minneapolis</i>	GRACE CHURCH: Mr. John Parslow, Mr. A. H. Kittell,*	Mr. F. O. Kittell (alt.)
<i>Minneapolis</i>	HOLY TRINITY CHURCH: Mr. J. G. Hall, Mr. Fred Farrington.	Mr. C. H. House, Mr. A. S. Leib.*
<i>Minneapolis</i>	S. ANDREW'S CHURCH: Mr. JOHN Hasty,*	Mr. Vost.*
<i>Minneapolis</i>	S. MARK'S CHURCH: Capt. J. C. Reno, Mr. Geo. H. Christian, Mr. W. B. Folds, Mr. J. R. Van Derlip,*	Dr. G. R. Montgomery, Mr. W. A. Edwards, Mr. Fred. Paine, Mr. Geo. F. Barnard.*
<i>Minneapolis</i>	S. LUKE'S CHURCH: Mr. F. H. Hall, Mr. E. A. Knapp.*	Mr. F. D. Carson.
<i>Minneapolis</i>	S. PAUL'S CHURCH: Hon. M. H. Sessions, Hon. Hans Mattson, Mr. W. E. Steele, Mr. Mathias Kees,*	Mr. Andrew Adams,* Mr. H. A. Towne, Mr. A. G. Dunlap (alt.) Dr. A. S. Lovett.*
<i>Mankato</i>	S. JOHN'S CHURCH: Mr. A. M. Smith,	Mr. Geo. W. Slade.
<i>Northfield</i>	ALL SAINTS' CHURCH: Mr. H. K. Kelley,	Mr. H. L. Crittenden.
<i>Redwood Falls</i>	CHURCH OF THE HOLY COMMUNION: Judge H. D. Baldwin,	Mr. C. W. Everett.*
<i>Red Wing</i>	CHRIST CHURCH: Hon. E. T. Wilder, Mr. S. B. Foot, Mr. J. McIntire,*	Mr. J. C. Pierce,* Mr. W. C. Williston,* Mr. H. S. Rich.*
<i>Rochester</i>	CALVARY CHURCH: Dr. F. A. Kilbourne,*	Mr. Jesse Smith.*
<i>Sauk Center</i>	GOOD SAMARITAN CHURCH: Mr. Chas. F. Hendryx,*	Mr. Stuart Taylor.
<i>Shakopee</i>	S. PETER'S CHURCH: Mr. W. A. Cole,	Mr. Chas. Storer.
<i>Stillwater</i>	ASCENSION CHURCH: Mr. Robt. Slaughter,* Mr. T. E. Fellows.*	Mr. I. E. Staples,* Dr. C. B. Marshall.*
<i>St. Cloud</i>	S. JOHN'S CHURCH: Mr. C. F. Lamb,*	Mr. F. Tolman.*

<i>St. Paul</i>	CHURCH OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD:	
	Mr. Geo. Bell,	Mr. Peter Baldy,
	Mr. W. J. Footner,	Mr. T. D. Parsons,
	Mr. Chas. H. Evans, (alt.)	(alt. 2d day.)
<i>St. Paul</i>	CHRIST CHURCH:	
	Hon. Jas. Gilfillan,*	Maj. J. P. Pond,
	Mr. W. H. Lightner,*	Mr. E. B. Graves, (alt.)
	Mr. Ruben Warner,	Mr. H. P. Hoppin,
	Mr. M. H. Albin,	Mr. L. H. Maxfield,*
	Mr. S. M. Hayes,	Mr. W. S. Timberlake,*
	Mr. Whitney Wall,	Mr. Jno. C. Hill.
<i>St. Paul</i>	S. MARY'S CHURCH: (Merriam Park.)	
	Mr. H. B. Dutcher,*	Dr. Henderson.*
<i>St. Paul</i>	S. PAUL'S CHURCH:	
	Hon. W. R. Merriam,*	Hon. H. F. Stevens,
	Hon. H. H. Sibley,*	Mr. W. J. Sleppy,
	Mr. F. E. Foster,*	Mr. J. I. Jellett,
	Mr. E. Kopper,*	Mr. W. H. Eaton.
<i>St. Paul</i>	S. JOHN THE EVANGELIST CHURCH:	
	Mr. Ed. E. Davidson,	Mr. J. F. A. Williams,
	Mr. Geo. Hargreaves,	Mr. S. C. Olmsted (alt.)
	Mr. Jno. W. White,*	Mr. Jno. H. Ames.*
<i>St. Paul</i>	S. JAMES' CHURCH:	
	Mr. Wm. Dunlap,	Mr. Henry Marsh.*
	Mr. Geo. F. Pasc.*	
<i>St. Peter</i>	CHURCH OF THE HOLY COMMUNION:	
	Mr. F. H. Benton,	Mr. H. G. Slater.
<i>Warsaw</i>	S. THOMAS' CHURCH:	
	Mr. J. Hershey,*	Mr. W. S. Snyder.*
<i>Waterville</i>	S. ANDREW'S CHURCH:	
	Maj. Lewis Stowe.	
<i>Wells</i>	CHURCH OF THE NATIVITY:	
	Mr. L. C. Miller,*	Mr. D. Straw.*
<i>White Bear</i>	S. JOHN'S CHURCH:	
	Mr. Cyrus B. Cobb,*	Mr. Wm. Clark.*
<i>Willmar</i> ..	S. LUKE'S CHURCH:	
	Mr. John H. Wiggins,*	Mr. C. R. Green.

*Not present at council.

Number of Parishes entitled to representation.....	78
Number of Parishes represented.....	25
Number of delegates entitled to seats.....	151
Number of delegates present.....	76

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FIRST DAY.

MINNEAPOLIS, MINN., }
S. PAUL'S CHURCH, }
Wednesday, June 4, 1890. }

This being the day by Canon appointed, for the meeting of the Thirty-third Annual Council of the Diocese of Minnesota, the Bishop, the Assistant Bishop, a large number of the Clergy and Lay Delegates of the Diocese assembled in S. Paul's Church, Minneapolis, at 10:30 A.M., (Morning Prayer having been read by the Rt. Rev. M. N. Gilbert, D. D., the Rev. Frank R. Millspaugh and the Rev. Dean Graham at 9 A.M.) The Litany was read by the Rev. E. Steele Peake. The Assistant Bishop took the Ante-Communion Service. The Rev. Joseph A. Gilfillan read the Epistle. The Rev. Dr. Bill read the Gospel. The Rt. Rev. the Bishop of the Diocese acted as Celebrant, being assisted by the Assistant Bishop.

Morning Service being ended, the Rev. John H. White read the Assistant Bishop's Annual Address, as follows :

DEAR BRETHREN OF THE CLERGY AND LAITY:

In submitting this my fourth annual report for your consideration, I am conscious of the fact that all has not been done during the year for which I had hoped and planned. A year seems long as we look forward, but very brief as we stand at its close and glance backward over it. I can only hope and pray that the all merciful Father will over-rule my mistakes and shortcomings and that all things accomplished in His Name may redound to His glory. The field is large, too large for thorough work at my hands. My visitations are necessarily hurried, and that closer contact and association with our clergy and people, so attractive and stimulating to me, are reduced to a minimum.

I try to always remember when making a visitation that I have a personal responsibility toward that particular field, and to make my sojourn as little of the mere mechanical and stereotyped as possible. It is my constant prayer that my presence in a Parish or Mission may be a stimulant to every good word and work in the vineyard of the Lord. My visitations during the year past have been a genuine pleasure. The cordial welcome from those whom I have learned to know and love, the evidences of earnest work on all sides, the absence of strife and party spirit, the growth and development in material and spiritual energies, all contribute to make my labors easy and my heart light. Whenever any of our clergy leave us it is a loss personal in the fullest sense, it is as though one were bidding good-bye to a dear member of our own household.

We have suffered more from changes among our clergy during this year than for some time past. Where the change is inspired by the laudable desire of entering upon a larger field of usefulness, and from the highest sense of duty, naught can in truth be said against it, but when it is evidently only the prevalence of a spirit of restlessness or vain reaching after a perfect Parish where there shall be no troubles or worries, it cannot be too strongly reprehended. I fear, dear brethren, we are too prone to forget that men by right demand of us a higher standard of unselfishness than they display themselves.

The story of my work is as follows. I only make record of visitations of an official character, and space forbids me to enlarge as I would like upon them. Meetings of boards, private conferences on diocesan affairs and some other matters of kindred character need not and do not appear.

Sunday, June 16th, in the morning visited Trinity Church, Zumbrota, preached and celebrated Holy Communion. A pleasant drive of 18 miles took me to St. Paul's church, Belle Creek, ever fragrant with the blessed memory of dear Father Chandler. Here at 3 in the afternoon I preached, celebrated, and confirmed a class of 5 presented by Mr. W. W. Lowrey, Lay Reader in charge. Arrangements have been made for supplying this Mission with frequent clerical services.

In the evening, preached, celebrated Holy Communion and baptized 2 children in Church of the Redeemer, Cannon Falls. During the week ending June 22d I was in attendance at the commencement exercises of St. Mary's and Shattuck Schools; the Diocesan being ill I presided in each instance and also on the 20th laid the corner stone of the Smyser Memorial, Shattuck School.

Friday, June 28th, was present at the graduating exercises of Seabury, and conferred diplomas upon seven young men of whom any institution might well be proud.

Sunday, June 30th, in Christ Church, St. Paul, ordained to the Diaconate, Messrs. Sherman, Haupt, Halsey, Rollit and Willis. The sermon was

preached by the Missionary Bishop of North Dakota. In the afternoon confirmed one in Christ church.

Sunday, July 7th, took services and preached in St. Paul's Church, Milwaukee.

Sunday, July 14th, preached, celebrated Holy Communion, and confirmed 9 in Trinity Church, Litchfield.

July 15th, officiated in All Saints' Church, Howard Lake, and confirmed 3. This almost defunct Mission has been revived through the efforts of the Rector at Litchfield, Rev. A. G. Pinkham.

Sunday, July 21, in the morning officiated in Marshall, celebrating Holy Communion, and baptizing 4 children. The Mission was organized with the name of St. James, and placed under the charge of Rev. Mr. Halsey.

In the evening after a drive of 20 miles, held services in the school house at Coon Lake, Lincoln Co.

July 22, in the afternoon held services and confirmed 4 in St John's chapel, Lake Benton. This flourishing Mission is a pleasing example of what a faithful layman can accomplish. Mr. J. D. Greene, our Lay Reader, has secured a valuable property for the church, and is conducting the work in the midst of a busy life, with prudence, energy and success.

Sunday, July 28th, officiated in St Mark's Church, Longworths, Wright Co. My brother, the Bishop of Indiana, assisted me in the services. He afterwards confirmed a class of 8 here, before leaving for his diocese.

Sunday, Aug. 4th, in the morning, services with Holy Communion in the beautiful Camp Memorial Chapel, Minnetonka Beach. Regular services were maintained here and at Excelsior through the summer, by different clergy of the diocese.

In the afternoon visited Trinity Chapel, Excelsior, and officiated.

Sunday, Aug. 18th, in St. John's Church, Moorhead, officiated, and confirmed a class of 7. Rev. E. C. Bennet was Rector at the time, but returned East in November; since then the church has been closed.

In the evening, after a drive of 15 miles, held an interesting service in the home of Mrs. Smyser near Glyndon, and confirmed three persons. Mrs. Smyser keeps the church's candle burning all the year through.

Aug. 19th, officiated in St. John's Church, Hallock, Kittson Co.

Aug. 20th, visited Christ Church, St. Vincent, and confirmed 7. These stations are under the charge of Rev. H. Beer. Mr. Beer reports an almost utter failure of crops last year, and a consequent heavy loss to the Missions by removals. Unless the harvest is better the coming year it will be most difficult to maintain our Mission work in this field.

Aug. 21st, preached and confirmed 2 in Fisher's, Polk Co.

Aug. 22d, officiated in Christ Church, Crookston. By the removal of Rev. Mr. Fortin to St. Paul in March, this Parish is vacant. It is an important Parish, and must be filled soon. Times are hard there and money not easily obtainable.

Aug. 23d, officiated in the Church of the Beloved Physician, Mentor, Polk Co. This Mission is under the charge of Rev. Mr. Currie.

Sunday, Aug 25th, in the morning officiated in Lake Park, Becker Co. and confirmed 1.

Aug. 25th, in the afternoon preached and confirmed 8 in St. Luke's church, Detroit.

Aug. 26th, officiated in Church of the Redeemer, Perham, Otter Tail Co. Since Rev. Mr. Peake's removal to Faribault, services have been maintained by Rev. T. E. Dickey.

Aug. 27th, officiated in Grace Chapel, Wadena. This mission is now cared for by Rev. Mr. Rollit of Fergus Falls.

Sunday Sept. 8th, in the morning in St. Columba Church, White Earth.



officiated and confirmed nine Chippewas. In December last this fine church was accidentally burned. In response to an appeal, sufficient donations have been received, which added to \$3500 insurance money, will enable us to rebuild at once.

Sept. 8th, in the afternoon visited Epiphany Church, Wild Rice river, Rev. Chas. Wright in charge and confirmed nine natives. The school at this place under the charge of the Misses Knickerbacker, is doing a good work. I baptized two and married a couple while there.

Sept. 9th, held a largely attended council with the Indians under the trees at White Earth.

Sept. 10th, after a day's drive of 30 miles over roads which were not of the smoothest, I held services and confirmed one native at Pine Point. This was the first Episcopal visitation to this place. We have here a school, but no church. The mission is a new one.

After several days wanderings through the great northern wilderness, and many miles of canoeing by way of Lake Itasca and the upper Mississippi, and the Turtle river chain of lakes, and stopping at a remote Indian camp to confirm one person, we reached Red Lake on the morning of Sept. 17th. The next day in the morning, in St. John's in the Wilderness Church, confirmed 7 natives and in the afternoon in St. Antipas Church, Old Chief's village, confirmed two.

Rev. Francis Willis, Jr., ably seconded by his sister, is conducting the work. Rev. Mark Hart is associated with him. Money has been given to build a school building which will be erected as soon as lumber can be obtained.

Aug. 21st, after three days' voyaging, we reached Cass lake, and in the Chapel of the Prince of Peace confirmed two, one the teacher of our school. We have here a satisfactory school in charge of Mr. and Mrs. Denley. Rev. Mr. Colman is in charge of the church.

Sunday, Aug. 22d, in the Church of the Good Shepherd, Leech lake, officiated and confirmed ten natives. The church is under the charge of Rev. Geo. Smith, assisted by Rev. Joseph Wakaxoo. Here also we have our largest native school, which for the most of the year was conducted by Rev. C. H. Beaulieu.

I was accompanied on this whole trip by Rev. Messrs Gilfillan and Barker, and Rev. Mr. Pittmyer of Glencove, L. I.

Thursday, Sept. 26th, attended the enthusiastic annual meeting of the Minnesota Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary in St. Paul's Church, Minneapolis. The address was given by the Missionary Bishop of Montana.

During the month of October, I was in attendance upon the sessions of the general convention in St. George's Church, New York. While in the East, I preached and made addresses in the churches of the Holy Spirit, St. Andrew's, St. Luke's and St. George's, New York city; in St. Paul's and St. Peter's, Brooklyn; in Glencove, L. I., Englewood, N. J., Grace, Orange, Hyde Park, N. Y., New Milford, Conn., Sherburn and Oswego, Central N. Y., Grace Cathedral Indianapolis, Trinity, Chicago, St. George's and Christ Cathedral, St. Louis.

Nov. 13th, officiated in Calvary Church, St. James. This work has revived. A resident missionary will enter upon the charge at once.

Nov. 14th, attended sessions of Southern convocation in St. John's Church, Mankato.

Sunday, Nov. 17th, in the morning, Ascension Church, St. Paul; in the evening presided at a missionary meeting in St. John's church, St. Paul.

Nov. 18th, visited Grace church, Elysian, Le Sueur Co., and confirmed three persons.

Nov. 19th, visited Calvary church, Waseca.

Nov. 20th, in St. John's Church, Janesville, confirmed four persons.

Nov. 21st, preached and confirmed 6 in Madison Lake, Blue Earth Co. A neat church has been built here during the year. The work is in charge of Rev. Jas. Cornell, Rector at Janesville.

Nov. 24th, in the morning, visited Christ Church, Glencoe, and confirmed 4.

Nov. 24th, in the afternoon visited St. Mary's Mission, Brownston, McLeod Co. Steps are being taken looking toward erecting a Church in the near future. These two stations have been looked after by Rev. Mr. Kuehn.

Nov. 25th, visited Trinity Mission, Granite Falls, Rev. J. B. Halsey, Missionary, and confirmed five. A beautiful new Church was opened on the Sunday after Easter of the present year.

Nov. 26th, in Grace Church, Montevideo, confirmed a class of eleven, presented by the Rector, Rev. W. S. Sayres. This Church has been much improved during the year.

Nov. 27th, visited Gethsemane Church, Appleton, and confirmed 3. Rev. M. N. Ray, very recently ordained Deacon, has been in charge here for a year or more.

Nov. 28th, visited All Saints' Church, Morris, and confirmed one. Rev. F. H. Potts of Benson, has been giving one Sunday in a month to this place. A resident clergyman could revive the work at the present time.

Dec. 1st, officiated morning and evening in St. Luke's Church, Brown's Valley. This Mission is still vacant.

Dec. 3d, attended meetings of Central Convocation in St. John's Church, St. Paul.

Dec. 11th, attended the consecration of the Cathedral, Sioux Falls, So. Dakota, and preached the sermon.

Dec. 13th, held services in the Chapel of the Breck Farm school at Wilder, Cottonwood Co., and confirmed 4 persons.

Rev. C. S. Ware has charge of this Mission. Lay services are conducted every Sunday by the principal of the school and his assistants.

Dec. 15, opened St. Matthew's Church, St. Anthony Park, for divine services.

Dec. 21st, advanced to the Priesthood in the Oratory of Seabury Divinity School, Rev. Stuart Ballantyne Purves, B. D.

Sunday, Dec. 30th, in the morning preached in St. Paul's Church, Duluth, and in the afternoon, in the Holy Spirit Mission, West End.

Feast of the Circumcision, Jan 1, 1890, in Gethsemane Church, Minneapolis, Rev. A. R. Graves was consecrated Missionary Bishop of the Platte. The Bishops present, and taking part in the consecration were Missouri, Consecrator, Indiana, Quincy, So. Dakota, Milwaukee and the assistant of Minnesota, preacher.

Jan. 5th, in the afternoon presided and made an address at a general Missionary meeting in Gethsemane Church, Minneapolis.

Jan. 15th, opened a Mission at Redwood Falls.

Jan. 19, opened the Chapel of the Messiah, Fuller St., St. Paul, for services. This Chapel was purchased of the reformed Episcopalians, and is located in a promising portion of the city.

Jan. 22d and 23d, attended sessions of the Diocesan Sunday school association in Christ Church, St. Paul.

The first week in February, I conducted a Mission in Holy Trinity Church, Minneapolis.

Sunday, Feb. 16th, instituted Rev. J. J. Faudé as Rector of Gethsemane Church, Minneapolis. In the afternoon, presided and made an address at a general Missionary meeting in St. Paul's Church, Minneapolis.

Feb. 25th and 26th, closed a Mission in Stillwater.

March 2d, visited Holy Trinity Church, Minneapolis and confirmed 12.

At 3, in the afternoon, preached before the students of the University.

March 4th, advanced to the priesthood in Christ Church, St Paul, Rev. Evan E. Edwards, Ph. D., of Red Wing. Dr. Edwards has taken charge of the work at Menomonie, Diocese of Milwaukee.

March 5th, visited and confirmed 1 in St. Paul's Mission, Glenwood, Pope Co.

March 6th, visited Zion Church, Reno, Polk Co., and confirmed a class of 5.

March 7th, after a drive of 20 miles visited Emmanuel Church, Alexandria, and confirmed 5 persons. This difficult yet interesting Mission field is developing under the charge of Rev. Mr. Jukes.

Sunday, March 9th, officiated morning and evening in St James' Church, Fergus Falls, and confirmed a class of 12. This work is once more on its feet, and the outlook is hopeful. Rev. Chas. Rollit is the Rector.

March 10, held an interesting service and confirmed 8 in the Church of the Good Samaritan, Sauk Centre, Rev. J. F. Hamilton, Rector.

March 11th, held services and organized a Mission in Long Prairie, Todd Co., Rev. Mr. Hamilton will look after its interests.

March 12th, visited St John's Church, St. Cloud, Rev. Dean Cummings, Rector, and confirmed 5.

March, 13th, in St. John's Church, St. Cloud, ordained Mr. C. B. Fossbrooke of Paynesville, Deacon.

March 14th, visited Trinity Church, Anoka, and confirmed 1 person. Mr. A. E. Filmore of Seabury is giving services here.

March 16th, visited St. Luke's Church, Hastings, Rev. E. Moyses, Rector, and confirmed 17 persons.

In the afternoon, visited St. Paul's Church, Point Douglas.

March 18th, held services in Trinity Church, Elk River.

March 19th, visited Trinity Church, Becker, and confirmed 3, presented by Rev. J. W. Prosser, who has charge of the Mission.

March 20th, in the morning consecrated Grace Church, Royalton, and confirmed 1 in private.

March 20th, in the afternoon in Emmanuel Church, Little Falls, confirmed 7 persons. This is getting to be one of our most promising Parishes. The Church was injured by fire last winter, but has been greatly improved and beautified since. Rev. A. A. Joss is the Rector.

March 21st, visited St. Paul's Church, Brainerd, and confirmed 21. This Parish has never been as flourishing as it is to-day. Rev. Geo. H. Davis is Rector.

Sunday, March 23d, in the morning, preached and confirmed 30 persons in St. Paul's Church, Duluth. The Rector, Rev. W. M. Barker, fully appreciates the unusual importance of the work in this rapidly growing city, and is dealing with the situation in a way which will bring abundant returns.

In the afternoon in the Mission of the Holy Spirit, West End, preached and confirmed 6. It is to be hoped that a church may be built this year. Rev. Messrs Capron and Cawthorne have all this new field in this section of Duluth in charge.

March 25th, visited the Mission at Tower. The new Church is completed, and a Rector will come in July.

March 26th, visited Grace Church, Rush City, and confirmed 2 persons. This place, together with North Branch is looked after by Mr. John Caldwell, Lay Reader.

March 27th, officiated at the burial of our beloved Missionary at Good Thunder's Village, Rev. S. D. Hinman.

Sunday, March 30th, in the morning visited St. John's Church, St. Paul,

Rev. Jno. H. White, Rector, and confirmed 16. This Parish has rapidly and largely developed under the present Rectorship.

At 4, in the afternoon, visited St. Luke's Church, Minneapolis and confirmed a class of 12. The Church has been enlarged and beautified during the year. Rev. W. B. Hamilton is Rector.

March 30th, at 7:30 in the evening, visited Christ Church, St. Paul and confirmed 29. The building of the fine Guild Hall and other improvements to the Church have greatly increased the efficiency of the Mother Parish.

March 31st, visited St. Peter's Church, St. Paul, Rev. S. Mills, Rector, and confirmed a class of 10. This Parish is heavily burdened with debt, which will need the united and persistent efforts of all to remove.

April 1st, in Ascension Church, West St. Paul, confirmed a class of 11. Very extensive improvements are under way, and it would seem as if the days of weakness and struggle were all over. Rev. J. A. Antrim is Rector.

April 2d, in the morning visited St. Thomas' Church, North Branch, baptized 1 and confirmed 4.

In the afternoon in St. Stephen's Church, St. Paul, confirmed 4 persons, presented by Rev. Mr. Haupt.

April 3d, visited All Saints' Church, Minneapolis, and confirmed 1. Rev. Mr. Purdy has since my visitation resigned this work.

April 4th, Good Friday, in the afternoon, visited and confirmed 3 in St. John's in the Wilderness Church, White Bear Lake, Rev. S. Mills in charge.

At 8 in the evening, visited St. James' Church, St. Paul, and confirmed 8 persons, presented by Mr. G. L. Richardson, Lay Reader.

April 5th, in the afternoon, officiated in St. Matthew's Church, St. Anthony Park. Rev. Howard S. Clapp of the Diocese of Connecticut has taken the Churches of St. Matthew's and St. Stephen's in charge beginning June 1st.

Easter Sunday, April 6th, in the afternoon preached to the prisoners in the Stillwater Penitentiary, and in the evening, in Ascension Church, Stillwater, confirmed a class of 30. This is getting to be a strong Parish in every way. Rev. A. D. Stowe is Rector.

April 9th, in Grace Church Minneapolis, Rev. C. E. Hixon, Rector, confirmed 11. Was much pleased with the condition of Parochial affairs.

April 10th, in Ascension Church, Kenyon, Goodhue Co., baptized an infant and confirmed 2 persons presented by Mr. John Williams, Lay Reader from Seabury. Rev. Mr. Crickmer on account of his wife's poor health, gave up this work at Christmas. Rev. Mr. Fosbrooke has now entered upon the Rectorship and will also look after Missionary work in points adjacent.

April 11th, visited Grace Church, Pine Island, and confirmed 2 persons. This moribund Mission is taking on new life under the care of Mr. Pritchard.

Sunday, April 13th, in the morning, visited St. Peter's Church, Kenyon. In the afternoon, in St. John's Church, Mantorville, confirmed 2 persons. This latter Church has been much improved during the year. Rev. Mr. Ross has been the Rector.

April 14th, visited St. Matthew's Church, Chatfield, Rev. S. Pritchard in charge, and confirmed 2 persons.

April 15th, visited Calvary Church, Rochester, and confirmed a class of 21. Rev. Mr. Fowler, the Rector, is admirably caring for this important Parish.

April 16th, attended meetings of Southern Convocation in Calvary Church, and in the evening presided at a general Missionary Meeting.

April 17th, at 4 in the afternoon, visited St. John's Church, Dakota, Winona Co., and confirmed 2. This is a very pretty Church built during the year and entirely out of debt.

In the evening, confirmed 5 in St. James' Mission, Dresbach. Steps are being taken looking toward building a Church soon.

April 18th, in the afternoon in the Church of the Holy Comforter, Brownsville, confirmed 3 persons. Rev. T. K. Allen has the last 3 places in charge.

April 18th, 7:30 in the evening, confirmed 4 in Trinity Church, Caledonia. Rev. W. P. Ten Broeck of La Crosse kindly cares for this Church.

Sunday, April 20th, visited St. Paul's Church, Winona, Rev. W. H. Knowlton, Rector, and confirmed a class of 10.

April 21st, drove 24 miles and held services in the Church of Our Saviour, Houston.

April 22d, visited Emmanuel Church, Rushford, and confirmed 2, presented by Rev. T. K. Allen, Rector.

April 23d, visited Christ Church, Austin, and confirmed 22 persons. Parochial matters seem most encouraging here.

April 24th, visited Christ Church, Albert Lea, and confirmed a class of 10 presented by Rev. A. R. Taylor. The services here for the present are being maintained by Mr. Hoyt of Seabury.

April 25th, visited St. Paul's Church, Owatonna. This Parish has been vacant a portion of the year, but services have been regularly maintained.

Sunday, April 27th, in the morning, visited All Saints' Church, Northfield, and confirmed 1 person presented by Rev. G. H. Mueller, Rector.

In the afternoon, held services in the Church of the Holy Cross, Dundas.

April 28th, visited Church of The Redeemer, Cannon Falls, and confirmed 3 persons. Mr. Arthur Chard of Seabury cares for this work.

April 29th, officiated in Christ Church, Frontenac.

April 30th, in St. Mark's Church, Lake City, confirmed a class of 9. This excellent Parish has received a severe blow in the recent death of its Senior Warden, Mr. L. H. Buck. Rev. J. Wynne Jones is Rector.

May 1st, in Grace Church, Wabasha, confirmed 17 young people, all of them members of the Sunday school and prepared for confirmation by Superintendent and teacher, a pleasing example of what faithful Sunday school work can accomplish. The Parish has been vacant most of the year, but now has Rev. J. J. Hillmer for its Rector.

May 2d, visited Christ Church, Red Wing, and confirmed 6, two of them being Indians. Rev. E. H. Clark has but recently entered upon the Rectorship of this excellent Parish.

Sunday, May 4th, in the morning, visited St. Paul's Church, St. Paul, and confirmed 33, presented by the Rector, Rev. Jno. Wright. The Church has been much improved and enlarged during the year, and further improvements are contemplated.

At 4 in the afternoon, confirmed 6 in Holy Trinity Church, Minneapolis, and at 7:30 confirmed 8 in the Chapel of the Messiah, St. Paul.

Sunday, May 11th, visited St. Mark's Church, Minneapolis, and confirmed 16, presented by the Rector, Rev. Dr. Wells.

At 4 in the afternoon, confirmed 26 in St. Paul's, Minneapolis, Rev. F. R. Millspaugh, Rector. And in the evening, confirmed 9 in the Church of the Good Shepherd, St. Paul, Rev. W. C. Pope, Rector.

May 12th, visited St. Peter's Church, Shakopee, and confirmed 7. The work is looking up under the charge of Rev. C. M. Pullen.

May 13th, at 4 in the afternoon, confirmed a class of 6 in St. Jude's Church, Henderson, and in the evening preached in St. John's Church, Le Sueur. These two stations are under the care of Mr. Pullen.

May 14th, visited St. John's Church, Mankato, and confirmed 7. Rev. Mr. Hudson, who has been the beloved Rector for a number of years, is forced by

ill health to give up Parish work for a time. Rev. A. R. Taylor is the Rector elect.

Ascension Day, at a special visitation, confirmed 2 in St. John's Church, St. Paul.

May 16th, visited Sleepy Eye, and confirmed 20 persons. The outlook for the Church in this new Mission is one of unusual promise. A Church will doubtless be built this year. Rev. S. B. Purves has charge of the work.

May 16th, visited All Saints' Church, Howard Lake.

Sunday, May 18th, in the morning confirmed 2 in Trinity Church, Litchfield.

In the afternoon, in the Mission at Atwater, confirmed 2. Rev. Mr. Pinkham has all this work under his oversight.

May 19th, visited Christ Church, Benson, and confirmed 6. Rev. Mr. Potts is Rector here.

May 20th, confirmed 18 in St. Luke's, Willmar, one of the candidates coming from Benson. Mr. Booth's long Rectorship of 17 years is gathering in its fruitage.

May 21st, also attended meeting of the Central Convocation in Willmar. May 22d, in St. Stephen's Church, Paynesville, confirmed a class of 7, presented by Rev. Mr. Fosbrooke.

May 23d, confirmed 1 in St. Mary's Church, Basswood Grove, Rev. J. W. Prosser, Rector.

Whitsunday May 25th, in the morning confirmed 21 in Gethsemane Church, Minneapolis, Rev. J. J. Faudé, Rector.

At 3 in the afternoon confirmed 2 in St. Mary's Church, Merriam Park, and in the evening confirmed 7 in Trinity Church, St. Paul Park. Rev. I. C. Fortin is Rector of these two Churches.

May 27th, in the morning visited St. John's Church, Hassan. At 4 p. m. in the Breck Memorial Church, Rockford, confirmed 2 and in the evening confirmed 13 in Delano, and organized the Mission, calling it the Holy Spirit. Rev. Mr. Millspaugh, of St. Paul's, Minneapolis, has the personal oversight of all this field.

June 1st, in the morning, drove 18 miles to Le Sueur Center. At 3 p. m. preached in Christ Church, Cordova, and in the evening, returned and officiated in St. Andrew's Church, Waterville, and confirmed 8. These stations are in charge of Rev. W. Tuson.

To tabulate the above list of Confirmations:

Belle Creek	5	Litchfield (2 visitations).....	11
Howard Lake	3	Lake Benton	4
Moorhead	7	Glyndon	3
St. Vincent	7	Hallock	0
Fishers	2	Crookston.....	0
Mentor.....	0	Lake Park	1
Detroit.....	6	Perham	0
Wadena.....	0	White Earth	9
Wild Rice.....	9	Appleton	3
Pine Point.....	1	Morris.....	1
Extermination River.....	1	Browns Valley	0
Red Lake.....	7	Wilder	4
Old Chief's.....	2	St. Anthony Park	2
Cass Lake.....	2	Minneapolis Holy Trinity (2 vis.)	18
Leech Lake.....	10	Glenwood.....	1
St. James.....	0	Reno	5
Mankato.....	7	Alexandria	5
Elysian.....	3	Fergus Falls.....	12

Waseca.....	0	Sauk Centre.....	8
Janesville.....	4	Long Prairie.....	0
Madison Lake.....	6	St. Cloud.....	5
Glencoe.....	4	Sauk Rapids.....	0
Brownston.....	0	Anoka.....	1
Granite Falls.....	5	Hastings.....	17
Montevideo.....	11	Point Douglas.....	0
Elk River.....	0	White Bear Lake.....	3
Becker.....	3	St. Paul, St. James.....	8
Royalton.....	1	Stillwater.....	30
Little Falls.....	7	Minneapolis, Grace.....	11
Brainerd.....	21	Kenyon.....	2
Duluth, St. Paul's.....	30	Pine Island.....	2
Duluth, Holy Spirit.....	6	Kasson.....	0
Tower.....	0	Mantorville.....	2
Rush City.....	2	Chatfield.....	2
St. Paul St. John's (2 visitations).....	18	Rochester.....	21
Minneapolis, St. Luke's.....	12	Dakota.....	2
St. Paul Christ.....	31	Dresbach.....	5
St. Paul St. Peter's.....	10	Caledonia.....	4
St. Paul Ascension.....	11	Brownsville.....	3
North Branch.....	4	Winona.....	10
St. Paul St. Stephen's.....	4	Houston.....	0
Minneapolis, All Saints'.....	1	Rushford.....	3
Austin.....	22	Le Sueur.....	0
Albert Lea.....	10	Sleepy Eye.....	20
Owatonna.....	0	Atwater.....	2
Northfield.....	1	Benson.....	8
Dundas.....	0	Willmar.....	17
Cannon Falls.....	3	Paynesville.....	7
Frontenac.....	0	Basswood Grove.....	1
Lake City.....	9	Minneapolis Gethsemane.....	21
Wabasha.....	17	Merriam Park.....	2
Red Wing.....	6	St. Paul Park.....	7
St. Paul St. Paul's.....	33	Hassan.....	0
St. Paul Messiah.....	8	Rockford.....	2
St. Paul Good Shepherd.....	9	Delano.....	13
Minneapolis St. Paul's (2 vis.).....	31	Le Sueur Centre.....	0
Minneapolis St. Mark's.....	16	Cordova.....	0
Shakopee.....	7	Waterville.....	8
Henderson.....	6		

Every Mission station and Parish in the Diocese, has been visited during the year, either by the Diocesan or myself, with the exception of six, which lack of time has prevented us from reaching.

Bishop Knickerbacker confirmed a class of eight, at Longworth's, in August, and Bishop Graves confirmed 26, in Gethsemane, Minneapolis, 10 in Montevideo and 14 in Marshall. Making a total of all confirmed for the year, including 77 confirmed by the Diocesan, 986. I have made 176 visitations in 145 different Parishes and Missions within the Diocese.

I have delivered 320 sermons and addresses, celebrated the Holy Communion 58 times, baptized 18, all but four of which appear in Parochial Registers, married 11 couples, all but two of which are registered in Parishes, and buried 3 persons.

I have licensed as Lay Readers: A. E. Hazzard, Rushford; Frank Hamilton, Faribault; Herbert H. Ten Broeck, Caledonia; Ernest Dray, St. Paul; Mrs. Caroline F. Smyser, Glyndon; Wm. Denley, Cass Lake; George Code, Minne-

apolis: John I. Black, Minneapolis; E. S. Weitzel, Minneapolis; Fred G. Atkinson, Minneapolis; Edwin H. Mathes, Minneapolis; Chas. H. Evans, St. Paul; Nelson R. Reynolds, Luverne; Harry Steele, Faribault; Arthur Chard, Faribault; H. F. Parshall, Faribault; Chas. H. Remington, Cambridge, Mass.; B. T. Dryden, Wilder; Angus Haines Jr., Paynesville; Wm. Hinman, Birch Coolie; W. H. Franklin, St. Paul; George Bell, St. Paul; F. M. Bacon, Faribault; H. M. Hood, Merriam Park; Frank Durant, Faribault; Robert Lyle, Minneapolis; L. C. Miller, Wells; Roger Tuson, Minnetonka Mills; Jno. Soper, Minneapolis; Joseph D. Greene, Lake Benton; John Caldwell, Rush City; Russell Freeman, St. Paul; Charles Henry, Point Douglas; Frank B. Millard, St. Paul; V. E. Baxter, Faribault; G. F. G. Hoyt, Faribault; Jno. E. Simpson, Faribault; John A. Williams, Faribault; W. J. Cordick, Faribault; Frank S. Hayes, Mentor; David Gahlinger, Basswood Grove; Isaac Houlgate, Faribault. 42.

I have admitted as postulants: George Robinson, Charles H. Remington, Frank H. Barton, Ernest Dray, J. M. Frost, Laurence C. Miller, Johannes Sahlinger. (Mr. Sahlinger was a Lutheran clergyman) Geo. M. Marshall, John Johnson, Eugene Rucker. 10

I have admitted as candidates for Holy Orders: Albert E. Fillmore, Wm. J. Cordick, Arthur Chard, Charles H. Remington, Frank H. Barton, J. M. Frost, Laurence C. Miller, Johannes Sahlinger, George M. Marshall, G. F. Gladding Hoyt. 10.

The full list of postulants and candidates in the Diocese is as follows:

The postulants are:

Anthony T. Gesner, Geo. L. Keefer, Chas. F. Kite, George Robinson, John Johnson, Thomas P. Thurston, John Caldwell, Frank Durant, Ernest Dray, Eugene Rucker. 10.

The candidates for Holy Orders are:

Roland S. Nichols, R. M. Baker, Albert E. Fillmore, Arthur Chard, Frank H. Barton, Laurence C. Miller, George M. Marshall, Wm. H. Dewart, Albert M. Hilliker, Wm. J. Cordick, Chas. H. Remington, J. M. Frost, Johannes Sahlinger, Geo. F. G. Hoyt. 14.

I have ordained eight Deacons, viz:

Chas. A. Sherman, Chas. C. Rollit, C. Edgar Haupt, Jas. B. Halsey, Francis Willis, Jr., Wm. Tuson, Chas. B. Fosbrooke, Martin N. Ray.

I have ordained four Priests, viz.:

Rev. Wellington McVettie, Rev. Alexander J. D. Kuehn, Rev. Edward E. Edwards, Rev. Stuart B. Purves.

I have received the following Clergy:

Rev. E. C. Bennett from the Diocese of New York, Rev. D. B. Lyon from the Diocese of Fond du Lac, Rev. H. L. Cawthorne from the Diocese of Colorado, Rev. W. H. H. Ross from the Diocese of Milwaukee, Rev. John J. Faudt from the Diocese of Indiana, Rev. C. M. Pullen from the Diocese of Michigan, Rev. A. A. Joss from the Diocese of Chicago, Rev. J. A. Antrim from the Diocese of Colorado.

I have given letters dimissory to the following Clergy:

Rev. J. F. Tassell to North Dakota, Rev. Henry Kittson to Pennsylvania, Rev. D. Griffin Gunn to Wyoming and Idaho, Rev. Sydney G. Jeffords to Quincy, Rev. Wm. B. Guion to Kansas, Rev. John H. Lloyd to Iowa, Rev. E. C. Bennett to New York, Rev. Lewis C. Birch to Indiana, Rev. A. Harper Jr., to Florida; E. E. Edwards, to Milwaukee;

The number of Clergy Canonically resident in the Diocese, and reported to the Council of 1889 was 91. The number reported to this Council is 96.

I have Consecrated one Church, viz., Grace Church, Royalton, and laid one Corner Stone, Smyser Memorial, Shattuck School.



I have given canonical consent to the Consecration of Rev. Wm. F. Nichols, D. D., as assistant Bishop of California.

I have received notice of the depositions of the following Clergy: Rev. J. W. Lee, Florida; Rev. D. W. Heftter, Central Pennsylvania; Rev. Thomas Hood, Colorado.

I have given consent to the organization of the Parishes of The Holy Communion, Redwood Falls; Good Shepherd, Madison Lake; and St. James, St. Paul.

I have organized Missions at Lake Benton, Messiah St. Paul, Long Prairie, Sleepy Eye and Delano.

The following churches have been completed during the year:

Christ Church, Tower; St. John's Church, Dakota; Breck Memorial, Rockford; Good Shepherd, Madison Lake; St. Matthew's, Minneapolis; St. Matthew's, St. Anthony Park; Messiah, St. Paul; Trinity, Granite Falls.

Rectories have been given to the Missions in Tower and St. James. The former by the Minnesota Iron Co., the latter by Mrs. J. W. Bass, of St. Paul.

Improvements have been made in the Church property of Basswood Grove, Montevideo, Ascension, St. John's, St. Paul's and Christ Church, St. Paul, Austin, Alexandria, Little Falls, Point Douglas, Excelsior, Houston, Mantorville, Windom and St. Luke's, Minneapolis.

Lots have been secured for Churches in St. Paul, Sleepy Eye and Dresbach. The offerings for my Special Needs Fund were \$1220.

The condition of the work throughout the Diocese is in the main most satisfactory. The number of confirmations is somewhat less than last year, yet they still are very much in advance of any previous year. Materially, Minnesota has not had a prosperous year, nevertheless, expenses for Church services and for the extension of the Church have been maintained in most instances. The Northwestern portion of the Diocese has felt the stringency of the times the most. We trust and pray that bountiful crops may reward the laborers this year.

The problem which presses for solution upon us more than all others, is that of finding suitable Clergy for our Missionary fields. Vacancies exist to-day for the filling of which strenuous and persistent efforts have been made, but thus far without success. It is not the meagerness of support that prevents men from coming, for on the average the salaries paid in our smaller parishes and missions are quite equal to those in Eastern Dioceses. It cannot be that the difficulties of work in the Diocese are greater than those encountered elsewhere, for the Church here is favorably regarded by the world at large, and the progress made in a population half foreign compares more than favorably with the progress in Dioceses where the natural condition would seem to be more favorable.

This difficulty is not peculiar to Minnesota but is incident to nearly all our Western Dioceses. I can only explain it by the unwillingness of the majority of the younger Clergy to leave the more attractive fields of the East. Of the eight Clergy received you will observe that only one is from any Diocese east of Michigan, and he returned after a few months. The solution of the problem I am satisfied can be brought about in only one way. We must educate our own Clergy. We must keep the ranks supplied from ourselves. Looking forward from this point of view I feel most hopeful.

We have 24 men who are preparing for the Sacred Ministry, and who are ready and willing to work in Minnesota. It is evident at once how needful it is for the Clergy to seek out and encourage young men of the right stamp to enter the Ministry. It is one of the truest ways to help for-

ward the work at home. Our Divinity School will supplement your own personal efforts in every way. Will you not labor for this, dear brethren of the Clergy? The duty and opportunity lie at the doors of fathers and mothers as well.

It would not be possible in any part of the Church to find a body of Clergy of more entire consecration, or better fitted by the possession of practical qualities for doing the work before them, than the Clergy of Minnesota. The relative standing of this Diocese among others in the statistics of its growth and development, is ample proof of this statement.

Opportunities are opening almost every month for the Church in towns where we have no organizations. I am forced to discourage many of the attempts to establish the Church, simply because I cannot see the way to supplying them with the Clerical services required. It would not be right or wise to entirely neglect these providential opportunities.

To this end we have the system of District Presbyters. This plan was inaugurated at the last council, and after several months of delay it was set in motion January 1st. Under the provisions of the resolution, I divided the Diocese into 20 Districts and named an equal number of the Clergy as Presbyters therefor. Wherever this plan has been conscientiously and carefully worked it has accomplished the ends desired. It is all postulated upon the willingness of the Clergy, for the love of Christ and His Church, to take upon themselves additional work. Several of the Presbyters have sent in reports to the Deans of Convocation, and all express their approval of the plan. It is a step in the direction of enlarged Missionary effort, and if it is faithfully carried forward, will, I know, bring rich returns.

The General Missionary.—The report of your General Missionary which will be submitted to this Council will show a large amount of work done. The need of such an adjunct to the successful and satisfactory working of the Diocese is imperative. He goes forth as the authorized representative of the Bishop, and is my right hand in all matters pertaining to the business affairs of our Mission work. In a Diocese of the extent of Minnesota the work cannot be satisfactorily or thoroughly done by the Bishop alone. Our present General Missionary is a man of affairs, of ability and of indefatigable energy. His salary should not be less than \$1800. Other Dioceses give much more for less work. Let us take no step backward. Too much is at stake. We cannot afford to draw in or cripple our work. We must go aggressively forward trusting in God.

Missionary Apportionments.—There is always a tendency at every council for Parishes to resist increased apportionments or to ask for abatement therein. Parochial economy always seems to first demand that Diocesan obligations shall be reduced. It is on something of the same principle that a man when he plans to economize in personal or household matters begins by cutting down his subscription to the Church. It seems to me that except in rare and exceptional cases, this is wrong. The amount apportioned upon the Parishes is in proportion to their ability to pay. It can in each instance be raised if it be taken up systematically and worked persistently. We are not giving as much now when we consider our strength as was given fifteen years ago. Read the record of assessments as published in the Council Journals from 1871-76. More was given then with less than 4000 Communicants for Diocesan Missions than now, with nearly 10,000 Communicants. For example, for the year ending June, 1876, the sum of \$4,113.15 was contributed by the Parishes and Missions for Diocesan Missions. In 1889, the Treasurer reported \$3,792.62 for the same fund. You can see at a glance, dear brethren, the need of taking definite action in

this matter. The situation demands your special, earnest and wisest consideration.

Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund.—It goes without the saying that no men deserve more at the hands of the Church, than those who have broken themselves down in her service. Every consideration should lead us to exert ourselves in their behalf. We have four of these worthy and venerable men, to whom we are giving \$800. This divided among the four, is not doing more than giving supplementary assistance. Will you, dear brethren, see to it, that your offerings on Christmas Day, without exception, are given to this fund. Of all the days in the year, none is more fitting for such an offering, than the day of the birth of that Saviour, for whom these men have given their all.

Sunday School Lenten Offerings.—It is a pleasure to note the large increase of these offerings, of our children for the general Missions of the Church, over preceding years. Not only should gratitude to the General Board, which has aided Minnesota in its work so long, inspire us, but the importance of encouraging and cultivating the larger spirit of the Church in the hearts of young and old. God be praised for all that has been done, and may we always aid, in every way, the spread of the gospel in all lands.

The other great and needful agencies of Church growth and work, such as The American Church Building Fund, Bible and Prayer Book Society, and the organized work of the Church, among the Colored people, I commend to your attention and interest.

Seabury Divinity School.—I do feel very strongly, that every Parish and Mission station, should contribute, at least one offering to our Divinity School. The work it has done, and is doing, is well known to you all. It is not yet sufficiently endowed. It was always my custom, when a Rector, to give the offerings on Good Friday, to this object. I should be glad to know that this time was adopted by all.

A grateful heart prompts me to put on record my appreciation of the work of the Minnesota Branch of The Woman's Auxiliary. Our annual meetings are genuinely inspiring, and all who attend them go away with renewed Missionary enthusiasm. Its able and efficient officers merit all praise. May the Father above reward them all for their work among the laborers here below.

In many of the Dioceses there is a canon looking to a gradual reduction of Missionary stipends in all stations, unless abundant reason be shown why such reduction be not made.

In order to encourage these stations to become self-supporting, certainly an end most desirable, it might be well for this Council to insert a canon on this subject. It is worthy of consideration.

Sunday School Work.—One cannot but rejoice in the evidences of growth and interest in the Sunday School work of the Diocese. The Parishes, generally, are becoming very fully aroused in this matter. It is well. No work is more blessed, or so full of promise for the future of the Church. A Sunday School Conference was held in Christ Church, St. Paul, in January, which, although poorly attended, was most helpful and inspiring. Each Sunday School in the Diocese, should strive to be represented in these Conferences. The Schools will be gainers in many ways. The next meeting will be called in September, in such place as the officers may determine.

Convocational Work.—The several meetings of the three Convocations, convened and presided over by our efficient Deans, have been marked by large attendance of Clergy, warm hospitality of the people, and earnest, able discussions of important subjects. The Missionary aspects of these

Convocational gatherings are among their most cheering and stimulating features.

It is not necessary to more than refer to our Diocesan Schools. They are so well known, and their work so admirably done in every way, that they are a crown of glory to our Diocese.

The new venture at Wilder, in the Breck Farm School, has more than justified the efforts made by the Principal, Mr. Eugene Rucker, and the Trustees. Enlarged accommodations will be added at once, and the School will continue, under God's blessing, to grow, and to do a noble work among those who cannot afford the expense of our Faribault Schools.

Indian Work.—The death of our Missionary among Good Thunder's Band of Sioux, has been a sad blow to our interesting work there. The beautiful new Church is almost completed, and a School maintained.

Our Missions among the Ojibways, in Northern Minnesota, have steadily held their own, and made progress. Rev. Mr. Gilfillan, with a devotion which has not a parallel in the Church, continues his superintendency of the whole field. Rev. Francis Willis, Jr., has been added to the force of Clergy, and is stationed at Red Lake. The new treaty will doubtless go into effect soon, and important changes in some aspects of the work, will doubtless take place.

The Boarding Schools, of which we have four, are flourishing, and doing much good.

Dear brethren, other matters, perhaps, should have been brought to your attention, but I have tried as fully as time permitted, to give you a clear and concise statement of all things of importance in Diocesan affairs. The Diocesan will tell you of our blessed dead in Paradise, and call your minds to other matters of high moment.

In a very real, personal way, have we all watched and prayed about the couch of her whose life, so closely linked always with him who is our venerated father, has equally been intertwined with all that concerns the well of this Diocese, from its very beginning. With full hearts, and tear moistened eyes, we send our love to her to-day, and pray that the way before may be all plain, with the light of that land, which is the heart's true home.

Blessed as I am with the love, confidence and close association of him who has been our chief shepherd these many years, I rejoice daily, and pray ever with you, that his invaluable life may be spared us for many years to come.

Now finally, brethren, let us to the work before us. Never was there a grander opportunity for the Church, than is to be found in our own Diocese to-day. In the agitation and turmoil of the Christian world, men are looking to our Mother, the Church, as a haven of refuge, as the common ground upon which divided Christendom may unite. The condition of Church work in the Diocese was never more hopeful. The year has been one of work, and it has been one of rich returns. Let us take no backward steps. In all our considerations for the welfare of the Church in the Diocese, let there be no hesitation, no lukewarmness, no feeling of timidity, which is the synonym for lack of faith, but thanking God for the blessings of the past, in His own glorious name, go forward.

The offering taken was for Diocesan Missions.

Divine Service being concluded, The Rt. Rev. The Bishop of the Diocese, took the chair and called the Council to order, under whose direction the Secretary of the

Diocese called the roll of the Clergy, provided by the Diocesan, when forty-seven priests and fifteen Deacons, sixty-two in all, answered to their names, took seats, and a quorum of Clergy found present.

The list of Parishes was then called and the credentials of Lay Delegates placed in the hands of the Secretary.

The Rt. Rev. The President appointed the Rev. C. A. Cummings and Mr. Charles H. Strobeck to act with the Secretary, as a Committee on Lay Credentials.

On motion the Council adjourned until 2 P. M.

S. PAUL'S CHURCH, MINNEAPOLIS, }
Wednesday, June 4th, 1890, 2 p. m. }

Council re-assembled and called to order by the Rt. Rev. The President. The committee on Lay Credentials reported to the Council as follows :

REPORT.

Your committee, to whom was referred the Credentials of Lay Delegates beg to report that they find the persons named in the list herewith. entitled to seats in this council. (See list on page 19.)

C. A. CUMMINGS,
C. H. STROBECK, } Committee.
ANDREW D. STOWE, }

On motion the report was adopted, the roll of Lay Delegates called, and a quorum found present, whereupon the Rt. Rev. the President declared the council open for business.

On motion of the Rev. Edward Moyses the ballot was dispensed with, and the Rev. Andrew D. Stowe of Stillwater, unanimously re-elected Secretary of the Diocese, who appointed the Rev. Charles A. Cummings, of St. Cloud, Assistant Secretary.

On motion Mr. H. P. Hoppin was unanimously re-elected Treasurer of the Diocese.

On motion, Mr. E. H. Holbrook, Jr., was unanimously re-elected Treasurer of the Episcopate Fund.

The Rt. Rev. the President announced the following *Standing Committees* :

ON INCORPORATION OF PARISHES—The Rev. Geo. H. Davis, Hon. T. H. Sessions, Hon. H. F. Stevens.

ON FINANCE :—The Rev. J. A. Gilfillan, Mr. Chas. H. Strobeck, Mr. Geo. Hargreaves.

ON PRIVILEGE—The Rev. C. H. Plummer, Mr. J. P. Pond, Mr. J. I. Black.

ON LEGISLATION—The Rev. J. Steinfort Kedney, D. D., The Rev. Thomas B. Wells, D. D., Judge E. T. Wilder, Hon. I. Atwater.

ON STATE OF THE CHURCH—The Rev. E. C. Bill. D. D., The Rev. T. C. Hudson, The Rev. C. A. Cummings, Mr. R. Warner, Mr. Lewis Stowe, Mr. Fred Farrington, Mr. W. J. Sleppy.

ON UNFINISHED BUSINESS—The Rev. John Wright, The Rev. T. H. M. V. Appleby, The Rev. Wm. C. Pope.

ON ASSESSMENTS—The Rev. Dean Bill, the Rev. Dean Graham, The Rev. Dean Cummings, Mr. E. H. Holbrook, Jr., Mr. W. B. Folds, Mr. S. M. Hayes.

On motion of The Rev. Chas. H. Plummer it was—

Resolved, That visiting Clergy and Divinity Students be invited to seats on the floor of this council.

Whereupon the following visiting Clergy were welcomed to seats on the floor of the council.

The Rev. John Williams, B. D., of the Diocese of Nebraska.

The Rev. R. H. Cotton, M. A., B. S. C., of Manchester, England.

The Rev. H. Cory-Thomas of the Diocese of Chicago.

The Rev. James Alexander of N. Dakota.

The Rt. Rev. The President submitted the report of the Board of Trustees of the Minnesota Church Foundation, which was rendered by the Secretary, Mr. Harvey Officer. On motion it was ordered printed in the Journal. (See appendix A.)

The Rt. Rev. The President read the report of the Minnesota Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary to the

Board of Missions for 1889-90, which was ordered printed. (See appendix E.)

The Rt. Rev. the Bishop of the Diocese, then delivered his annual address as follows :

BISHOP WHIPPLE'S ADDRESS.

Since our last council, the general convention met in New York. It was the centennial of its complete organization. In the order of seniority, I had the honor to preach the sermon. The council was one of the most memorable in our history. It completed the revision of our Book of Common Prayer. It is a cause of deep thanksgiving to God that no changes affecting doctrine were made, that this precious heirloom is preserved for our children and will be in the future as it has been in the past, the liturgy of the English speaking race.

Burning questions came before us, such as the relations of the colored race to the church. I had the honor to be the chairman of the joint committee to draw up the report which was adopted by both houses and which set forth the truth that "God hath made of one blood all nations," "that in Christ Jesus there is neither Jew nor Greek, neither bond nor free," "that the gifts and graces of the Holy Spirit are the same in all men" and that "this general convention has by no act or law admitted that a difference of race or color affords grounds for distinction in legislative rights or privileges." The subject of Christian education received the most careful attention—a Church University Board of Regents was created of which your Bishop is a member. It has been duly incorporated under the laws of the State of New York with power to hold and administer gifts and bequests for the endowments of schools and colleges and to fulfill all the duties necessary for the administration of the same. There has been no action of our Church which, with God's blessing may do more for the cause of Christian education. The Board of Regents, may, under God, place our schools and colleges upon a sure foundation, so that they shall no longer be individual ventures, but represent the whole Church. There is no lack of means. There are consecrated hearts. It only needs the guarantee that these pious gifts shall be wisely administered. I must repeat what I have often told you—God has wonderfully blessed our ventures of faith and the labors of those to whom we owe our success—these schools, these hospitals, and these charities must be endowed so that they will go on forever or our toils and labors will be as names written in the sand.

The question behind and greater than all questions and which was very dear to the hearts of bishops, clergy and laymen in the convention was the reunion of Christians. The declaration of the House of Bishops in 1886 and reaffirmed by the bishops of the whole Anglican Communion at the Lambeth Conference has reached the hearts of thousands of our fellow Christians. This declaration asks our brethren in Christ to accept the truths which we believe have been committed to the Church of Christ and for which it is the trustee, and then declares that "in all things of human ordering or human choice relating to modes of worship, of discipline, or traditional customs, this Church is ready in the spirit of love and humility to forego all preferences of her own." "This Church does not seek to absorb other communions but rather co-operating with them on the basis of a common faith and order to discountenance schism, to heal the wounds of the body of Christ and promote the charity which is the chief of Christian graces and the visible manifestation of Christ to the world." It was my privilege, on the invitation of the presiding bishop, to attend the conference

be grateful for any help which is given me to build a house of prayer for these faithful souls who were our friends in those dark days and saved the lives of so many women and children.

I have given my consent to the consecration of Rev. William A. Leonard, D. D., bishop of Ohio, Rev. Thomas Frederick Davies, D. D., bishop of Michigan and Rev. William Ford Nichols, D. D., assistant bishop of California.

Some years ago I expressed my hope that we might have an order of Deaconesses in the diocese. The last General Convention passed a canon which provides that every candidate for this office shall have an adequate preparation for her work, both technical and religious, which preparation shall have covered the period of two years. I am happy to say that there has been founded in New York "Grace House Training School for Deaconesses" with an able corps of instructors. I hope the day is not distant when God will put it into some heart to found such a training school for the Northwest and link his memory with work which will live forever.

Several of our parishes whose churches have been free, have adopted the rental of pews. As corporations, they have the right to adopt any lawful plan to provide the revenue necessary to support the church. Lest you think I have changed my views, while I do gladly concede to my brethren the highest loyalty to the Church and love for the souls of men, may I remind you of these facts—our laborers and craftsmen are drifting away from the Church. The Sunday is to thousands a holiday and not a holy day. It is to many, a day of pleasure seeking and amusement and not a day of rest and worship.

There are grave questions looming on the horizon of the future—the relations of capital to labor, the employer to the employed, the rich to the poor. No legal enactments, no compromises can heal these irritations, jealousies and strifes. There is only one solution. It is the Gospel of Jesus Christ which teaches us that we are the children of one God and father, which places before men not the clamor for rights of one class against another, but the duties which we owe to one another as members of one brotherhood. If I am right, if the highest duty is "to love one another," is there not danger, brothers, lest the poor, the neglected and the sinful shall feel that they have no right in the house of our Father? It must not be that when these church bells peal out their call to prayer that they shall have no message to those who are lost unless they pray.

No words of mine can express the debt of grateful love which I owe to my son and brother in the gospel, the coadjutor Bishop for his most abundant labors and for his loyal love and devotion to myself. May God reward him in that day we look for and long for. No Bishop of this church has had his declining years made more blessed by the love and wisdom and devotion of a brother's heart.

This year the Lord has led me by a way I knew not. I can say with the prophet, "I am the man who has seen affliction," a beloved son-in-law has entered into rest, a beloved daughter lay for weeks at the door of death. The one dearer than my life, who led me to the Church, whose love made me brave in the darkest hours, who for forty-eight years has been as my right hand in all work, by a strange providence has lain six months on a bed of suffering and may soon be called to the other home. The sickness of my loved ones and my own pain and weariness have made it the most eventful year of my life. Pain, sickness, sorrow and death are awful mysteries which no man can fathom. But when I have known how they have unlocked Christian hearts to give to me the wealth of their sympathy and love, nay more, when in the bankruptcy of other hopes I have cast myself on the bosom of Jesus Christ our Saviour, then those mysteries have been

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...sickness. He was ... of Connecticut. He was ... He gave his life to

the poor red men. He passed through the horrors of the Sioux massacre of 1862. He followed them when prisoners and was once beaten by roughs with a slung shot and taken up for dead. He was saved as by a miracle when a cyclone tore the mission house in pieces. He ministered as a messenger of mercy to his stricken people when dying with small pox. He translated the prayer book into Dacotah. At the request of his old friend, Good Thunder, the first Sioux baptized by the Church, he came back to the place where he began his ministry to care for our scattered Christian Sioux. He was building them a church when suddenly called away. The day before he died he dictated words of love to thank me and my wife, who had been to him all the father and mother he ever knew, to say to those whom he loved as a son, "The peace of God be with you and yours," and for himself, "Thy will be done."

I do not recall a year when the diocese has lost so many by death. Mr. G. A. Hamilton, senior warden of St. Paul's church, St. Paul, was with us in the last council. He was one of the trustees of the diocese and had been our diocesan treasurer, a man of marked integrity, a faithful steward and a loyal son of the Church, he will be missed and wanted.

Mr. A. W. Jennison was senior warden of St. John's church, Janesville. He was a good man, always faithful in the discharge of duty and always willing to aid in our Master's work.

Dr. A. W. Walbank, of Duluth, was for many years a vestryman and prominent member of St. Paul's church and one of our most honored citizens.

Hon. Horace Wilder, of Christ church, Red Wing, was one who lived by the prophet's rule "to do justly, to love mercy, and to walk humbly with God." I never looked into his gentle face without thinking that in him "the hoary head was a crown of glory for he was found in the way righteousness." He was one of the oldest graduates of Yale College and had won the highest honors in his profession, but his highest honor was that like Nathaniel of old "he was a man in whom there was no guile."

Richard Martin was one of those who cheered me by his love in the early days of my episcopate. He was a Christian gentleman, a man of far-reaching plans, of wise forethought and of unquestioned integrity. His prudence, self-denial and business ventures were not for self. He was an almoner for God and endowed, in his will, two of our most deserving charities in the city where he had gained his wealth.

L. H. Buck was senior warden of St. Mark's church, Lake City. He was endeared to me by many acts of kindness, and his hospitable home often gave me a restful welcome. He was a loyal, loving son of the Church.

Mrs. H. E. Smith, of Stillwater, the home of so many faithful daughters of the church, was a Christian woman of whom we can say, "she hath done what she could." Tears unbidden will come as we call over the roll of our departed but there is not one whose loss is greater in the field where she labored than Miss Eliza J. R. Brown. She was a gentle woman, fitted to adorn any society. With her woman's faith she began her work in an unpromising field. She never faltered; always a patient worker, hopeful in the darkest hour, and with a loving heart large enough to take in the sorrows of all the sick and suffering. The church at Glencoe is her monument, and the children whom she gathered into the Saviour's fold will rise to call her blessed.

Mrs. Charles H. Plummer has entered into the rest of the people of God. I knew her in the days of her joyous girlhood, a gentle, refined woman who to other graces added the loveliness of Christian character. "A meek and quiet spirit which in the sight of God is above price." She left a bequest to St. Luke's hospital, St. Paul.

St. Mary's Hall, Shattuck School and Senbury Divinity College have prospered and maintain their high character for scholarship and Christian culture. The Brook Farm School, at Waltham, under the care of President Barker and an able corps of teachers has numbered one hundred pupils. If we can secure the buildings I believe we shall solve the problem of furnishing a thorough education at a minimum of cost. The trustees of this school are the Bishop, the Assistant Bishop, Rev. James Dobbin, Rev. F. B. Willoughby, Rev. John Wright, A. M. Watkins, Geo. H. Christian and Mr. Conroy.

I cannot express my deep gratitude to the Woman's Auxiliary. The report of the district secretary, Mrs. Folds, I shall lay before you and ask that it may be printed in the *Diocesan Journal*. I wish I knew how to frame words to tell you how this woman's work has given joy to your Bishops. He who never forgets a deed of love will repay them in that day.

The Shattuck Home is a diocesan institution, worthy of the love and confidence of all who love Jesus Christ. Until it receives endowments its only support is the alms and gifts of Christians.

Brethren, I thank you in Christ's name for your love. I thank you for your work. Some of you have had this year deep fellowship with suffering and in it you have my sympathy and love. Your place is in my heart and I look on by faith to the other home where we who have lived and loved together shall have a harvest home in Heaven.

H. B. Achille
Bishop of Minnesota

The Assistant Bishop in the chair.

Mr. E. H. Hildrick, Jr., Treasurer of the Episcopate and submitted his report, which was referred to the Finance committee. (See appendix B.). The report of the Episcopate endowment fund was referred to a special committee, appointed by the chair, consisting of the Rev. J. H. White, The Rev. W. W. Fowler and Mr. A. M. Smith.

The Rev. T. H. M. Villers Appleby, M. A., Diocesan Missionary, read the following, which was ordered printed in the *Journal*:

REPORT.

By the grace of God I have been enabled to perform the following work as general Missionary in the Diocese.

Trinity Sunday, June 16th, held morning and evening services in Fergus Falls, with celebration of the Holy Communion, and baptized a child.

Monday, June 17th, met the members of S. James' vestry, and received a unanimous pledge of \$400 towards a resident clergyman's salary.

Saturday, June 22d, visited in Tower.

Sunday, June 23d, held morning and evening services, with celebration of the Holy Communion in Tower.

Monday, June 24th, visited all day in Two Harbors, and appointed a service there.

Tuesday, June 25th, visited in Tower and Soudan all day.

Wednesday, June 26th, joined in holy matrimony Geo. W. Hertges, the banker at Tower, and Fanny Sawbridge, our efficient organist there.

Sunday, June 30th, held Divine service in the beautiful Camp Memorial Chapel, Lake Minnetonka, in the morning, and in the afternoon in Trinity Church, Excelsior.

Tuesday, July 2d, read the litany and acted as chaplain at the ordination of Mr. William Tuson, to the diaconate in Christ Church, St. Paul.

Saturday, July 6th, visited in Little Falls.

Sunday, July 7th, held Divine service both morning and evening in the Church of Our Saviour, Little Falls, and administered the Holy Communion.

Monday, July 8th, attended a vestry meeting at Little Falls, placed the name of the Rev. A. A. Joss, before the vestry and a unanimous call was extended him.

Sunday, July 14th, celebrated the Holy Communion in Christ Church, St. Paul, and held morning and evening services therein.

Saturday, July 20th, attended a meeting of church workers in Tower.

Sunday, July 21st, held morning and evening services at Tower, with celebration of the Holy Communion. Mr. Leeds is doing good work here.

Monday, July 22d, visited all day in Tower.

Tuesday, July 23d, visited in Ely, held a cottage service there.

Wednesday, July 24th, held a most hearty service at Two Harbors, baptized a child, and administered the Holy Communion.

Thursday, July 25th, baptized the infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Pope.

Sunday, July 28th, held morning and evening services in All Saints', Morris, with celebration of the Holy Communion. Visited and had prayers with Mr. Wilson, a sick member of the Vestry, in the afternoon.

Monday, July 29th, visited in Morris, had prayers with Mr. Wilson, and partially prepared his daughter for confirmation. Went to Benson and arranged with Rev. F. H. Potts to take the last Sunday in the month at Morris, and to give them a week evening service once a fortnight.

Tuesday, July 30th, gave Mr. Ray, our Lay Reader at Appleton, and candidate for Holy orders, a written examination. Held a most hearty service in the evening with full attendance, and baptized an adult.

Wednesday, July 31st, held a celebration of the Holy Communion at 9 a. m., at which service seventeen partook of the Holy Sacrament. Mr. Ray is doing most successful work here.

Saturday, Aug. 3d, visited with Mr. Barton in St. Peter.

Sunday, Aug. 4th, held morning and evening service in the Church of the Holy Communion, St. Peter, assisted by Mr. Barton; also celebrated the Holy Communion. Visited a sick person in the afternoon and administered the Holy Communion, and at 7:30 baptized six children. Excellent work is being done here by Mr. Barton.

Monday, Aug. 5th, visited with Mr. Barton in the parish all the morning, and had prayers with a sick person in the afternoon.

Wednesday, Aug. 7th, went to Little Falls with regard to church work there.

Saturday, Aug. 10th, gave Mr. Fosbrooke, our candidate for Holy Orders, a viva voce examination at Paynesville.

Sunday, Aug. 11th, held morning and evening services in S. Stephen's Church, Paynesville, assisted by Mr. Fosbrooke. I also administered the Holy Communion. Mr. Fosbrooke has a hard and laborious field, since Royalton, a distance of 40 miles has been attached to the Paynesville Mission. Money is urgently needed here toward the church debt.

Tuesday and Wednesday, Aug. 13th and 14th, attended and took part in the Convocation at Litchfield.

Sunday, Aug. 18th, held morning service in S. Jude's Church, Henderson, with celebration of the Holy Communion. Held Divine service in S. John's Church, Le Sueur, and celebrated the Holy Communion. Mr. Bacon is doing acceptable work.

Monday, Aug. 19th, went to Zumbrota and tried to raise by pledges a stipend for the support of the Missionary.

Tuesday, Aug. 20th, I succeeded in Pine Island in obtaining ready pledges towards the stipend of Rev. H. C. Pritchard, whose services are most acceptable to the people there.

Wednesday, Aug. 21st, finished canvassing Zumbrota without effect.

Friday, Aug. 23d, the train arrived too late to hold a service at Two Harbors.

Sunday, Aug. 25th, held morning and evening services at Tower, with a celebration of the Holy Communion. The beautiful little Church here is nearing completion.

Monday, Aug. 26th, joined in holy matrimony, Owen Jones, Esq., to Fanny, daughter of John Sawbridge, church warden of Christ Church Mission.

Wednesday, Aug. 28th, went to Breckenridge *in re* Church property there, and held cottage service at Dr. Falley's.

Sunday, Sept. 1st, held morning service in Christ Church, Crookston, with celebration of the Holy Communion. In the afternoon read the funeral service over a parishioner there, and at 8 o'clock, held evening service.

Monday, Sept. 2d, conferred with some of the members of the vestry with regard to salary of the Rector, and they pleaded hard for the Mission grant to be continued till Easter, 1890, at any rate. The Rev. I. C. Fortin is doing most excellent work here and at Fisher's Landing.

Sunday, Sept. 8th, assisted the Rev. A. R. Graves in Gethsemane Church, Minneapolis, and preached to a large and attentive congregation. In the evening assisted and preached for Rev. S. Mills at S. Peter's Church, St. Paul.

Monday, Sept. 9th, arranged to canvass S. Peter's Parish preparatory to their calling a Rector.

Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, Sept. 10th, 11th, 12th, and 13th, canvassed S. Peter's Parish.

Sunday, Sept. 15th, held most hearty morning and evening Harvest Thanksgiving services at Appleton, assisted by Mr. Ray, and celebrated the Holy Communion. The church was thronged.

Monday, Sept. 16th, visited with Mr. Ray several families. The Ladies' Guild, and Young Ladies' Guild, are doing most excellent work here.

Tuesday, Sept. 17th, gave Mr. Ray an examination in the prayer book in the morning. Visited in Ortonville in the afternoon, and held service there in the evening.

Thursday, Sept. 19th, canvassed S. Peter's Parish, and attended vestry meeting, at which Rev. S. Mills was called to the Rectorship of the Parish.

Friday, Sept. 20th, proceeded with the canvass of S. Peter's Parish, and secured pledges to the amount of \$835.40 towards Rector's salary.

Saturday, Sept. 21st, visited several families with Rev. J. B. Halsey, in Granite Falls, and took part in the service for St. Matthew's day.

Sunday, Sept. 22d, held Divine services in the anything but churchly hall, both morning and evening, in which I was ably assisted by Rev. J. B. Halsey, and also celebrated the Holy Communion. After the evening service, I held a conference with regard to commencing the proposed new Church, and encouraged them to build without further delay. I also pledged them \$100 for the above object. Mr. Halsey is doing a hard and noble work, both here and at Marshall and other places.

Monday, Sept. 23d, by the wish of Bishop Whipple, attended a meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Diocese of Minnesota, *in re* Church property at Breckenridge.

Wednesday, Sept. 25th, visited in Madelia.

Thursday, Sept. 26th, visited all day in St. James, and held Divine service in the evening. Mr. Monty again generously reiterated his generous offer to give table board to a resident clergyman, and nearly \$300 has been raised towards the stipend. The Ladies' Guild is doing a noble work here.

Sunday, Sept. 29th, held Divine service with celebration of the Holy Communion in the morning, in Christ Church, Glencoe, and also evening service. Here the Church has been thoroughly renovated and beautified, which reflects great credit on the Rector and congregation.

Monday, Sept. 30th, held Divine service at Brownton, with a celebration. Here they are working hard towards the erection of a Church.

Thursday, Oct. 3d, visited the schools in Faribault, and saw Acting Warden Wells in regard to students performing occasional duty during term time.

From Oct. 4th to 9th, made a very pleasant visit to Waterville, where Mrs. Appleby and myself enjoyed the hospitality of Mr. and Mrs. Parsons.

Sunday, Oct. 6th, held Divine service in S. Andrew's Church, Waterville, in the morning, assisted by Rev. Wm. Tuson, also administered the Holy Communion. In the evening I took the whole duty, as Mr. Tuson had to go to one of his out stations. Mr. Tuson is doing hard work in his Mission.

Friday, Oct. 11th, held Divine service in Breckenridge.

Saturday, Oct. 12th, visited all day in Wahpeton and Breckenridge, and obtained from Mr. Valentine all papers *in re* Truax case for the Board of Trustees.

Sunday, Oct. 13th, held Divine services morning and evening in S. James' Church, Fergus Falls, assisted by Rev. C. C. Rollit; also administered the Holy Communion, and baptized two infants. Mr. Rollit is very highly esteemed and is doing most excellent work.

Tuesday, Oct. 15th, did a little work for S. Peter's Parish.

Thursday, Oct. 17th, held Divine service in Grace Church, Rush City, assisted by Mr. Caldwell; also baptized one adult and two children, and administered the Holy Communion.

Friday, Oct. 18th, baptized three children and one infant at Rush City; held Divine service at Two Harbors and celebrated the Holy Communion.

Sunday, Oct. 20th, held Divine services both morning and evening in the Church of the Ascension, Kenyon, and celebrated the Holy Communion, assisted by Rev. W. St. John Crickmer. Held a conference with the members of the vestry at the close of the evening service.

Monday, Oct. 21st, canvassed Kenyon with the help of Mrs. Partridge, and succeeded in raising over \$200.

Tuesday, Oct. 22d, did some more work for S. Peter's Parish.

Wednesday, Oct. 23d, visited all day in the town of Ada, and held Divine service at 8 o'clock p. m., with a good attendance.

Thursday, Oct. 24th, held Divine service at Ada with celebration of the Holy Communion, also baptized a child, and visited all day.

From Oct. 26th to 30th, laid up with very severe cold.

Oct. 29th and 30th, wrote up Diocesan Register.

Friday, Nov. 1st, All Saints' day, visited all day in Marshall with Rev. J. B. Halsey, and opened the neat little chapel there; also administered the Holy Communion, assisted by Mr. Halsey.

Saturday, Nov. 2d, visited with Mr. Halsey several families in Marshall. The Ladies' Guild is doing most excellent work here.

Sunday, Nov. 3d, arrived in Lake Benton by a delayed train at 2 a. m. Held Divine service in S. John's Chapel at 10:30 a. m., with celebration of the Holy Communion. This is a neat and well appointed Chapel, which reflects the greatest credit on its founder. There is a Kindergarten with 18 scholars held in a separate room of the same building. The Ladies' Guild is doing most excellent work in this Mission. Held Divine service at Coon Creek, twenty miles from Lake Benton, at 4 o'clock.

Monday, Nov. 4th, visited in the settlement, and held service in the evening.

Tuesday, Nov. 5th, spent most of the day in a wagon going to Marshall.

Wednesday, Nov. 6th, at 2 p. m., blessed by a most lovely day, I laid the Corner Stone of Trinity Church, Granite Falls. The Rev. Messrs. Booth, Sayres, Purves and Halsey took part in the service and addresses, and a goodly number of people were present.

Thursday, Nov. 7th, met several of the members of S. Luke's Church, Brown's Valley.

Friday, Nov. 8th, held Divine service in S. Luke's Church, with a celebration, and visited all day in Brown's Valley.

Sunday, Nov. 10th, held Divine service in S. Thomas' Church, North Branch, assisted by Mr. Caldwell. Administered the Holy Communion, and baptized an infant. Drove twenty miles, and held Divine service in Grace Church, Rush City, also baptized an adult and administered the Holy Communion.

Monday, Nov. 11th, visited all the morning in Rush City; in the afternoon at North Branch, and held Divine service in the evening.

Tuesday, Nov. 12th, visited, and held Divine service in Two Harbors.

Wednesday, Nov. 13th, visited in Two Harbors.

Saturday, Nov. 16th, met some of the members of Emmanuel Church, Rushford.

Sunday, Nov. 17th, held Divine services morning and evening in Emmanuel Church, Rushford, with celebration of the Holy Communion. Addressed a largely attended Sunday School here.

Monday, Nov. 18th, visited all day in Rushford, and had prayers with Mrs. Stevens' Sunday School class in the evening. The Rev. T. K. Allen is doing a most successful work in this district.

Tuesday, Nov. 19th, visited in Austin, and held Divine service in Christ Church in the evening. \$600 was guaranteed here towards the stipend of a clergyman.

Wednesday, Nov. 20th, went to Faribault and arranged for temporary duty at Austin.

Sunday, Nov. 24th, held morning and evening services in Grace Church, Wabasha. Addressed in the evening, and held a meeting of the vestry. \$500 was guaranteed as stipend for a resident clergyman.

Monday, Nov. 25th, visited in the morning.

Thursday, Nov. 28th, Thanksgiving Day, officiated at S. Peter's, St. Paul, and preached.

Saturday, Nov. 30th, visited several families in Redwood Falls with Rev. S. B. Purves.

Sunday, Dec. 1st, held Divine service in the church of the Holy Communion, ably assisted by the Rector, both morning and evening; also celebrated the Holy Communion. In the afternoon, drove to Beaver Falls, where a large and attentive congregation was assembled.

Monday, Dec. 2d, visited in the morning with Mr. Purves, who is doing most excellent and successful work here.

Tuesday, Dec. 3d, attended Convocation at S. John's Church, St. Paul, and addressed in the evening.

Wednesday, Dec. 4th, attended Convocation.

Thursday, Dec. 5th, attended the quarterly meeting of the Board of Missions.

Saturday, Dec. 7th, attended a committee meeting in Tower.

Sunday, Dec. 8th, celebrated the Holy Communion and held Divine services. The beautiful church at Tower is drawing very near completion. Mrs. Bacon is most active in getting funds for the church. Mrs. Barrett holds the Sunday School in her own home, and the Ladies' Guild is doing most successful work.

Tuesday, Dec. 10th, held Divine service at Two Harbors.

Wednesday, Dec. 11th, visited several families in Two Harbors.

Sunday, Dec. 15th, took full duty at St. Cloud, and Sauk Rapids, while Mr. Cummings was assisting in a Mission at Paynesville.

Monday, Dec. 16th, proceeded to Paynesville to carry on the Mission there, but found it had been closed, and met some members of the church committee there with reference to church debt.

Tuesday, Dec. 17th, visited in Paynesville all day and held a conference in regard to church matters in general there.

Saturday, Dec. 21st, visited in St. James, and introduced Mr. W. W. Lowry. Attended meeting of the Ladies' Guild. \$300 guaranteed for salary, and Mr. Monty generously offered table board to Mr. Lowry.

Sunday, Dec. 22d, held Divine service in Calvary Church, St. James, and administered the Holy Communion, assisted by Mr. Lowry. Went to Lake Crystal, and catechised the Sunday School there at 3 p. m., also held evening service in All Saints' Church.

Monday, Dec. 23d, held vestry meeting, at which, at the rate of \$25 per month for three months was guaranteed for salary. Visited in Lake Crystal.

Tuesday, Dec. 24th, asked Mrs. Frank Bass, of St. Paul, for a small house on her farm, which she generously gave for a parsonage for S. James' Mission.

Wednesday, Christmas Day, officiated at Gethsemane Church, Minneapolis, and assisted at the celebration of the Holy Communion.

Saturday, Dec. 28th, visited all day in St. Peter.

Sunday, Dec. 29th, catechised the whole Sunday School at St. Peter, and held Divine services in the Church of the Holy Communion there, and celebrated the Holy Eucharist. Met the vestry and some members of the congregation, and tried to arrange for the calling of a clergyman on \$700 local subscription and \$200 grant.

Wednesday, Feast of the Circumcision, attended the consecration of Rev. A. R. Graves, at Gethsemane Church, Minneapolis, and was very much impressed by Bishop Gilbert's powerful sermon.

Saturday, Jan. 4th, visited in Shakopee.

Sunday, Jan. 5th, held Divine service with celebration in the morning, in S. Peter's Church, Shakopee. Visited the sick and others in the afternoon, and baptized an infant at the evening service.

Monday, Jan. 6th, visited all day in Shakopee. The people promised \$300 as salary towards resident clergyman.

Thursday and Friday, Jan. 9th and 10th, wrote up Diocesan Register.

Saturday, Jan. 11th, in Henderson, made arrangements for salary at rate of \$300.

Sunday, Jan. 12th, held Divine service with celebration at S. Jude's, Henderson. Visited a sick person and administered the Holy Communion in the afternoon. Held Divine service in S. John's church, Le Sueur, and administered the Holy Communion; also held a conference with the vestry and congregation.

Monday, Jan. 13th, visited sick and others in Le Sueur, and secured pledges towards a salary of \$300 per annum.

Friday, Jan. 17th, on my return everything being satisfactory at Shakopee, by wish of Bishop Gilbert, I extended a call to Rev. C. M. Pullen to take charge of Shakopee, Henderson, Le Sueur, and Belle Plaine.

Saturday, Jan. 18th, arranged with Mr. Caldwell at Rush City to take the oversight of the work there.

Sunday, Jan. 19th, took full duty at S. Paul's, Duluth, while the successful Rector thereof was holding a mission at Redwood Falls.

Monday, Jan. 20th, visited with Rev. Cyrus K. Capron, the earnest Rector in charge of the work at West End, West Duluth and West Superior, and tried to locate a site for a church.

Tuesday, Jan. 21st, went around with Mr. Capron and started a subscription list towards proposed new church at West End. This is a difficult field and needs much outside aid.

Tuesday evening held Divine service at Tower.

Wednesday, Jan. 22d, visited all day in Two Harbors, and held Divine service in the evening.

Thursday, Jan. 23d, visited and spoke to some people of Two Harbors with regard to securing two lots for a church site, and went to Cloquet to hold service in the evening, but found no notice had been given.

Sunday, Jan. 26th, on account of severe sickness in my family, remained in St. Paul, and preached and assisted in the Church of the Good Shepherd.

Sunday, Feb. 2d, for same reason and on account of the severe illness of Rev. J. H. White, took full duty at S. John's, St. Paul.

Tuesday, Feb. 4th, finished the canvass in Shakopee, and arranged with the vestry in regard to the rectory there for Rev. C. M. Pullen.

Sunday, Feb. 9th, took full duty at S. John's church, St. Paul.

Monday, Feb. 10th, read the funeral service over a parishioner of S. John's church.

Tuesday, Feb. 11th, as one of the examining chaplains, examined M. N. Ray and C. B. Fosbrooke for the sacred order of Deacons.

From the 14th to the 17th of February, engaged as one of a committee appointed by Gov. Merriam to enquire into the destitution caused by partial failure of the crops in Kittson county.

Sunday, Feb. 16th, preached and took part in the services in Christ church, St. Vincent and Grace church, Pembina. Rev. H. Beer is doing faithful and successful work in my old mission amid the discouragement of constant removals.

Wednesday, Feb. 19th, reported to the Governor on the suffering in Kittson county.

Sunday, Feb. 23d, held Divine services in Gethsemane church, Appleton, assisted by Mr. Ray and administered the Holy Communion.

Tuesday, Feb. 25th, addressed and baptized at Sunrise, three adults, also held Divine service at North Branch in S. Thomas' church, in the evening baptized here three adults and five children.

Wednesday, Feb. 25th, held Divine service in the morning in Grace church, Rush city, and administered the Holy Communion.

Thursday, Feb. 28th, attended the quarterly meeting of the Board of Missions, in St. Paul.

Saturday, March 2d, visited in St. Peter.

Sunday, March 3d, catechised the Sunday school, held Divine services in the Church of the Holy Communion, St. Peter, and celebrated the Holy Communion; also met the members of the vestry and others after the evening service with reference to calling a Rector.

Monday, March 3d, visited in St. James.

Tuesday, March 4th, attended a meeting of the Ladies' Guild and conferred with the church committee in regard to church matters.

Friday, March 7th, went to Shakopee, and made final arrangements there, which were highly satisfactory.

Sunday, March 9th, took part in the service and preached in S. Luke's church, West Superior, in the morning; and also in the Mission of the Holy Spirit, West End (Duluth) in the evening.

Monday, March 10th, collected towards church building in Duluth in the morning accompanied by Rev. C. K. Capron, the energetic and hard-working Rector of West Superior, West End and West Duluth, and visited with him in the afternoon, several church families in West Duluth. The church has the greatest opportunity ever before offered for successful work in this vast field, and men and means are most urgently needed to press forward and fully cover the field.

Sunday, March 16th, held Divine service and administered the Holy Communion in S. James' church, St. Paul, assisted by the successful lay reader in charge of the work there.

From the 17th of March to the 28th of April, I was absent from the Diocese by the express wishes of both the Bishops, for the purpose of raising funds for church building in this state, and by God's blessing secured the sum of \$3015.30 in money or good pledges. With the approval of Bishop Gilbert the amounts have been apportioned as follows:

West End, Duluth.....	\$500
West Duluth.....	500
For salary of a resident clergyman (from the Sunday school of the church of the Holy Apostles, Philadelphia, most probably for 4 or 5 years).....	400
Luverne.....	400
Marshall.....	400
Sleepy Eye.....	250
Paynesville.....	200
Granite Falls.....	100
St. James.....	100

Friday, May 2d, went to Red Wing to confer with Bishop Gilbert after my return from the East, took part in the service at Christ church, and was much refreshed by the Bishop's stirring sermon.

Saturday, May 3d, saw Mr. Caldwell at Rush City and made appointments for Goose Creek and Rush City, also met the choir of Christ church at Tower in the evening.

Sunday, May 4th, held Divine service at Tower with celebration of the Holy Communion in the morning. In the evening the hall was very full, the services here were most hearty and the people most enthusiastic about their beautiful church and its bright prospects.

Monday, May 5th, visited all day in Tower and Soudan, and held Divine service in the evening in the hall in Tower and addressed on confir-

mation. The people are ready to extend a most hearty welcome to their first Rector, the Rev. R. H. Gesner, of Hyde Park, N. Y.

Tuesday, May 6th, visited all day in Two Harbors and held Divine service in the evening.

Wednesday, May 7th, held Divine service at the school house, Goose Creek, assisted by Mr. Caldwell, and baptized nine adults and ten children. The baptismal service was most affecting.

Thursday, May 8th, held Divine service with celebration of the Holy Communion in the morning, in Grace church, Rush City. I also baptized two adults and three children here.

Saturday, May 10th, got to Russell at 3:50 a. m., and visited all day at Island Lake and Coon Creek.

Sunday, May 11th, held Divine service at Coon Creek, with celebration of the Holy Communion in the morning. Drove over to Lake Benton, a distance of twenty miles, in the afternoon, and held Divine service in S. John's chapel in the evening, impressively assisted by Mr. Green, our Lay Reader in charge. I also baptized one adult and two children.

Monday, May 12th, held a celebration of the Holy Communion in S. John's chapel at 9 o'clock. Visited the prosperous Kindergarten which is doing good work here under Mrs. Robinson's able teaching. In the afternoon visited in Lake Benton. The church here is greatly blessed by the services and example of Mr. Green.

Thursday, May 15th, Ascension Day, held Divine service in the chapel at Brownston, and administered the Holy Communion. In the evening took part in the service at Christ church, Glencoe, preached, addressed and met the church members after service.

Sunday, May 18th, held Divine services in S. Luke's church, Brown's Valley, with celebration of the Holy Communion in the morning and met the members at the close of the evening service and made arrangements for services.

Wednesday, May 21st, preached and presented M. N. Ray for the sacred order of Deacons in S. Luke's, Willmar, also attended the morning session of the convocation there.

Sunday, May 25th, preached and celebrated the Holy Communion in S. John's church, Moorhead, assisted by Rev. T. E. Dickey, in the morning, and also held Divine service and preached again in the evening, assisted by Rev. T. E. Dickey. A Rector is urgently needed in this parish.

Wednesday, May 28th, held Divine service in Goose Creek school house, preached, addressed and baptized ten adults and seven children, also administered the Holy Communion. This was one of the most touching services it was ever my privilege to witness and perform.

I would call attention to the fact that since the 17th of October last I have baptized no less than sixty-one persons or children in this mission field under the charge of our Lay Reader, Mr. John Caldwell. He has been ever earnest, painstaking and persevering in the work of the church here, and God has blessed the means abundantly. I would therefore most earnestly recommend him to the Standing Committee as a person worthy to be admitted as a candidate for the sacred order of Deacons.

In every mission I visit I hear the most touching sympathy and affection expressed for our beloved and revered Bishop in his deep family affliction, and the fervent hope expressed that during the coming summer he will be enabled to be among them as in the old days.

The general mission work of the church is in a highly prosperous condition throughout the State, largely due, under God, to the presence of Bishop Gilbert in every field, whether large or small, without distinction.

and to that wonderful magnetism and power which infuses itself into God's work wherever he goes.

During the past year I have preached and addressed 193 times, administered the Holy Communion 53 times to 828 communicants. I have administered the holy sacrament of Baptism to 30 adults and 49 children, making total of 79 persons in all, 70 of whom will be reported from mission points. I laid the corner stone of Trinity church, Granite Falls, I have married two couples and buried two persons. I have traveled in the State 17,033 miles and thus spent 67 days of 12 hours long on the cars. I have assisted 15 Parishes or Mission stations to raise the salary towards a rector or missionary to the extent of \$7,235.40; I have raised East for church building work generally, \$3,015.30. My offertories have amounted to \$253.22; my expenses to \$186.94; thus leaving a balance in hand of \$66.28. My offertories, in proportion to last year were not as large, owing to the fact that the good Parishes are all supplied with resident clergymen.

I would respectfully suggest that in cases of vacancies in all Parishes receiving aid from the Mission Board, the nomination of the clergyman to said parish be placed in the hands of the Bishop, and that a Canon be enacted for said purpose.

I would further suggest that where Parishes or Missions have rectory houses or parsonages, and a single clergyman be appointed to that field, if the Parish or Mission rent the rectory or parsonage, they shall pay for the rent of rooms for said resident clergyman, or that in the case of a married clergyman, he be allowed the free use of the rectory or parsonage.

The Rev. W. C. Pope offered the following, which was adopted :

Resolved, That this Council has heard with great gratification the remarkable report of the Diocesan Missionary.

On the suggestion of the Assistant Bishop a resolution was adopted that the Council proceed to take subscription for the support of the Diocesan Missionary. Pending preparation for this, the Rev. Geo. H. Davis, chairman of the committee on the incorporation of parishes submitted the following, which was adopted :

REPORT.

The Committee on the Incorporation of New Parishes reports that the Church of the Holy Communion of Redwood Falls, Minn., has applied for admission to the Council, and that the requirements of the Constitution and By-Laws have been complied with. They therefore recommend the admission of the Parish.

G. H. DAVIS,	} Committee.
H. F. STEVENS,	
M. H. SESSIONS,	

On motion of the Rev. C. D. Andrews the salary of the Diocesan Missionary was placed at \$1800 per annum; and subscriptions therefor taken, the list of which

was delivered to the Diocesan Treasurer, Mr. H. P. Hoppin.

On motion of the Rev. Wm. C. Pope it was—

Resolved, That the Minnesota Missionary and Church Record be subsidized to the amount of \$100, and that the editor of the paper is hereby directed to publish all matter of missionary interest, including the report of the Woman's Auxiliary, the address of the Diocesan Missionary, and such other matter from the Journal, as a committee to be appointed by the Bishop, shall think best, in the interest of Diocesan Missions; and distribute the same, in such quantities and to such persons, as the Rectors of the several Parishes in the Diocese shall direct; and the Rectors are, at once, to notify the editor, how *many*, and to whom they wish papers sent.

The Rt. Rev. the President then appointed as such committee the editor of the paper, the Secretary and the Assistant Secretary of the Council.

The Rt. Rev. the President read the following, which was ordered printed in the Journal :

REPORT.

CLEVELAND, OHIO, May 15, 1890.

TO THE RT. REV. HENRY B. WHIPPLE, D. D.,

Bishop, Diocese of Minnesota :

During the year just closed, I held services for deaf-mutes at Gethsemane, and S. Paul's Churches, Minneapolis; and Christ Church, Red Wing, with good congregations. My duties in the other Dioceses of my Missionary District have kept me from visiting more places in Minnesota.

About one thousand deaf-mutes may be found in this Diocese. About two-thirds have been to school. They are isolated from the worship and instruction of their hearing brethren. The Church needs a larger force of clergy versed in their graphic and instructive language of motion.

Fifteen years have passed since I began this itinerant work in the great Middle West. Services have been held in over 250 parishes; 508 deaf-mutes and their hearing children have been received into the Church by Holy Baptism; and the Communicant list shows nearly 400 names. Over 400 prayer books and a multitude of tracts have been distributed, which have fallen into the hands of their hearing brethren and led their thoughts towards the Church.

A. W. MANN,

Genl. Missionary to Deaf-mutes.

The Rt. Rev. the President then submitted a report of a canon on the "aged and infirm clergy" from the secretary of the general convention, which report was referred to the Committee on Legislation. He also submitted "the notification of the proposed changes in the prayer book," which report was also referred to the same committee.

Mr. H. P. Hoppin, Diocesan Treasurer, submitted his report which was referred to the Finance committee. (See appendix C.)

The Rev. John H. White submitted a proposed canon to be known as, "canon XVIII on the missionary board," which was referred to the committee on legislation, also amendments to canon VI. §3, which were also referred to the committee on legislation.

The Rev. Andrew D. Stowe submitted a resolution revising canon IV. and offering a proposed canon on "regulating missionary work," which was also referred to the committee on legislation.

The Rev. W. C. Pope offered a resolution which was referred to the committee on legislation, amending Canon VI.

On motion of the Rev. Mr. Cummings it was —

Resolved, That it is the sense of this Council that the Bishop arrange for missionary meetings to be held throughout the diocese for the purpose of arousing a deeper interest in general missionary work.

On motion the Council adjourned until eight o'clock this evening.

S. PAUL'S CHURCH, Minneapolis,)
Wednesday evening, June 4th, 1890, 8 p. m., }

Council re-assembled, as a missionary meeting, which was addressed by the Rt. Rev. M. N. Gilbert, D. D., The Rev. W. M. Barker, The Rev. C. C. Rollit, and Rev. Joseph Wakazoo. The Rt. Rev. the Assistant Bishop and the Rev. Frank R. Millspaugh conducting the services. After the discussion on the subject of the general missionary work of the Diocese, on motion of the Rev. Frank R. Millspaugh it was —

Resolved, That a committee of three be appointed by the President to take into consideration the Mission work of the Diocese and report to the next annual council. The Rt. Rev. the President appointed as such committee, the Rev. W. M. Barker, the Rev. Frank R. Millspaugh and Capt. J. C. Reno.

An offering was taken for freedmen's missions.

On motion the council adjourned until to-morrow morning 9:30.

SECOND DAY.

S. PAUL'S CHURCH, Minneapolis, }
Thursday, June 5, 1890, 9:30 a. m. }

In the absence of the Bishop and the Assistant Bishop, the Council was called to order by the Secretary. On motion, the Rev. W. C. Pope was called to the chair, and opened the Council with prayers. The Secretary called the roll of Clerical and Lay delegates. (The Rt. Rev. the Assistant Bishop took the chair here.) The minutes of the previous sessions of the Council were read and approved.

The Rev. John Wright offered the following report on unfinished business, which was adopted :

REPORT.

The Committee on Unfinished Business beg to report that the Committee on "Means aimed at prevailing vices and crimes," and the Committee on "Missions and Charities," appointed at the last Council were authorized to report at the present Council.

The Rev. Dr. Bill, chairman of the committee on the State of the Church, submitted the following, which on motion was adopted :

REPORT.

Your Committee beg leave to say that they base their report more upon careful observation of the working of the Diocese during the year, than the examination of officers' and Parochial reports, for which the time of the Council is all too short.

1st. Your Committee find reason for congratulation in the large number of confirmations.

2d. The work of our able and faithful Diocesan Missionary again bears ample testimony to the foresight of the Council in providing for the office, and the wisdom of the Assistant Bishop in the selection of the Missionary. Viewing the vast territory over which the Assistant Bishop is obliged to extend his visitations and the unformed and unsettled condition of matters ecclesiastical in many of the places, which look almost entirely to him for guidance and counsel, your Committee would urge upon the Council paramount necessity of the hearty and generous maintenance of the Diocesan Missionary.

3d. Your Committee observe, with regret, a falling off in offerings for Diocesan Missions. In 1874-1875, with less than 5,000 communicants, our Diocese gave more to spread the Gospel of Christ in our own territory, than in 1889-90 with nearly 10,000 enrolled communicants. The reason is not far to seek in many cases, and obvious in others. Whether new Churches, Parish buildings, or increased salaries for Rectors and musicians on the one hand, or Parish depopulation and impoverishment and consequent apathy and indulgence on the other, are responsible for the present state of things, the mere statement of the fact should be all that is necessary to remind us of our duty in this particular.

4th. Your Committee share the feelings of satisfaction, experienced by churchmen throughout the Diocese, at the manifest desire to improve Church property. Some old churches have been rebuilt, a few have been remodeled, new and stately chancels have taken the place of those less commodious, a few congregations are rejoicing in new guild houses, as beehives for parochial activity, while many others are contemplating similar improvements in the near future.

5th. We would close this, our much condensed report, with a passing allusion to the lack of increase in the number of young men, from our own midst, offering themselves for the Holy Ministry. Our Bishops will certainly allow your Committee to remind the clergy on the one hand, that once each year at least they should enforce upon the young men of their cures the claims of the Christian priesthood and to suggest to churchmen and churchwomen, that to make money or to achieve a name in letters, art, or science, is not all for which able bodied and sound minded sons were given them.

EDW. C. BILL, Chairman.

The Rev. Frank R. Millspaugh, secretary of the Diocesan Board of Missions, submitted the following, which was adopted :

REPORT.

The Diocesan Missionary Board has met five times since the last Council.

It has disbursed \$3,000, granted from the Domestic Board to the Diocese, and \$3,500 given by our own Parishes and Missions for our own Missionary work. This does not include \$1,500 for the Diocesan Missionary.

This has helped to support thirty-six Missionaries who have supplied regular services at seventy-five places, besides irregular services at many others.

Four of our Missionaries have withdrawn to take other work in this and other Dioceses. Two have been added. There are now several vacant places in the Diocese, where a salary of \$800, with the help of the Board can be assured.

The Board feels that no mistake has been made in the selection of Missionaries. Several of the largest confirmation classes and the largest lists of the baptized have been reported by our Missionaries.

In consideration of this fact, it is the sense of the Board, that the Parishes strive to increase, instead of diminish, the amount given for Missions.

Take heed—in ten years Minnesota has doubled the number of communicants.

It is putting at the disposal of the Diocesan Board, for its local Missionaries, just \$182 more than it did in 1880.

The Board is impressed with the conviction that the apportionments to Diocesan Missions are as binding as any other obligation of the Parish Mission.

If the Diocese will put more money in our hands, we will provide more Missionaries to supply irregularly at least, say five hundred places in the Diocese where a congregation of at least twenty-five could be gathered. The District Presbyter system is the entering wedge.

The Board is distributing now the 110th thousand of the Missionary tract, "The Church and Her Ways." \$137.50 has been turned into the Board fund so that while we intended only to pay expenses in the Missionary work of the tract, we have added to our funds.

Of this, seven thousand has been given to Pott's Church Book Store, N. Y. for \$75 and another of ten thousand to the Missionary Bishop of the District for the cost of printing.

Several orders of one thousand have come from the Bishops; one clergyman at Mankato ordered one thousand to be distributed in the P. O. boxes at his place.

Words of commendation come continually, from all parts of the United States and Canada.

Our General Missionary has continued with the same zeal in his work during the last year, and through his exertions in the East much financial aid has been given.

According to a resolution of the Council last year, the Board provided for several Missionary Centers during the year, viz: At St. John's Church, St. Paul; Gethsemane Church, Minneapolis; Calvary Church, Rochester; St. Paul's Church, Minneapolis; St. Luke's Church, Willmar; and Church of the Good Samaritan, Sank Center.

We ask the coming year, brethren, that we may become your agents for a larger sum to the glory of God and for the salvation of men.

Respectfully submitted,

FRANK R. MILLSPAUGH, Secretary.

The Rev. Geo. H. Davis of the Committee on Incorporation of Parishes submitted the following, which was adopted:

REPORT.

The Committee on Incorporation of Parishes recommend the admission to our communion with this Council, the Parishes of St. Matthew and St. James, in the City of St. Paul, they having been duly organized and having applied for such admission.

G. H. DAVIS,
M. H. SESSIONS.

The Rt. Rev. the President appointed, as a Committee on the nomination of a Diocesan Board of Missions for the ensuing year the following:

The Rev. Thos. B. Wells, D. D., The Rev. John Wright, Mr. Peter Baldy.

The Rt. Rev. the President appointed as EXAMINING CHAPLAINS for the ensuing year, the following:

The Rev. W. C. Pope, The Rev. John Wright, The Rev. J. H. White, The Rev. C. H. Plummer, The Rev. Geo. C. Tanner, The Rev. J. J. Faude, The Rev. T. H. A. Villiers Appleby, M. A.

The Rt. Rev. The President appointed as members of the ECCLESIASTICAL COURT, The Rev. W. C. Pope for five years, and The Rev. E. S. Wilson, D. D., in the place of Rev. Wm. Gardam, removed, for one year; and as members of the APPELATE COURT, The Rev. Chas. D. Andrews for five years, and The Rev. J. J. Faude, in the place of the Rev. A. R. Graves, removed, for three years.

The Rev. Dean Bill of the Southern Deanery submitted his report, which see, in appendix D.

The Rev. Dean Graham of the central Deanery, submitted his report, which see, in appendix D.

The Rev. Dean Cummings of the Northern Deanery submitted his report, which see, in appendix D.

The Rev. J. A. Gilfillan, chairman of the Finance Committee, submitted the following, which was adopted :

REPORT.

Your committee to whom was referred the several Treasurers' accounts have examined the same, and find them correct in every particular.

The Rev. J. Steinfort Kedney, D. D., of the Committee on Legislation submitted the following, which was adopted :

REPORT.

The Committee on Legislation, to whom was referred a communication from the Secretary of the House of Deputies of the General Convention, containing certain resolutions, report as follows:

1. That while the Clergyman's Retiring Fund Society is commended to the support of the clergy and laity of our Church, this Council, having received no report of such society does not feel called upon for any action with reference to the same.

2. That with regard to the commendation to their attention, of the canon of the Diocese of Newark, we are of the opinion, that the need of such a canon does not, at present, exist in our Diocese; that our present method of allowing the assets of the fund for the relief of aged and infirm clergymen, to be dispensed according to the knowledge and at the discretion of the Bishop and the standing committee of the Diocese, works sufficiently well; and that until bequests and donations constituting a permanent fund, bearing interest, comes to exist, there is no need of any appoint-

ment, and means for the administration of any contributions made for this purpose. Therefore that your committee do not recommend the passage, at present, of any action similar to that of the Diocese of Newark.

All of which is respectfully submitted,

J. STEINFORT KEDNEY, Chairman.

The Rev. Dr. Kedney also made a verbal report on the proposed canon, entitled - **THE BOARD OF MISSIONS,**" in which the committee suggested changes and referred the same back to the Council for consideration. On motion of Hon. M. H. Sessions it was —

Resolved, That the discussion of the proposed Canon be made the special order for 2 p. m. to-day.

Hon. E. T. Wilder, of the Committee on Legislation, submitted the following, which was adopted :

REPORT.

The Committee on Legislation, to whom was referred two proposed amendments to Canon VI, respectfully report that upon examination they find the proposed amendments, in all their important features, are sufficiently covered by the existing canons, and by the statutes of the State, for the organization of Parishes. They therefore ask to be discharged from the further consideration of this subject.

Respectfully submitted for the Committee,

J. STEINFORT KEDNEY, Chairman.

The Rev. J. Steinfort Kedney, D. D., chairman of the Committee on Legislation, submitted the following, which was adopted :

REPORT.

The Committee on Legislation, to whom was referred the communication of the Secretary of the House of Deputies of the General Convention, officially making known to the Council of the diocese of Minnesota, the alterations and additions to the Book of Common Prayer, proposed in the General Convention of 1889, and to be acted upon at the General Convention of 1892, comprised in certain resolutions therein communicated, report as follows:

That your committee advise no dissenting expression concerning the same, and therefore, that this Council shall virtually express their approval, with the following exceptions, viz.: That the fourth resolution, recommending that in the fourth deprecation in the Litany, there be prefixed the words, "from fire and flood," and that the word "earthquake" be inserted before the word "lightning" in the same deprecation, does not meet the approval of your committee, and they therefore recommend that the Council, by admitting and not amending their report, shall in this manner express their disapproval of the same.

All of which is respectfully submitted,

J. STEINFORT KEDNEY, Chairman.

Rev. Dr. Bill of Committee on Assessments, submitted the following report, which was adopted :

ASSESSMENTS AND APPORTIONMENTS, 1890-91.

SH.	Diocesan Missions.	Episcopate Fund.	Council Fund.	PARISH.	Diocesan Missions.	Episcopate Fund.	Council Fund.
sa.....	12.00	7.00	1.50	Minnetonka Beach..	10.00	5.00	5.00
fa.....	5.00	3.00	2.00	Montevideo.....	10.00	3.00	2.00
.....	8.00	5.00	2.00	Moorhead.....	22.00	20.00	6.00
.....	15.00	10.00	5.00	Morristown.....	20.00	10.00	4.00
.....	6.00	4.00	1.50	North Branch.....	5.00	3.00	1.00
Grove.....	8.00	5.00	3.00	Northfield.....	20.00	20.00	10.00
.....	5.00	4.00	2.00	Owatonna.....	25.00	15.00	5.00
rk.....	12.00	9.00	3.00	Paynesville.....	4.00	2.00	2.00
in.....	5.00	3.00	2.00	Perham.....	2.00	2.00	1.00
.....	8.00	6.00	3.00	Pine Island.....	5.00	3.00	3.00
th.....	8.00	3.00	1.00	Point Douglass.....	5.00	3.00	1.00
.....	65.00	20.00	15.00	Red Wing.....	150.00	100.00	35.00
on.....	1.00	1.00	1.00	Redwood Falls.....	5.00	3.00	3.00
Valley.....	3.00	2.00	1.00	Renov.....	5.00	2.00	2.00
ille.....	1.00	1.00	1.00	Rochester.....	25.00	15.00	6.00
a.....	7.00	5.00	2.00	Royalton.....	4.00	3.00	2.00
City.....	6.00	5.00	1.00	Rush City.....	5.00	3.00	1.00
Falls.....	20.00	20.00	3.00	Rushford.....	15.00	10.00	3.00
l.....	8.00	8.00	3.00	Sank Center.....	18.00	12.00	5.00
on.....	25.00	10.00	5.00	Sauk Rapids.....	5.00	3.00	2.00
.....	1.00	1.00	1.00	Shakopee.....	10.00	7.00	3.00
.....	5.00	2.00	1.00	Slayton.....	3.00	2.00	1.00
l.....	3.00	2.00	1.00	Sleepy Eye.....	3.00		
.....	120.00	60.00	20.00	Stillwater.....	100.00	60.00	20.00
r.....	5.00	5.00	2.00	St. Charles.....	7.00	5.00	2.00
.....	4.00	1.00	1.00	St. Cloud.....	35.00	22.00	7.00
r.....	5.00	3.00	2.00	St. James.....	3.00	2.00	1.00
t.....	10.00	8.00	3.00	ST. PAUL—			
LT—				Ascension.....	15.00	10.00	5.00
lral.....	150.00	125.00	25.00	Christ.....	550.00	300.00	50.00
ck.....	125.00	75.00		Good Shepherd.....	28.00	20.00	6.00
y's.....	60.00	40.00		Messiah.....	8.00	5.00	2.00
ton.....	5.00	3.00	2.00	S. James'.....	15.00	7.00	3.00
alls.....	15.00	10.00	6.00	S. John's.....	170.00	100.00	30.00
ac.....	3.00	2.00	1.50	S. Mary's, M. P.....	15.00	10.00	5.00
.....	3.00	2.00	2.00	S. Mathew's.....	5.00	2.00	1.00
d.....	2.00	2.00	1.00	S. Paul's.....	300.00	160.00	40.00
Falls.....	10.00	5.00	2.00	S. Peter's.....	15.00	7.00	3.00
.....	5.00	2.00	2.00	S. Stephen's.....	8.00	5.00	2.00
.....	5.00	5.00	2.00	St. Peter.....	30.00	15.00	7.00
s.....	36.00	26.00	10.00	St. Vincent.....	5.00	2.00	2.00
on.....	10.00	7.00	3.00	Tower.....	10.00	2.00	3.00
l.....	1.00	1.00	1.00	Wabasha.....	22.00	15.00	5.00
e.....	10.00	8.00	7.00	Wadena.....	2.00	2.00	1.00
.....	4.00	3.00	2.00	Warsaw.....	6.00	5.00	2.00
y.....	50.00	30.00	20.00	Waseca.....	8.00	7.00	3.00
ystal.....	5.00	3.00	2.00	Waterville.....	8.00	5.00	3.00
rk.....	2.00	2.00	1.00	Wells.....	15.00	8.00	3.00
.....	5.00	3.00	2.00	White Bear Lake.....	15.00	7.00	3.00
d.....	25.00	15.00	8.00	Wilder.....	3.00	2.00	1.00
ills.....	12.00	8.00	3.00	Willmar.....	20.00	12.00	5.00
rths.....	7.00	5.00	2.00	Windom.....	5.00	3.00	1.50
.....	3.00	2.00	1.00	Winona.....	100.00	80.00	20.00
.....	3.00	2.00	1.00	Worthington.....	5.00	3.00	1.50
t Lake.....	10.00	5.00	5.00	Zumbrota.....	5.00	3.00	2.00
o.....	28.00	20.00	10.00	INDIAN STATIONS—			
polis—	2.00	1.00	1.00	Cass Lake.....	4.00	1.00	1.00
nts.....	10.00	7.00	3.00	Leech Lake.....	15.00	10.00	6.00
mane.....	450.00	200.00	50.00	R'd L'ke, S. Antipas	8.00	4.00	1.00
.....	12.00	8.00	4.00	.....S. Johns	9.00	4.00	1.00
y.....	100.00	35.00	15.00	Wild Rice River.....	9.00	5.00	2.00
rew's.....	12.00	8.00	4.00	White Earth.....	35.00	20.00	5.00
te's.....	12.00	8.00	4.00				
k's.....	420.00	250.00	50.00				
l's.....	150.00	50.00	20.00				
					4137.00	2370.00	722.50

ie Assessment for Council Fund is payable at once, in order to issue Council Journal promptly.

ie assessment for Bishops' salaries and the apportionment for missions, is payable quarterly in advance.

ie assessments are *obligatory*, and parishes reported as in arrears have no representation in Council.

ie Treasurer's books and accounts *will be closed* June 1, 1891.

The Rev. C. A. Cummings, of the Committee on Assessments, offered the following, which was adopted :

REPORT.

Inasmuch as there have been no regular services during the past year at the following stations:—

	ARREARS.	
	E. F.	C. F.
Anoka	\$ 10.00	\$3.00
Cannon City	5.00	1.00
Farmington	3.00	2.00
Frontenac	3.00	1.50
Henderson	14.00	3.00
Morristown	5.00	2.00
Wabasha	15.00	5.00
Wilder	2.00	1.00
Madelia	2.00	1.00
Zumbrota	3.00	2.00

Resolved, That their arrears for Bishop's salary and Council fund be remitted and that they be affectionately urged to raise the amount assessed for the ensuing year, in the name of our Lord and for the prosperity of his work.

Hon. E. T. Wilder, of the Committee on Legislation, submitted the following, which was adopted :

REPORT.

The Committee on Legislation, to whom was referred a proposed Canon to be numbered Canon XVIII. respectfully report that they have with some care examined the proposed Canon and concur in the opinion that it is inexpedient to adopt the same.

They therefore ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the same.

Respectfully submitted,

J. STEINFORT KEDNEY, Chairman.

Capt. J. C. Reno, secretary of the Standing Committee of the Diocese, submitted the following, which was adopted :

REPORT.

The Standing Committee of the Diocese met in the Chapel of the Cathedral of Our Merciful Saviour, in the city of Faribault, Minnesota, on Thursday, June 13th, 1889, and organized by electing Rev. T. B. Wells, D. D., President, and John C. Reno, Secretary.

The following persons have been recommended to the Bishop as candidates for preparation for the Holy Ministry :

Frank Hilliard Barton, Albert Ernest Fillmore, L. C. Miller, Chas. H. Remington, Joseph McCarty Frost, William John Cordeck, George Frederick Gladding Hoyt, Arthur Chard and Frank Parshall.

For the Sacred Order of Deacons:

Chas. A. Sherman, Arthur Russell Taylor, William Tuson, Johannes Salinger, Chas. Baldwin Fosbrooke, Martin Nicholas Ray and Albert M. Hilliker.

For the Sacred Order of Priests:

Rev. Alexander J. D. Kuehn, Rev. Stewart Ballantyne Purves, Rev. E. E. Edwards, Rev. James Biddle Halsey, Rev. Chas. Edgar Haupt, Rev. Chas. A. Sherman, Rev. Arthur Russell Taylor, Rev. Chas. C. Rollit and Rev. Francis Willis.

Consent was unanimously given to the consecration of Rev. William Ford Nichols, D. D., of S. James' Church, Philadelphia, Diocese of Pennsylvania, as Assistant Bishop for the Diocese of California.

Consent was given for the organization of S. Luke's Parish, Minneapolis, Minn.

The petition of S. James' Church, St. Paul, Minn., for permission to organize was granted.

The nomination of Rev. John Wright, of S. Paul's Church, St. Paul, as Trustee of the Breck Farm School at Wilder, was approved.

The nomination of Rt. Rev. M. N. Gilbert as Trustee of the Breck Farm School at Wilder, was approved.

The Standing Committee will hold regular meetings as per resolution, on the first Monday of February, May, July, September and December of each year, and it is very much desired, that persons having business with the committee, will be prepared with their papers to be acted upon, on one of the above named days.

The following appropriations were made from the Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund, from July 1, 1889, to June 3, 1890:

Rev. I. J. Townsend, for the quarter ending Oct. 1, 1889.....	\$125.00
Rev. Chas. Woodward, for the quarter ending Oct. 1, 1889.....	25.00
Rev. F. B. Nash, Sr., for the quarter ending Oct. 1, 1889.....	25.00
Rev. I. J. Townsend, for the quarter ending Jan. 1, 1890.....	125.00
Rev. Chas. Woodward, for the quarter ending Jan. 1, 1890.....	25.00
Rev. F. B. Nash, Sr., for the quarter ending Jan. 1, 1890.....	25.00
Rev. Jas. G. St. Lawrence, for the quarter ending Jan. 1, 1890.....	25.00
Rev. I. J. Townsend, for the quarter ending April 1, 1890.....	125.00
Rev. Chas. Woodward, for the quarter ending April 1, 1890.....	25.00
Rev. F. B. Nash, Sr., for the quarter ending April 1, 1890.....	25.00
Rev. Jas. G. St. Lawrence, for the quarter ending April 1, 1890.....	25.00
Rev. I. J. Townsend, for the quarter ending July 1, 1890.....	125.00
Rev. Chas. Woodward, for the quarter ending July 1, 1890.....	25.00
Rev. F. B. Nash, Sr., for the quarter ending July 1, 1890.....	25.00
Rev. Jas. G. St. Lawrence, for the quarter ending July 1, 1890.....	25.00
June 3, 1890. A donation to Rev. Theodore C. Hudson, as requested by Bishops Whipple and Gilbert, was made of.....	50.00

Total amount appropriated.....\$825.00

The Committee met eleven (11) times during the past year, for the purpose of transacting business.

JOHN C. RENO, Secretary.

The Rev. Daniel T. Booth offered the following, which was adopted:

Resolved, That the Secretary be instructed to print 700 copies of the

Journal and that the usual sum of \$100 be paid to him for preparing and printing the same.

On motion of the Rev. C. A. Cummings it was—

Resolved. That this Council acknowledges the solemn responsibility which rests upon the church, to provide for its aged and infirm clergy, not as a matter of charity, but of obligation; as a debt due to them and to Christ.

Resolved. That we ask our brothers who have been disabled by sickness or infirm age, in the service of Christ, to regard this tribute from the church, rather as an honor, than in any sense a humiliation.

Resolved. That this Council enjoins upon every congregation of the church, the solemn duty of giving of its liberal offering to this fund, as a duty they owe, not to men, but to God.

Resolved. That there be appointed by the chair a standing committee of two laymen and two clergymen to be known as "The committee on the increase of the fund for the honorable relief of the aged and infirm clergy and of the widows and orphans of deceased clergymen."

Resolved. That every clergyman in this Diocese, be urgently requested to present this subject to his congregation, pointing out to them the fact that our honor and our duty, both demand large and generous offerings to this fund.

The Rt. Rev. the President appointed the following as the committee authorized by the above resolution:

The Rev. E. S. Wilson, D. D., the Rev. Edward Moyses, the Hon. Hans Mattson, Mr. S. B. Foote.

On the suggestion of the Rt. Rev. the President, the taking of pledges towards the Diocesan Missionary's salary was resumed, amounting to \$175, the list of which was delivered to the Diocesan Treasurer, Mr. H. P. Hoppin, the total subscriptions amounting to \$1827.50.

On motion of the Rev. T. B. Wells, D. D., it was:

Resolved. That the increased salary of the Diocesan Missionary date from June 1st, 1890.

The Rev. John H. White, of the special committee on the Episcopate Endowment Fund, submitted the following, which was adopted:

REPORT.

Gentlemen of the Council—Your committee to whom was entrusted the matter of the unpaid pledges to the Episcopate Endowment Fund beg leave to report that they have considered the subject as carefully as possible, and find as follows:

The Parish of Sauk Center has paid no attention to its pledge, making no reply to the various letters written by the Diocesan Treasurer on this subject.

The Parish at Alexandria represents itself in so feeble a condition as to be absolutely unable to redeem the pledge made in its name by its Rector at the time on the eve of retiring from the Rectorship.

S. John's Church, Moorhead, and Grace Church, Sauk Rapids, confess their obligation and are making commendable effort to meet it. It is fair to believe their subscriptions will be paid in time.

With regard to the amount standing against S. Mark's Church, Minneapolis, your committee would recommend the largest courtesy and charity.

The present state of affairs grows almost entirely out of the different opinions entertained by the Diocese and S. Mark's Parish, and turns upon the question of whether a definite pledge of \$1350 was or was not ever made to the Council. The Treasurer of the Diocese basing his opinion on the manner in which the pledges were originally taken and the care exercised to exclude error and verify the amounts so recorded, regards the pledge as given. The Rector of S. Mark's and Mr. Folds who represents that Parish and was its chief agent in the matter, regard the pledge as in part conditional, which conditions were impaired by the death and financial failure of those making them. It is evident that the two parties concerned have entertained different views in connection with the giving of the pledge. S. Mark's Church has discharged its intention, and any further expectation was based upon an error of judgment or interpretation. Inasmuch as these burdens are not in the nature of debts but of pledges voluntarily assumed, it is only fair to accept the expressed intention of the donor as his real purpose.

Your Committee would recommend that S. Mark's Parish be credited with full payment of its pledge, viz: \$700, and that the apparent balance be cancelled.

JOHN H. WHITE,
W. W. FOWLER,
A. M. SMITH.

On motion of the Rev. Edward Moyses it was—

Resolved, That the Clergymen's Retiring Fund Society is hereby commended to all the clergy of this Diocese and the co-operation of devout laymen.

On motion of Mr. E. H. Holbrook, Jr., it was—

Resolved, That the request of Emmanuel Parish, Alexandria, be granted and its subscription of \$50 to the Episcopate Endowment Fund be hereby cancelled.

On motion the Council adjourned until 2 o'clock this afternoon.

S. PAUL'S CHURCH, Minneapolis, 1
Thursday, June 5, 1890, 2 p. m. 1

The Council re-assembled and was called to order, the Rt. Rev. the Assistant Bishop in the chair.

On motion of the Rev. John Wright it was—

Resolved, That the Council adjourn *sine die* at 3:40 this afternoon.

On motion the special order for 2 o'clock was deferred or one half hour.

The Rev. E. Steele Peake submitted a report on the non-representation of certain Missions in the annual Councils of the Diocese which report was referred to the Committee on Legislation.

On motion the Council proceeded to the election of two members of the Board of Trustees of the Diocese of Minnesota. The chair appointed the Rev. I. C. Fortin and Mr. Whitney Wall as tellers.

Nominations were made; a ballot was taken, which resulted in the election of the Hon. I. Atwater for the period of six years. A second ballot was taken to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Mr. G. A. Hamilton, which resulted in the election of Mr. Reuben Warner of St. Paul for the period of four years.

On motion of the Rev. E. H. Clark it was—

Resolved, That a Committee of five, one of whom shall be the Assistant Bishop of the Diocese, be appointed to consider the Church's relation to the Scandinavian race and the best methods of church work among them.

The Rt. Rev. the President appointed as such committee: The Rev. A. G. Pinkham, the Rev. E. H. Clark, the Rev. W. C. Pope, the Hon. Hans Mattson.

On motion it was—

Resolved, That the Standing Committee on Assessments hold over and prepare and submit the Report at the next annual Council, in order that the clergy and lay delegates may confer with the committee in the meantime. The Rev. E. C. Bill, D. D., is chairman, and the Rev. C. A. Cummings of St. Cloud, Secretary of the committee.

The hour having arrived for the special order which was the report of a committee to consider the Missionary work of the Diocese and the discussion of the proposed Canon on the Board of Missions.

The Rev. Frank R. Millsbaugh offered the following, which was adopted :

Resolved, That the Council reconsider its action in appointing a committee of three to consider and report on the Mission work of this Diocese.

Resolved, That a committee of five of which the Assistant Bishop shall be chairman be appointed to consider the Missionary work of the church and report at the next Council.

Resolved, That the proposed Canon on "the Board of Missions" together with the report of the Committee on Legislation be referred to this committee.

In obedience to the above resolution the Rt. Rev. the President appointed the following committee, to act with himself :

The Rev. Frank R. Millspaugh, the Rev. W. M. Barker, Capt. J. C. Reno, Hon. M. H. Sessions.

Hon. E. T. Wilder of the Committee on Legislation submitted the following, which was adopted :

REPORT.

Resolved, That each Mission station in this Diocese, recognized as such by the Bishop or Assistant Bishop thereof, shall be entitled to representation in the Councils of this Diocese by one delegate who shall have all the privileges of members thereof, except the right to vote.

On motion of Mr. E. H. Holbrook, Jr., it was —

Resolved, That our thanks are hereby extended to the Rector and people of S. Paul's Parish for their generous hospitality and entertainment of this Council.

On motion of the Rev. Geo. H. Davis it was —

Resolved, That the Secretary of the Council be, and hereby is directed, to cast the vote of the Council, for the re-election of the present members of the Standing Committee.

The Assistant Secretary of the Council read the following, the Registrar's

REPORT.

The Registrar respectfully reports, that since the last Council he has given his leisure time to gathering information relating to the early history of the Diocese.

During the summer vacation a visit was made to Westfield in Western New York, where through the kindness of the Rev. Dr. Hayes he had access to complete files of the Gospel Messenger containing interesting letters relating to church work in the Diocese at an early day.

He has also received a secretary for filing papers, etc., from Bishop Whipple and sundry pamphlets of an interesting character relating to the Indian work; from the Rev. S. S. Burleson, a file of the Scholiast; from the Rt. Rev. A. R. Graves, manuscripts and reports of Gethsemane Church; from the library of the late Rev. S. D. Hinman, a bound volume of the early Missionary papers of the Bishop Seabury Mission; from the Rev. E. C. Bill, D. D., bound volumes of the first three years of the Minnesota Missionary; from the Rev. Muhlenberg Breck, magazines containing letters relating to the Chippewa Mission; from the Rev. F. B. Nash, Jr., of Fargo, a set of the North Dakota Churchman; from the Rev. Dr. Edwards, a volume "Fifty Years in the Northwest." Interesting papers have come into his possession, exceedingly rare and valuable for the light they shed on church work in the Northwest.

The Registrar has received for the Diocese from Mrs. Wilcoxson, a folio volume, Stackhouse's Body of Divinity, ed. 1734, from the library of the late Rev. Timothy Wilcoxson. Through her kindness he has also had ac-

ness to the Diary of Mr. Williamson in writing a sketch of his work for the Minnesota Missionary. He is also indebted to Mrs. Manney for the Diary and use of manuscripts of the late Rev. Manney; and to Mrs. Livermore for information relating to the ministry of the late Rev. Edward Livermore. Bishop Knickerbocker has kindly assisted in sending him material relating to German Church.

He is indebted to many others whose interesting letters are on file for their courtesies and replies to his enquiries.

Of the one hundred and twenty-five dollars kindly placed at his disposal by the clergy and members of the Council of 1888, he has spent for postage, stationery, express, boarding and travel, \$99.15, leaving a balance for future use of \$25.85.

The Registrar desires to express his thanks to the members of the Council and hopes at his leisure to continue his work until he has completed the history of the Diocese.

GEO. C. TAXNER, Registrar.

On motion of the Rev. E. S. Wilson, D. D., it was:—

Resolved. That the invitation of the Cathedral Church Parish, Faribault, to the Council to meet with them next year in their church be accepted.

On motion of the Rev. T. B. Wells, D. D., it was—

Resolved. That the report of the committee nominating the following persons as "the Diocesan Board of Missions" be adopted, viz: The Rev. Frank R. Millspaugh, the Rev. C. D. Andrews, the Rev. Jno. H. White, the Rev. J. J. Faude, Mr. Reuben Warner, Mr. W. B. Folds, Mr. J. H. Ames, Mr. J. I. Black.

On motion of the Rev. M. Jukes it was, by a rising vote—

Resolved. That the members of this Council regret that the Diocesan was unable to continue at this thirty-third Annual Council of the church in Minnesota, and that they deeply sympathize with him in his affliction.

The hour having arrived, 3 p. m., for the consideration of the Report of the Committee on Church Unity, the Rev. A. J. Graham of the Committee, submitted a report, which after some discussion was disposed of by the adoption of the following, which was offered by Mr. Graham himself:

The Committee on Church Unity beg leave to withdraw their Report and ask to be discharged.

C. L. WELLS,	} Committee.
J. MACBRIDE STERRETT,	
A. J. GRAHAM,	
W. M. BARKER,	

On motion of the Rev. Frank R. Millspaugh it was—

Resolved. That the Secretary be requested to give the papers of the two cities a tabulated statement of what the Diocese is doing for Missionary work.

On motion it was —

Resolved, That after the usual devotional exercises the Council adjourn *sine die*.

The Rt. Rev. the Assistant Bishop then addressed the Council briefly, said prayers, pronounced the benediction, and the thirty-third annual Council adjourned *sine die*.

Mathew N. Libb.

Assistant Bishop
Minnesota

and President of the Council.

Andrew D. Stowe.

Secretary.

APPENDICES.

APPENDIX A.

ST. PAUL, MINN., May 31st, 1890.

The Board of Trustees of the Minnesota Church Foundation, In Account with
GORDON E. COLE, Treasurer:

GENERAL FUND.

1890.	CREDITS.	
May 22.	By cash on Certificate of deposit of March 29, 1889, \$300 00	
May 22.	By cash on Certificate of deposit of May 31, 1889.....	595 50
		\$895 50
1890.	DEBITS.	
May 22.	To re-investment of above certificates, in Certificate of Deposit of First National Bank of St. Paul, order of Gordon E. Cole, Treasurer.....	\$895 50

CASH ASSETS BELONGING TO GENERAL FUND.

Certificate of Deposit of May 22, 1890,.....	\$ 895 50
Cash balance due from "Endowment Fund" to General Fund, as per annual account of May 31, 1889, 3,414 45	
	<u>\$4,309 95</u>

INCOME OF GENERAL FUND.

1890.	RENTALS FROM GROUND LEASES.	
May 31.	E. N. Saunders, lots 11 and 12, Park Place, July 1, 1889, to July 1, 1890,.....	\$ 360 00
May 31.	John Espy, lot 16, Park Place, July 1, 1889, to July 1, 1890,.....	221 40
May 31.	E. Ingham, lots 19 and 20, Park Place, July 1, 1889 to July 1, 1890,.....	120 00
		\$701 40

RENTS FROM RICE STREET STORES.

May 31.	No. 272 Rice street, John Dee, June 1, 1889 to May 31, 1890, @ \$20.....	\$ 240 00
May 31.	No. 274 Rice street, T. J. Ryan, June 1, 1889, to May 31, 1890, @ \$20.....	240 00
May 31.	Second floor Nos. 272 and 274 Rice street, F. Fischer, for June, 1889.....	40 00
	F. Fischer, July 1, 1889, to May 1, 1890, 10 months, @ \$35.....	350 00
	(Vacant, May 1, to May 18, 1890.) T. J. Ryan, May 18, to June 1, 1890, @ \$30.....	12 50
		882 50

RENTS OF DWELLINGS.

May 31.	No. 54 Park Place, S. R. McMasters, June 1, 1889, to March 1, 1890, 9 months, @ \$41.66.....	\$ 374 95	
	March 1, 1890, to May 31, 1890, 3 months, @ \$35	105 00	479.95
	No. 56 Park Place, Rt. Rev. M. N. Gilbert, June 1, 1889, to July 6, 1889, @ \$41.66.....	50 00	
	(Vacant, July 6, 1889, to May 1, 1890,) Robt. H. Dunbar, May 1, to May 31, 1890.....	35 00	85 00
May 31.	No. 58 Park Place, (vacant, June 1, 1889, to May 31, 1890).....	0 00	0 00
	No. 92 Park Place, M. E. Colburn, June 1, 1889, to March 13, 1890, @ \$40.....	375 00	
	(Vacant, March 13, to April 1, 1890,) Mrs. Margaret Otis, April 1, to May 31, 1890, @ \$35.....	70 00	445 00
	No. 94 Park Place, Mrs. H. F. Whitham, June 1, 1889, to April 1, 1890, @ \$40.....	400 00	
	April 1, to May 31, 1890, @ \$35.....	70 00	470 00

INTEREST ON CERTIFICATES OF DEPOSIT.

May 22.	Interest on Certificate of Deposit of March 29, 1889, for \$300.....	\$ 12 70	
May 22.	Interest on Certificate of Deposit of May 31, 1889, for \$595.50.....	23 27	35 97
			<u>\$3,099 82</u>

DISBURSEMENTS OF INCOME OF GENERAL FUND.

1889.		REPAIRS.	
June 10.	Paid E. A. Fitzgerald, repairs to No. 58 Park Place,	\$ 26 45	
June 15.	Paid Mrs. M. E. Colburn, repairs to 92 Park Place,	31 34	
Oct. 1.	Paid Portland Stone Co., sidewalk, 272 and 274 Rice street,	85 59	
Nov. 2.	Paid Prendergast Bros., repairs to No. 92 Park Place,	1 30	
Nov. 9.	Paid Allan Black, repairs to 56 and 58 Park Place,	3 00	
Nov. 9.	Paid R. Hadden, repairs to No. 272 Rice street,	4 25	
Nov. 30.	Paid John Dee, repairs to No. 274 Rice street,	2 25	
1890.			
April 2.	Paid E. A. Fitzgerald, repairs to 56, 58 and 92 Park Place,	169 50	
April 2.	Paid to Mrs. Whitham, repairs to 94 Park Place,	40 00	
April 9.	Paid Prendergast Bros., repairs to store No. 272 Rice street,	3 55	
April 9.	Paid E. A. Fitzgerald, repairs to 56, 58 and 92 Park Place,	3 95	
May 24.	Paid E. A. Fitzgerald, repairs to second floor, 272 and 274 Rice street,	119 64	490 82
1890.		TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.	
Feb. 11.	Paid County Treasurer, Ramsey County, personal tax for 1889,	16 11	
Mar. 4.	Paid City Treasurer, sprinkling assessments for 1889,	12 74	
Mar. 18.	Paid County Treasurer, Ramsey County, real estate taxes for 1889,	670 47	699 32
		INSURANCE.	
Aug. 12.	St. Paul Fire & Marine Ins. Co., Rice st. stores,	\$ 10 00	
Oct. 1.	St. Paul Fire & Marine Ins. Co., Rice st. stores,	30 00	
Nov. 2.	St. Paul Fire & Marine Ins. Co., 54, 56 and 58 Park Place,	45 00	85 00
1889.		EXPENSE ACCOUNT.	
June 12.	Daily Globe ad., No. 58 Park Place for rent,	\$ 1 50	
Oct. 5.	Daily Globe ad., Nos. 56 and 58 Park Place for rent	4 20	
1890.			
April 2.	Water rates, No. 92 Park Place,	4 15	
May 2.	Daily Globe, ad. houses for rent, 1/2 of \$8.55,	4 28	14 13
1889.		NET INCOME PAID E. H. HOLBROOK, JR., TREASURER.	
Sep. 12.	Paid on account,	\$ 600 00	
Nov. 30.	Paid on account,	341 40	
1890.			
April 5.	Paid on account,	280 46	
April 27.	Paid on account,	262 50	
May 26.	Paid balance net income to May 31, 1890,	326 19	1,810 55
			<u>\$3,099 82</u>

INCOME OF ENDOWMENT FUND.

1890.		RENTS FROM SUMMIT AVENUE BLOCK.	
May 31.	No. 80 Summit ave., (vacant, May 1, to Oct. 1 1889.) Thomas W. Smith, Oct. 1, 1889, to May 31, 1890, @ \$25.....	\$ 200 00	\$ 200 00
	No. 82 Summit ave., P. M. Roberts, June 1, to Sept. 1, 1889, @ \$35.....	105 00	
	(Vacant, Sept. 1, to Oct. 1, 1889.) Wm. H. Phinney, Oct. 1, 1889, to May 31, 1890, @ \$32.50	260 00	365 00
	No. 82½ Summit ave., E. C. Whittemore, June 1, 1889, to Sept. 1, 1889, @ \$35.....	105 00	
	Sept. 1, 1889, to April 22, 1890, @ \$25.....	190 81	295 81
	(Vacant, April 22, to May 31, 1890.).....		
	No. 84 Summit ave., Mary L. Hones, June 1, 1889, to Oct. 1, 1889, @ \$35.....	140 00	
	Oct. 1, 1889, to March 1, 1890, @ \$32.50.....	162 50	302 50
	(Vacant, March 1, to May 31, 1890.).....		
	No. 84½ Summit ave., A. V. Teeple, June 1, 1889, to Sept. 1, 1889, @ \$35.....	105 00	
	(Vacant, Sept. 1, to Oct. 1, 1889.) H. G. Dunne, Oct. 1, 1889, to May 31, 1890, @ \$25.....	200 00	305 00
	No. 86 Summit ave., John Leslie, June 1, 1889, to Sept. 1, 1889, @ \$35.....	105 00	
	Mrs. E. C. Tozer, Sept. 1, 1889, to Oct. 1, 1889, @ \$32.50.....	35 00	
	Oct. 1, 1889, to May 31, 1890, @ \$32.50.....	260 00	400 00
			<u>\$1,868 31</u>

DISBURSEMENTS OF INCOME OF ENDOWMENT FUND.

1889.		REPAIRS.	
Dec. 23.	Paid E. A. Fitzgerald, repairs to No. 84½ Summit avenue.....	\$ 5 30	
1890.			
April 2.	Paid E. A. Fitzgerald, repairs to Summit ave.....	127 60	
May 24.	Paid E. A. Fitzgerald, repairs to No. 82½ Summit avenue.....	57 58	190 48
1890.		TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.	
Mar. 4.	Paid City Treasurer, sprinkling assessments for 1889.....	5 25	
Mar. 18.	Paid County Treasurer, taxes for 1889.....	268 58	273 83
1889.		EXPENSE ACCOUNT.	
Nov. 2.	Paid Daily Globe, adv., Summit ave., houses for rent, 1890.....	2 10	
Mar. 5.	Paid water rates, No. 84 Summit ave., (vacant.)...	3 80	
May 2.	Paid Daily Globe, adv. houses for rent, one half of \$8.55.....	4 27	10 17
1889.		NET INCOME PAID E. H. HOLBROOK, JR., TREASURER.	
Sept. 12.	Paid on account.....	500 00	
Nov. 30.	Paid on account.....	437 90	
1890.			
April 5.	Paid on account.....	246 97	
April 29.	Paid on account.....	107 50	
May 26.	Paid balance net income to May 31, 1890.....	101 46	1,393 83
			<u>\$1,868 31</u>

RECAPITULATION.

Net Income of General Fund paid E. H. Holbrook, Jr., Treasurer, etc., for year ending May 31, 1890, see page 5.....	\$1,810 55
Net Income of Endowment Fund paid E. H. Holbrook, Jr., page 7.....	1,393 83
	<u>\$3,204 38</u>

GORDON E. COLE, Treas.
BY HARVEY OFFICER, Secy.

APPENDIX B.

DIOCESE OF MINNESOTA.

E. H. HOLBROOK, Jr., Treasurer, in account with THE EPISCOPATE FUND.

1889,		
June 10,	Balance as per account.....	\$1,646.51
Sept. 13,	Rec'd fr. Trustees Minn. Church Foundation..	\$1,100.00
Dec. 3,	Rec'd fr. Trustees Minn. Church Foundation..	779.30
1890,		
April 7,	Rec'd fr. Trustees Minn. Church Foundation..	527.43
April 30,	Rec'd fr. Trustees Minn. Church Foundation..	370.00
May 28,	Rec'd fr. Trustees Minn. Church Foundation..	427.65
	Rec'd fr. Endowment Fund — Interest.....	261.17
	Rec'd fr. Assessments.....	1,992.00
	Rec'd fr. Arrears.....	110.00
	Receipts.....	5,567.55
		<u>\$7,214.06</u>

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1889,	Paid Bishop Whipple.....	\$3,000.00
June 14,	Paid Bishop Whipple's expenses 1888-9.....	50.00
	Paid Assistant Bishop Gilbert.....	3,000.00
July 15,	Paid Assistant Bishop Gilbert's expenses.....	118.00
Dec. 9,	Paid Assistant Bishop Gilbert's expenses.....	130.50
1890,		
Jan. 27,	Paid Assistant Bishop Gilbert's expenses.....	70.55
April 2,	Paid Assistant Bishop Gilbert's expenses.....	49.10
		<u>368.15</u>
Mch. 13,	Paid Hon. James Gilfillan, Chairman. Board	
	Diocesan Trustees per order of council...	64.15
	Paid for Stationery	8.75
	Paid for Postage	8.90
		<u>81.80</u>
	Payments.....	6,499.95
	Balance in hand.....	714.11
		<u>\$7,214.06</u>

E. & O. E.
Minneapolis, June 2d, 1890.

E. H. HOLBROOK, JR., Treas.

ASSETS.

Cash in hand	\$ 714.11
Arrears, current year, (rebated at Council \$49)	315.00
Arrears, previous years, (rebated at Council \$8)	50.50
	<u>\$1,079.61</u>

Examined and found correct.

June 5, 1890.
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J. A. GILFILLAN,	} Committee.
CHAS. H. STROBECK,	
GEO. HARGREAVES,	

E. H. HOLBROOK, Jr, Treasurer, in account with THE EPISCOPATE ENDOWMENT FUND.

1889.

RECEIPTS.

June 21, Sauk Rapids, pr. J. B. Hoit on account subscription...	\$ 30.00	
Brainerd, interest	16.00	
Dec. 9, Brainerd, interest	8.00	
1890,		
Mch. 1, St. Paul, S. John's, on account subscription.....	100.00	
Mch. 26, Duluth, interest.....	8.17	
Apl. 8, Minneapolis Gethsemane, interest.....	70.00	
Minneapolis Gethsemane, (Dr. Camp) interest.....	105.00	
May 12, Sauk Rapids, J. B. Hoit on account subscription.....	50.00	
May 14, St. Paul, S. John's, interest.....	54.00	
May 19, Fergus Falls amount of note.....	100.00	
		\$541.17

1890.

CREDIT.

June 2, Paid Treasurer Episcopate Fund—		
on account income.....	261.17	
Balance due Trustees Minnesota Church Foundation		
on account subscription.....	280.00	
		\$541.17

E. & O. E.

Minneapolis, June 2d, 1890.

E. H. HOLBROOK, Jr., Treas.

Examined and found correct.

J. A. GILFILLAN,
CHAS. H. STROBECK, } Committee.
GEO. HARGREAVES, }

June 5, 1890.

SUBSCRIPTIONS TO EPISCOPATE ENDOWMENT FUND.

Collected and remitted to Trustees, M. C. F.....	\$11,850.00	
Collected and held to credit Trustees M. C. F.....	280.00	
		\$12,130.00
Collected and held in notes and bonds —		
Minneapolis, Gethsemane, interest paid to May 1, 1890.....	1000.00	
Minns. Gethsemane, Dr. Camp, interest paid to May 1, 1890	500.00	
Duluth, S. Paul's, interest paid to May 1, 1890.....	200.00	
St. Paul, S. John's, interest paid to March 1, 1890.....	200.00	
Winona, S. Paul's, interest paid to Oct. 10, 1889.....	100.00	
Brainerd, S. Paul's, interest paid to Oct. 11, 1890.....	100.00	
		\$2,100.00
Balance uncollected—		
Minneapolis, S. Mark's	650.00	
Moorhead, S. John's.....	50.00	
Alexandria, Emmanuel.....	50.00	
Sauk Center, Good Samaritan.....	25.00	
Sauk Rapids, Grace, J. B. Hoit.....	20.00	
		795.00
Original amount—net.....		\$15,025.00

E. & O. E.

Minneapolis, June 2d, 1890.

E. H. HOLBROOK, Jr., Treas.

Examined and found correct.

J. A. GILFILLAN,
CHAS. H. STROBECK, } Committee.
GEO. HARGREAVES, }

June 5, 1890.

EPISCOPATE FUND.
TREASURER'S STATEMENT IN DETAIL.
JUNE 2d, 1890.

PARISH.	Current Year.			Arrears.		
	Assess- ment 1889-90.	Paid.	Due.	Amnt.	Paid.	Due.
ca.....	5.00	5.00		6.50	6.50	
ria.....	3.00	3.00				
n.....	10.00		†10.00			
.....	4.00	4.00		4.00		4.00
od Grove.....	8.00	8.00				
.....	5.00		*5.00	4.50	4.50	
.....	4.00	4.00				
ek.....	9.00	9.00				
in.....	3.00	3.00				
.....	6.00	6.00				
rth.....	3.00	3.00				
l.....	20.00	10.00	*10.00	20.00	20.00	
i Valley.....	2.00	2.00				
ville.....	1.00	1.00				
on.....	1.00		*1.00			
ia.....	5.00	5.00				
City.....	5.00		†5.00			
Falls.....	20.00	20.00				
d.....	8.00	8.00		8.00		8.00
ater.....	5.00	5.00				
on.....	7.00	7.00				
.....	1.00	1.00				
.....	2.00		2.00			
h.....	2.00	2.00				
.....	50.00		*50.00			
r.....	5.00		*5.00			
.....	1.00	1.00				
r.....	3.00	3.00				
It—.....						
dral.....	150.00	150.00				
ack School.....	75.00	75.00				
ry's Hall.....	40.00	40.00				
it.....	8.00	8.00				
pton.....	3.00		†3.00			
Falls.....	10.00	10.00				
ac.....	2.00		†2.00	1.00		†1.00
.....	5.00	2.50	2.50			
od.....	2.00		*2.00			
Falls.....	2.00	2.00				
.....	2.00	2.00				
.....	5.00		5.00			
s.....	26.00	26.00				
on.....	7.00		†7.00	7.00		†7.00
l.....	1.00	1.00				
le.....	8.00	8.00				
.....	3.00	3.00				
.....	2.00	2.00				
ty.....	30.00	30.00				
ystal.....	3.00	3.00		1.50		1.50
rk.....	2.00	2.00				
r.....	3.00	3.00				
d.....	15.00	15.00				
alls.....	8.00		8.00	24.00		24.00
.....	1.00	1.00				
.....	2.00		†2.00	2.00	2.00	
i Lake.....	2.00	2.00				
o.....	20.00	20.00				
.....	1.00	1.00				

EPISCOPATE FUND.—Continued.

PARISH.	Current Year.			Arrears.		
	Assessment 1889-90.	Paid.	Due.	Amnt.	Paid.	Due.
Minneapolis—						
All Saints.....	7.00	7.00				
Gethsemane.....	140.00	140.00				
Grace.....	5.00	5.00		5.00	5.00	
Holy Trinity.....	35.00	35.00				
S. Andrew's.....	8.00		*8.00			
S. Luke's.....	5.00	5.00				
S. Mark's.....	240.00	180.00	*60.00			
S. Paul's.....	40.00	20.00	*20.00			
Minnetonka Beach.....	5.00		5.00			
Montevideo.....	3.00	3.00				
Moorhead.....	20.00		20.00			
Morristown.....	5.00		*5.00	5.00	5.00	
Northfield.....	20.00	20.00		10.00	10.00	
North Branch.....	3.00		3.00			
Owatonna.....	15.00	15.00				
Paynesville.....	2.00	2.00				
Perham.....	2.00	2.00				
Pine Island.....	3.00		3.00			
Point Douglas.....	3.00		*3.00	3.00	3.00	
Red Wing.....	100.00	100.00				
Redwood Falls.....	3.00	3.00				
Reno.....	2.00	2.00		2.00		*2.00
Rochester.....	15.00	15.00				
Royalton.....	3.00	3.00				
Rush City.....	3.00	3.00		3.00		3.00
Rushford.....	10.00	10.00				
Sauk Center.....	12.00	12.00				
Sauk Rapids.....	3.00	3.00				
Shakopee.....	10.00		*10.00	5.00	5.00	
Sluyton.....	2.00		2.00			
Stillwater.....	60.00	60.00				
St. Charles.....	5.00	5.00				
St. Cloud.....	22.00		*22.00			
St. James.....	2.00	2.00		2.00	2.00	
St. Peter.....	15.00	15.00				
St. Vincent.....	2.00	2.00				
St. Paul—						
Ascension.....	10.00		10.00	10.00	10.00	
Christ.....	280.00	280.00				
Good Shepherd.....	20.00	20.00				
S. John's.....	90.00	90.00		30.00	30.00	
S. Mary's.....	10.00	10.00				
S. Paul's.....	200.00	200.00				
S. Peter's.....	5.00	2.50	2.50			
S. Stephen's.....	5.00	5.00				
Tower.....	2.00	2.00				
Wabasha.....	15.00		†15.00			
Wadena.....	2.00		*2.00			
Warsaw.....	5.00	5.00		5.00	5.00	
Waseca.....	7.00	7.00				
Waterville.....	5.00	5.00				
Wells.....	8.00	8.00				
White Bear Lake.....	10.00	10.00				
Wilder.....	2.00		†2.00	2.00	2.00	
Willmar.....	12.00	12.00				
Windom.....	3.00	3.00				
Winona.....	100.00	100.00				
Worthington.....	3.00	3.00				
Zumbrota.....	3.00		†3.00			
Indian Stations—						
Cass Lake.....	1.00	1.00				
Leech Lake.....	10.00	10.00				
Red Lake: S. Antipas.....	4.00	4.00				
S. John's.....	4.00	4.00				
White Earth.....	20.00	20.00				
Wild Rice River.....	5.00	5.00				
	\$2307.00	\$1992.00	\$315.00	\$160.50	\$110.00	\$50.50

*Paid at and since Council,.....\$205.00

†Rebated at Council,.....57.00

APPENDIX C.

DIOCESE OF MINNESOTA.

Diocesan Treasurer's Report and Account for the Diocesan year ending June 4th, 1890. [Diocesan Missions Fund, Council Fund, Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund, General Diocesan Missionary Subscriptions, etc.]

I. DIOCESAN MISSIONS FUND.

DR.	
Balance from last account.....	\$1,059.31
Subsequent receipts, this year's assessment.....	3,381.91
former years' assessments.....	296.97
special offerings and excess payments.....	58.33
gifts from individuals.....	14.25
proceeds of sales of tract.....	237.54
	<u>\$5,048.31</u>
CR.	
Stipends paid to Missionaries.....	\$3,377.40
Expense printing tract.....	110.00
Expense printing and postage on circulars.....	8.19
Balance to next account.....	1,552.72
	<u>\$5,048.31</u>

For details of the above receipts and payments see tabular statements herewith.

II. COUNCIL FUND.

Balance from last account.....	\$ 65.86
Subsequent receipts on this year's assessment.....	724.25
former years' assessments.....	41.00
	<u>\$831.11</u>
Paid dues to the General Convention.....	\$276.00
Paid Rev. A. D. Stowe, Diocesan Secretary, as voted by the Council.....	100.00
Paid Harrison & Smith, printing Journal of the Council.....	296.50
Paid Secretary's expense account, (printing, postage, express- age, etc).....	75.00
Paid Treasurer's expense account, printing, postage, etc.....	19.65
Total payments.....	<u>\$767.15</u>
Balance to next account.....	63.96
	<u>\$831.11</u>

III. AGED AND INFIRM CLERGY FUND.

Balance from last account.....	\$1,164.54
Subsequent receipts, Parish offerings.....	551.62
Gift of Mr. John Wann.....	100.00
Total.....	<u>\$1,816.16</u>
Stipends paid to four Clergymen.....	\$ 800.00
Balance to next account.....	1,016.16
	<u>\$1,816.16</u>

IV. GENERAL DIOCESAN MISSIONARY SUBSCRIPTION—FIRST YEAR.

Balance from last account.....	\$372.13
Received of Rev. Dr. Wells.....	\$37.50
Rev. A. J. Graham.....	17.50
S. Andrew's, Minneapolis.....	7.75
Montevideo Sunday School.....	4.70
S. John's, St. Paul.....	7.50
Ascension, St. Paul.....	10.00
Brainerd.....	20.00
Capt. J. C. Reno.....	6.25
Fridley Park Sunday School.....	5.00
	<u>116.20</u>
	<u>\$488.33</u>

Paid Rev. Mr. Appleby, July, 1889.....	\$ 87.06	
August, 1889.....	125.00	
September, 1889.....	125.00	
October, 1889.....	62.50	
	<u>\$399.56</u>	
Paid Bishop Gilbert's Special Needle fund.....	71.27	
Balance to next account.....	17.50	
	<u>\$ 488.33</u>	

V. GENERAL DIOCESAN MISSIONARY SUBSCRIPTION—SECOND YEAR.

Receipts as per tabular statements.....	\$1,440.00	
Paid Rev. T. H. M. V. Appleby.....	1,005.00	
Balance to next account.....		\$ 435.00

VI. RECEIPTS FOR CHURCH HOSPITALS.

May 31, 1890, from Gethsemane, Appleton.....	\$2.70
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VII. SUNDAY SCHOOL LENTEN OFFERINGS FOR THE GENERAL BOARD OF MISSIONS.

Receipts as per detailed statement.....	\$450.99
Remitted to George Hines, Treasurer, New York.....	450.99
Additional offerings amounting to upwards of \$300, have been sent by the Parishes directly to the General Board at New York.	

E. and O. E.

H. P. HOPPIN, Diocesan Treasurer.

Examined and found correct.

J. A. GILFILLAN,
CHAS. H. STROBECK,
GEORGE HARGREAVES, } Committee.

DIOCESAN TREASURER'S STATEMENTS IN DETAIL.

(All for the year, June 12, 1889, to June 4, 1890.)

I. AMOUNTS RECEIVED UPON THE ASSESSMENTS OF PAST YEARS.

Year.	PARISH.	Diocesan Mission.	Council Fund.
1884-5	Granite Falls.....		\$ 1.00
1885-6	Granite Falls.....		1.00
1886-7	Granite Falls.....		1.00
1887-8	Chatfield.....		1.00
1888-9	S. Paul's, Minneapolis.....	\$ 93.06	
	Grace, Minneapolis.....	7.00	
	Mankato.....	4.00	
	S. Andrew's, Minneapolis.....	5.25	
	Madelia.....	3.00	1.00
	St. James.....	3.00	1.00
	Wilder.....	3.00	1.00
	Le Sueur.....	.16	2.00
	S. Columbia.....		5.00
	Point Douglas.....		.50
	Becker.....		1.00
	Kenyon.....	5.00	5.00
	S. Mark's, Minneapolis.....	105.00	
	Brainerd.....	31.50	
	Hassan.....	5.00	1.50
	Shakopee.....	5.00	
	Albert Lea.....	12.00	1.50
	S. Mary's, St. Paul.....	15.00	5.00
	Holy Trinity, Minneapolis.....		5.00
	S. John Evangelist, St. Paul.....		7.50
		<u>\$ 296.97</u>	<u>\$41.00</u>

OUNTS RECEIVED UPON THIS YEAR'S ASSESSMENTS, AND FROM
INDIVIDUALS, ETC.

PARISHES.	Diocesan	Missions.	Council Fund.		A. & I. C.
	Assess'd	Paid.	Assess'd	Paid.	Offer-ings.
ca.....	12.00	12.00	3.50	3.50	3.00
ria.....	5.00	5.00	2.00	2.00	1.50
.....	10.00	.....	3.00	.....	.....
n*.....	6.00	6.00	1.50	1.50	.....
.....	12.00	6.33	7.00	7.00	.....
od Grove.....	8.00	8.00	3.00	3.00	.....
.....	5.00	5.00	2.00	2.00	.....
cek.....	12.00	12.07	3.00	3.00	.....
aine.....	5.00	.....	2.00	.....	.....
.....	8.00	8.00	3.00	3.00	2.50
th.....	8.00	8.00	1.00	1.00	2.50
d*.....	65.00	14.55	20.00	20.00	22.09
s Valley*.....	3.00	.....	1.00	.....	.....
on.....	1.00	.....	1.00	.....	.....
ville.....	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	.....
la.....	7.00	7.00	2.00	2.00	.....
City.....	6.00	.....	1.00	.....	.....
Falls*.....	20.00	.....	3.00	3.00	.....
d*.....	8.00	1.00	3.00	3.00	2.00
iter.....	7.00	.....	2.00	.....	.....
on.....	20.00	20.00	5.00	5.00	10.40
.....	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	.....
.....	5.00	.....	1.00	.....	.....
h.....	3.00	3.00	1.00	1.00	.....
.....	75.00	75.00	25.00	25.00	10.00
r.....	5.00	.....	2.00	.....	.....
r.....	5.00	5.00	2.00	2.00	.....
.....	4.00	4.00	1.00	1.00	.....
It—.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
dral.....	250.00	105.38	35.00	35.00	.....
ack School*.....	125.00	100.00	.....	.....	.....
ry's Hall.....	50.00	50.00	.....	.....	.....
.....	10.00	10.00	5.00	5.00	.....
gton.....	5.00	.....	2.00	.....	.....
Falls.....	15.00	15.00	6.00	6.00	4.25
ac.....	3.00	.....	1.50	.....	.....
.....	10.00	.....	2.00	2.00	.....
Falls.....	3.00	3.00	2.00	2.00	3.00
od*.....	2.00	.....	1.00	.....	.....
*.....	5.00	2.50	2.00	2.00	.....
.....	5.00	5.00	2.00	.....	.....
s.....	36.00	36.00	10.00	10.00	7.24
on*.....	10.00	.....	3.00	.....	.....
.....	1.00	.....	1.00	.....	.....
le.....	10.00	10.00	7.00	7.00	3.88
.....	4.00	4.00	2.00	2.00	3.33
*.....	5.00	2.75	3.00	3.00	.40
ty.....	50.00	25.00	20.00	20.00	10.21
ystal.....	5.00	.....	2.00	.....	.....
rk.....	2.00	2.00	1.00	1.00	1.00
r*.....	5.00	.....	2.00	.....	.....
d*.....	25.00	25.00	8.00	8.00	.....
alls.....	12.00	12.00	3.00	3.00	5.00
.....	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	.....
.....	3.00	.....	1.00	.....	.....
o.....	28.00	49.00	10.00	10.00	9.65
ville.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.82
1 Lake.....	2.00	2.00	1.00	1.00	.....
.....	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.45
onka Beach.....	10.00	10.88	.....	5.00	.....

DIOCESAN FUND.

PARISHES.	Diocesan Missions.		Council Fund.		A. & C. Offerings
	Assess'd	Paid.	Assess'd	Paid.	
Minneapolis—					
All Saints.....	10.00	2.15	3.00	1.75	
Gethsemane.....	300.00	300.00	60.00	60.00	40.51
Grace.....	7.00	7.00	2.00	2.00	
Holy Trinity.....	60.00	60.00	15.00	15.00	5.00
S. Andrew's*.....	12.00		5.00		
S. Luke's.....	10.00	10.00	3.00	3.00	2.00
S. Mark's.....	420.00	420.00	60.00	60.00	60.00
S. Paul's*.....	150.00	150.00	25.00	12.50	10.00
Montevideo.....	10.00	10.00	2.00	2.00	3.60
Moorhead.....	22.00		6.00		
Morristown.....	10.00		2.00		
Northfield*.....	20.00		10.00		
North Branch*.....	5.00		1.00		
Owatonna.....	25.00	25.00	5.00	5.00	
Paynesville.....	4.00	4.00	2.00	2.00	2.00
Perham.....	2.00	2.00	1.00	1.00	
Pine Island*.....	5.00		3.00	3.00	
Point Douglas.....	5.00	5.00	1.00	1.00	
Red Wing.....	150.00	170.00	35.00	35.00	18.74
Redwood Falls.....	5.00	5.10	3.00	3.00	7.25
Reno*.....	5.00	3.50	2.00	2.00	
Rochester.....	25.00	30.21	6.00	6.00	7.25
Royalton.....	4.00	4.00	2.00	2.00	
Rush City*.....	5.00		1.00	1.00	
Rushford.....	15.00	22.33	3.00	3.00	4.00
Sauk Center.....	18.00	18.00	5.00	5.00	3.61
Sauk Rapids.....	5.00	5.00	2.00	2.00	
Shakopee*.....	10.00	10.00	5.00	5.00	
Slayton.....	3.00		1.00		
Stillwater.....	100.00	100.00	25.00	25.00	6.43
St. Charles.....	7.00		2.00		
St. Cloud.....	35.00	6.75	10.00	10.00	10.42
St. James.....	3.00		1.00		1.50
St. Paul—					
Ascension.....	15.00	8.50	5.00		
Christ Church.....	550.00	550.00	70.00	70.00	196.00
Good Shepherd*.....	28.00		8.00	8.00	
S. John Evangelist*.....	170.00	85.00	40.00	40.00	
S. Mary's.....	15.00	15.00	5.00	5.00	
S. Matthew's.....					5.72
S. Paul's.....	400.00	400.00	50.00	50.00	8.25
S. Peter's.....	7.00		3.00		
S. Stephen's.....	12.00	12.00	5.00	5.00	
St. Peter.....	30.00	30.00	7.00	7.00	5.53
St. Vincent*.....	5.00	2.50	2.00	2.00	1.00
Towet.....	10.00		3.00		
Wabasha*.....	22.00		5.00		
Warsaw.....	6.00	6.00	2.00	2.00	
Wadena.....	2.00		1.00		
Waseca.....	8.00		3.00		
Waterville.....	8.00	8.00	3.00	3.00	2.00
Wells.....	15.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	4.40
White Bear*.....	20.00		10.00		
Wilder*.....	3.00		1.00		
Wilmar.....	20.00	20.00	5.00	5.00	6.17
Winona*.....	5.00	5.00	1.50		
Winona.....	100.00	61.50	30.00	30.00	15.00
Worthington.....	5.00	5.00	1.50		
Zumbrota.....	5.00		2.00		
Indian Stations—					
Cass Lake.....	4.00	4.00	1.00	1.00	
Leech Lake.....	15.00	15.00	6.00	6.00	
Red Lake, S. Antipas.....	8.00	8.00	1.00	1.00	
Red Lake, S. John.....	9.00	12.24	1.00	1.00	
White Earth, S. Columba.....	35.00	35.00	5.00	5.00	
Wild Rice River.....	9.00	9.00	2.00	2.00	
Individual gifts—					
Bishop Whipple (coupons & div'ds).....		12.25			
Mr. Geo. L. Richardson.....		2.00			
Mr. John Wann.....					100.00

Additional offerings or payments in part or in full have been received from parishes marked * since the above account was rendered.

III. AMOUNTS RECEIVED UPON THE FIRST YEAR'S SUBSCRIPTION
FOR THE SERVICES OF A GENERAL DIOCESAN MISSIONARY.

SUBSCRIBERS.	Amount Sub- scribed.	Amount Paid.	SUBSCRIBERS.	Amount Sub- scribed.	Amount Paid.
Bishop Whipple.....	\$ 50.00	\$ 50.00	Christ Ch., Redwing....	25.00	25.00
Bishop Gilbert.....	100.00	100.00	S. Paul's, Duluth.....	50.00	25.00
Woman's Auxiliary.....	150.00	150.00	Ascension, Stillwater...	25.00	25.00
Cathedral Paribault....	50.00	50.00	I. H. Staples.....	10.00	10.00
Rev. E. C. Bill.....	100.00	100.00	Mr. Robert Slaughter..	10.00	10.00
Rev. Prof. Wells.....	10.00	10.00	Rev. C. H. Plummer....	25.00	25.00
Rev. Prof. Sterrett.....	10.00	10.00	S. John's, St. Cloud....	25.00	10.00
Rev. Prof. Dobbin.....	10.00	10.00	S. John's, S. School....	10.00	10.00
Rev. Prof. Poole.....	10.00	5.00	Christ Ch., Crookston..	25.00	18.00
Christ Church, St. Paul	100.00	100.00	Halleck, S. School.....	5.00	2.50
Christ Church, S. School	50.00	50.00	S. Vincent, S. School....	5.00	2.50
Christ Ch., Bible class...	20.00	10.00	Trinity, Litchfield....	25.00	25.00
Mr. Reuben Warner.....	25.00	25.00	S. Mark's, Lake City....	20.00	25.00
Mr. W. H. Lightner.....	10.00	10.00	Cannon Falls, S. School	10.00	10.00
S. Paul's Ch., St. Paul..	100.00	100.00	Rev. C. E. Haupt.....	10.00	10.00
S. Paul's Church Choir	10.00	10.00	Mankato, S. School....	15.00	15.00
Good Shepherd, St. Paul	20.00	10.00	Mr. S. D. Parsons.....	10.00	10.00
G. H. Hargreaves.....	5.00	5.00	Wells, S. School.....	10.00	10.00
Ascension, St. Paul.....	15.00	10.00	Rev. J. F. Hamilton....	10.00	10.00
Ascension S. S., St. Paul	10.00	10.00	Rev. J. A. Gilfillan....	25.00	25.00
Gethsemane, M'p'ls.....	40.00	40.00	S. Luke's, Detroit.....	10.00	5.00
Bishop Graves.....	10.00	10.00	Granite Falls S. School	5.00	5.00
Hon. J. Atwater.....	25.00	25.00	Rockford, S. School....	5.00	5.00
Holy Trinity, M'p'ls.....	25.00	12.50	Frontenac, S. School...	5.00	5.00
Holy Trinity, S. School	25.00	12.50	Delano, S. School.....	5.00	5.00
Rev. A. J. Graham.....	10.00	10.00	S. Luke's, Willmar....	10.00	10.00
Mr. J. G. Hall.....	10.00	10.00	Mr. Thomas Chappel...	5.00	5.00
Fridley Park, S. School	5.00	5.00	Mr. A. G. Dunlop.....	5.00	5.00
S. Luke's S. S., M'p'ls	10.00	10.00	Rev. J. B. Halsey.....	5.00	5.00
Grace S. School, M'p'ls	10.00	10.00	Mr. John Dale.....	5.00	6.00
S. Andrew's Brotherh'd	25.00	20.50	Rev. C. B. Postbrooke..	10.00	5.00
of S. Paul's Ch., M'p'ls	15.00	15.00	Mr. W. K. Dixon.....	5.00	5.00
B. S. Russell, M'p'ls.....	5.00	5.00	Rev. W. W. Fowler....	15.00	15.00
Rev. W. Tuson.....	3.00	3.00	Rev. G. H. Mueller....	10.00	10.00
Mr. G. L. Richardson....	10.00	10.00	Rev. Francis Willis....	10.00	10.00
Dr. A. S. Lovett, M'p'ls	5.00	5.00	Mr. F. Tolman.....	12.50	12.50
Capt. J. C. Reno, M'p'ls	5.00	5.00	Montevideo, S. School..	5.00	5.00
G. H. Code.....	50.00	10.00	Mr. D. B. Gallinger....	10.00	10.00
S. Paul's, Winona.....	10.00	10.00			
Rev. W. H. Knowlton...	25.00	25.00			
Hon. E. T. Wilder.....					
					1440.00

IV. SUNDAY SCHOOL AND OTHER LENTEN OFFERINGS RECEIVED.

PLACE.	PARISH.	SENDER'S NAME.	Amount
Anoka.....	Trinity.....	F. S. Marsh, superintendent.....	4.74
Belle Creek.....	S. Paul's.....	Miss Louisa Schwieger, treasurer.....	2.01
Caledonia.....	Trinity.....	Thos. Abbotts, superintendent.....	5.00
Cannon Falls.....	The Redeemer.....	Miss Catherine Tanner, treasurer.....	16.73
Cass Lake.....	Prince of Peace.....	Rev. L. Coleman.....	3.00
Duluth.....	S. Paul's.....	Rev. Wm. M. Barker.....	68.03
Glencoe.....	Christ Church.....	Rev. A. J. D. Kuehn.....	2.74
Kasson.....	S. Peter's.....	L. G. Nelson.....	2.82
Lake Benton.....	S. John's.....	J. D. Greene.....	17.00
Lake Crystal.....	All Angels.....	Bishop Gilbert.....	1.00
Little Falls.....	Our Saviour.....	Rev. A. A. Joss.....	7.00
Minneapolis.....	S. John's.....	W. E. Steele, treasurer.....	4.50
Minneapolis.....	S. Luke's.....	Rev. W. B. Hamilton.....	17.70
Minneapolis.....	S. Paul's.....	W. E. Steele, treasurer.....	53.97
Mankato.....	S. John's.....	Rev. T. C. Hudson.....	5.00
Mantorville.....	S. John's.....	Miss N. Slingerlund, treasurer.....	3.13
Marshall.....	S. James'.....	Miss Nellie S. Drake.....	3.00
North Branch.....	S. Thomas'.....	Mr. John Caldwell.....	4.86
Paynesville.....	S. Stephen's.....	Rev. C. B. Fosbrooke.....	5.35
Redwood Falls.....	.....	Rev. S. B. Purves.....	13.01
Rochester.....	Calvary.....	Mrs. H. C. Butler, treasurer.....	20.00
Royalton.....	Grace.....	Rev. C. A. Cummings.....	3.65
Rush City.....	Grace.....	John Caldwell.....	1.34
Rushford.....	Emmanuel.....	H. M. Smith, treasurer.....	16.23
St. Cloud.....	S. John's.....	Rev. C. A. Cummings.....	13.85
St. Paul.....	Christ Church.....	George Warner, treasurer.....	51.07
St. Paul.....	S. James'.....	George L. Richardson.....	5.25
St. Paul.....	S. Mary's.....	G. M. Hood.....	26.73
Tower.....	.....	Mrs. C. H. Garrett.....	21.00
Wabasha.....	Grace.....	Mr. Affield, per Mrs. E. S. Leek.....	5.00
Warsaw.....	S. Thomas'.....	Miss Louise Heath, treasurer.....	2.71
White Bear L.....	S. John in Wilderness.....	C. B. Cobb.....	17.19
Winona.....	S. Paul's.....	Rev. W. H. Knowlton.....	12.50
			\$450.99

V. STATEMENT OF STIPENDS PAID FROM THE DIOCESAN MISSIONS FUND.

From June 12th, 1889, to May 31st, 1890, and covering the eleven months ending May 31st, 1890, except where otherwise specified.

Rev. T. K. Allen.....	208.32	Mr. W. H. Lowry.....	8.33
Mr. Bullis, services at Kenyon.....	25.00	Rev. W. McVettie.....	66.66
Mr. John Caldwell.....	20.00	Rev. A. G. Pinkham.....	47.50
Rev. C. K. Capron.....	87.50	Rev. S. Pritchard.....	*300.00
Rev. W. S. Crickmer.....	99.99	Rev. J. W. Purser.....	125.00
Rev. C. A. Cummings.....	47.50	Rev. S. B. Purves.....	91.67
Rev. C. B. Fosbrooke.....	125.00	Rev. M. N. Ray.....	114.58
Rev. W. B. Guion.....	16.66	Rev. C. C. Rollit.....	166.66
Rev. J. B. Halsey.....	125.00	Rev. W. H. H. Ross.....	86.67
Rev. W. B. Hamilton.....	47.50	Work at Rush City, per	
Rev. A. Harper Jr.....	116.66	Bishop Gilbert.....	25.00
Rev. C. E. Haupt.....	33.33	Rev. W. S. Sayres.....	250.00
Rev. J. J. Hillmer.....	113.27	Rev. A. R. Taylor.....	103.01
Rev. C. E. Hixon.....	166.64	Rev. C. W. Tyler.....	25.00
Mr. G. F. G. Hoyt.....	8.34	Rev. C. Ware.....	250.00
Rev. Edwin Johnson.....	66.67	Rev. W. Wilkinson.....	25.00
Rev. Mark Jukes.....	166.62	Rev. A. S. H. Winsor.....	208.32
Rev. Mr. Leeds per Bishop			
Gilbert.....	10.00	Total.....	\$3,377.40
*to June 30th.			

VI. STATEMENT OF STIPENDS PAID FROM THE AGED AND INFIRM CLERGY FUND.

Rev. Charles Woodward.....	100.00
Rev. I. J. Townsend.....	500.00
Rev. F. B. Nash Sr.....	100.00
Rev. J. G. St. Lawrence.....	100.00
Total.....	\$800.00

APPENDIX D.

REPORT OF THE DEANS.

SOUTHERN CONVOCATION.

ST. PAUL, May 27, 1890.

My Dear Bishop.—The Clergy of the Southern Convocation have been called together for conference twice during the year. At S. John's, Mankato, last November, there was a large attendance, while at Rochester, during April, the number was not as large as we looked for.

Our Rev. brethren sometimes lose sight of the fact, that they have duties to the Diocese and to one another, as well as to their Parishes and Missions. This forgetfulness sometimes makes the Dean's office appear like a thankless task. In most cases, however, I have to thank my brethren of the clergy for their generous support and very hearty co-operation. Besides attending the meetings mentioned above, I have visited the parishes of St. Peter, Mankato, Albert Lea, Red Wing and a few Missions. Last October, in the absence of the Bishop, at the request of my friend, the Rev. James Cornell, Minister in charge at Madison Lake, I laid the corner stone of the new church in that village, in the presence of six of the clergy, and a large concourse of people. I have attended during the year one meeting each of the Central and Northern Convocations and all the meetings of the Diocesan Board of Missions.

Very Truly Yours.

EDWARD C. BILL.

Dean.

CENTRAL CONVOCATION.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., May 31, 1890.

Dear Bishop.—During the past year, there have been three meetings of the Clergy of the Central Convocation, as follows: In Trinity Church, Litchfield, August 13th and 14th, when there were fourteen of the Clergy present. In the Church of S. John the Evangelist, St. Paul, Dec. 2d, 3d and 4th, with twenty-two of the Clergy, and in S. Luke's Church, Willmar, May 20th, 21st and 22d, with an attendance of fifteen of the Clergy. Absence and sickness have deprived us of Bishop Whipple's cheering words, but Bishop Gilbert was with us at St. Paul and Willmar. These meetings have

been pronounced very helpful to all who have attended. Many of the papers and addresses have been of a high order. The most helpful meetings are those held in rural Parishes, where at night, the congregations pack the churches. Already, three country Parishes have petitioned for a Convocation the coming year.

There are at present twenty-five Clergymen in the Central Deanery. The Rt. Rev. A. R. Graves, and the Rev. Messrs. Jeffords, Lloyd, Guion and Sayers have moved into other Dioceses.

The seven District Presbyters for the Central Deanery, viz: F. R. Millspagh, John Wright, W. S. Sayres, F. H. Potts, D. T. Booth, A. D. Stowe and Edward Moyes, send in reports from which we learn that during the last four months of the Counciliar year, 171 services were held in 28 different places, representing 253 Church families; that there were 46 baptisms and 16 celebrations of the Holy Communion. Much greater results may be expected another year from this system.

I would add that the Clergy are almost unanimous in the desire that there be three meetings of Convocation each year.

Very Respectfully Yours,

A. J. GRAHAM,
Dean.

NORTHERN CONVOCAATION.

ST. CLOUD, June 2d, 1890.

My Dear Bishops.—The Northern Convocation met for a very interesting session on April 30th, and May 1st and 2d, at Sauk Center. I have visited in the interests of Missionary work, as Dean, Paynesville, where in company with Rev. G. H. Davis, of Brainerd, we held a weeks Mission services; also Royalton, for whom I secured the gift of a bell from S. Paul's church, Duluth. The work in the Northern Convocation is encouraging and needs men.

Yours Respectfully,

C. A. CUMMINGS,
Dean.

RT. REV. H. B. WHIPPLE,
RT. REV. M. N. GILBERT.

APPENDIX E.

REPORT OF THE MINNESOTA BRANCH OF THE WOMAN'S
AUXILIARY TO THE BOARD OF MISSIONS.

WORK DONE FOR YEAR ENDING JUNE 1ST, 1890:

S. PAUL'S CHURCH, St. Paul.		
Cash from Mite Chests.....	\$ 36.02	
Box	329.93	
Box	175.60	
Box to Dakota sufferers.....	75.00	
Box to Indians.....	60.60	
Box	78.00	
		\$ 755.15
CHRIST CHURCH, ST. PAUL.		
Cash from Mite Chests.....	\$ 44.19	
Box	87.65	
Box	87.85	
Box to Indians. White Earth.....	30.75	
		\$ 250.44
S. JOHN THE EVANGELIST, St. Paul.		
Cash from Mite Chests.....	\$ 8.22	
Cash.....	20.00	
Boxes	473.75	
		\$ 501.97
S. PETER'S CHURCH, St. Paul.		
Cash from Mite Chests.....	\$ 10.30	
Barrel to Indians.....	50.00	
		\$ 60.30
S. MARK'S CHURCH, Minneapolis.		
Cash from Mite Chests.....	\$ 105.97	
Box	382.74	
Package.....	20.00	
Barrel to Indians at Leech Lake.....	55.25	
Miscellaneous.....	100.00	
Package.....	50.00	
Package to Hospital, Portland, O.....	18.00	
Package.....	30.00	
Cash.....	10.00	
		\$ 771.96

S. PAUL'S CHURCH, Minneapolis.			
Cash from Mite Chests.....	\$	50.19	
Box and barrel.....		201.93	
			\$ 252.12
HOLY TRINITY CHURCH, Minneapolis.			
Cash from Mite Chests.....			\$ 34.28
GETHSEMANE CHURCH, Minneapolis.			
Cash from Mite Chests.....		60.00	
Box		380.00	
			\$ 440.00
S. ANDREW'S CHURCH, Minneapolis.			
Cash from Mite Chests.. ..			4.16
ALL SAINT'S CHURCH, Minneapolis.			
Cash from Mite Chests.....			4.74
GRACE CHURCH, Minneapolis.			
Cash from Mite Chests.....			6.74
S. PAUL'S CHURCH, Winona.			
Cash from Mite Chests.....	\$	23.05	
Box.....		30.00	
			\$ 53.05
S. LUKE'S CHURCH, Hastings.			
Cash from Mite Chests.....	\$	9.67	
Box.....		54.25	
			\$ 63.92
CHRIST CHURCH, Red Wing.			
Cash from Mite Chests.....	\$	18.61	
Box.....		80.00	
			\$ 98.61
ASCENSION CHURCH, Stillwater.			
Cash from Mite Chests.....	\$	7.41	
Barrel to Indians.....		50.00	
			57.41
GUILD OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD, Faribault.			
Cash from Mite Chests.....		28.94	
Box		68.40	\$ 97.34
CHURCH OF THE NATIVITY, Wells.			
Cash from Mite Chests.....	\$	20.38	
Box S. Dakota, clothing for distribution.....		10.00	
Cash to same.....		5.00	
Miscellaneous.....		40.00	
			\$ 75.38
S. LUKE'S CHURCH, Willmar.			
Contents of Mite Chests.....			\$ 9.50
S. JOHN'S CHURCH, St. Cloud.			
Contents of Mite Chests.....			5.48
MISSION, Mentor.			
Contents of Mite Chests.....			3.50
S. MARTIN'S CHURCH, Fairmont.			
Contents of Mite Chests.....			3.50

DARLINGTON MISSIONARY SOCIETY, S. Mary's Hall, Faribault.

1 Box in December, 1889.....	30.33	
Christmas offering.....	15.00	
Diocesan Missions.....	50.00	
Cornelia Whipple Scholarship.....	40.00	
Bishop Holly.....	25.00	
Miss Willis' salary, Red Lake.....	50.00	
One box.....	25.00	
Indians.....	50.00	
One box.....	25.00	
Altar vases for S. Mary's, Faribault.....	10.00	
		<u>\$ 320.33</u>
Total.....		\$3869.88
Boxes.....	\$3100.03	
Cash.....	769.85	
		<u>\$3869.88</u>
For Foreign Missions.....	\$ 185.55	
For Domestic Missions.....	583.48	
For Diocesan Missions.....	3100.85	
		<u>\$3869.88</u>

Respectfully Submitted,
MARY D. FOLDS,
Secretary.

Several Parishes have failed to report the work done, some are known to have sent boxes, but the value has not been sent to the Secretary, so this report is incomplete.

ACCOUNT OF THE CASH RECEIPTS AT ANNUAL MEETING.

SEPT. 26TH, 1889.

Cash from year previous.....	\$ 4.05	
Offertory at Annual meeting.....	57.91	
Receipts from Mite Chests brought in at Annual meeting, Sept. 26th, 1889.....	478.17	
		<u>\$ 540.13</u>
Sent Mr. J. A. Gilfillan for Indian Schools.....	\$ 57.91	
Sent Bp. Brewer for Montana Missions.....	25.00	
Paid salary of Mrs. Thompson, New Berne, N. C., Teacher among the colored people.....	120.55	
Paid for two scholarships in the Jane Bohlen Mem. School, Wuchang, China, to be known as the Bishop Whipple, and Bishop Gilbert scholarships, respectively.....	80.00	
Paid salary of Miss Wong, Wuchang, China.....	40.55	
Gave Mr. Tuson, Minnetonka Mills.....	50.00	
Paid towards salary of Diocesan Missionary.....	150.00	
Sent Mr. Gilfillan for Indian Schools.....	16.12	
		<u>\$540.13</u>
Cash on hand from Mite Chests received since annual meeting.....	\$ 16.68	

APPENDIX F.

SUMMARY OF EPISCOPAL ADDRESSES.

	BISHOP.	ASSISTANT BISHOP.	TOTAL.
Sermons and Addresses.....	80	320	400
Baptisms, (Inf. 8, Ad. 5).....	13	18	31
Confirmations.....	*77	†851	986
Holy Communion Celebrated.....	25	58	83
Marriages.....	2	11	13
Burials	1	3	4
Churches Consecrated.....	1	1	2
Ordinations.....	.....(P. 4, D. 8)	12	12
Visitations .....	.....	176	176
Corner Stones laid.....	1	1	2
Clergy Transferred.....	.....	10	10
Clergy Received.....	.....	8	8
Candidates for Holy Orders Rec'd.	.....	10	10
Postulants Received.....	.....	10	10
Lay Readers Licensed.....	.....	42	42

*And 5 for Bishop of Florida.

†Besides this, Bishop Knickerbacker confirmed 8 at Longworth's, and Bishop Graves confirmed 26 in Gethsemane Church, Minneapolis, 10 in Montevideo and 14 in Marshall, making a total of 986.

CLERICAL REPORTS.

FARIBAULT, May 29, 1890.

THE RT. REV. M. N. GILBERT, D. D.

I have to report that since the last Council I have been occupied with my usual professorial duties, and with literary work pertaining to the same; occasionally, at different places, assisting in Divine service, or preaching.

Respectfully,

J. STEINFORT KEDNEY.

FARIBAULT, Minn., June 3, 1890.

RT. REV. H. B. WHIPPLE, D. D., LL. D.

My Dear Bishop.—I have the honor to report that during the past year I have been engaged in the discharge of my duties as Professor of Ecclesiastical History and as Acting Warden at Seabury. I have occasionally, when possible, officiated in Missions and Parishes, when I could be of assistance to the Clergy of the Diocese.

Faithfully Yours,

CHARLES L. WELLS.

FARIBAULT, Minn., May 10th, 1890.

RT. REV. M. N. GILBERT, D. D.

I have the honor to report to you the fulfilment of my duties as Professor of Ethics and Apologetics in the Seabury Divinity School during the year, with the exception of ten weeks' absence in the winter.

Faithfully Yours,

J. MACBRIDE STERRETT.

ST. PAUL, Minn., May 27, 1890.

RT. REV. M. N. GILBERT, D. D.

My Dear Bishop.—I hand you herewith my report as Dean of the Southern Convocation. For the first time during my ministry I have no report to present from a Mission station. Becoming on October 1st last, Associate Priest to the Rector of Christ Church, St. Paul, I have performed sundry duties in Christ Church, officiating also from time to time in the Chapels of the Parish and in the other churches of the city.

A fair proportion of time and energy has been bestowed upon work at our Divinity School, where in addition to the duties of my own department of Liturgics, I have acted for the time being as Professor of Homiletics.

The following figures are from my private register:

Ordinary services, 130; celebrations of Holy Communion, 45; sermons and addresses, (about) 100; baptisms, 2; marriages, 1; burials, 3.

Very Truly Yours,

EDWARD C. BILL.

RT. REV. M. N. GILBERT, D. D.

Rt. Rev. and Dear Sir.—I have to report that during the Canonical year last past, I have performed the duties assigned me as assistant Professor of Divinity, in the Seabury Divinity School. I have also preached occasionally at the Cathedral, have supplied services thrice at Gethsemane church, Minneapolis; twice at Christ Church, Red Wing; twice at S. Paul's church, Owatonna; twice at Roberds Lake; once at Minnetonka Beach; twice at Farmington. Have buried one adult, at Blooming Prairie, and baptized three children, one at Farmington, one at Red Wing and one at Minnetonka Beach.

Respectfully,

C. A. POOLE.

RT. REV. M. N. GILBERT, D. D.

Rt. Rev. and Dear Sir.—Since the last annual Council my work has continued to be as follows: During the school year I am occupied in the educational work in Shattuck School, and as Chaplain, assist the Rector in Divine service, on Sundays and in the daily prayers. In his absence I perform the offices of the church.

In addition to this, during the months of July and August last I officiated for the Rev. Dr. Hayes, in Westfield, W. N. York; one Sunday in S. John's Church, Dunkirk; the first Sunday in September, at Rushford, Minnesota; the fourth Sunday in Advent, Christmas Day and the following Sunday, at Moorhead; the second Sunday after Christmas, at Rushford, and on Easter Day, at Cannon Falls. Total: services, 25; Holy Communion, 10 times; baptisms, 5; marriages, 2; funerals, 2.

GEO. C. TANNER,
Chaplain Shattuck School.

LAKE CITY, Minn., May 30, 1890.

RT. REV. M. N. GILBERT, D. D.

Dear Bishop.—On account of the extreme sickness of my wife, I was obliged to resign my delightful work at Red Wing, on September 3d, 1889. Since that time I have resided here and done such work as was possible. I shall expect such work as I have done to be reported in the Parishes where done. With the Bishops' blessing I expect to be absent a year in Europe and then to return, if God wills, to work in the Diocese.

Very Sincerely Yours in the Church,

C. H. PLUMMER.

HASTINGS, Minn., June 2, 1890.

RT. REV. M. N. GILBERT, D. D.

Rt. Rev. Sir.—I beg leave to report that during the past year I have attended public worship in S. Luke's church, Hastings, and have assisted the Rector as occasion required.

Respectfully Submitted,

JOHN WILLIAMSON.

TINTAH, June 2, 1890.

Dear Bishop.—My age and physical infirmities have prevented my taking charge of a Parish during the last year. I have done what Missionary work I could.

This has been my home for more than half of the year. During nearly every Sabbath whilst here I have had religious services at Tintah, and helped to sustain a Sabbath School. I have baptized one child here and one outside of the State, and also officiated at one marriage ceremony outside of the State. Whilst abroad during the winter and early spring, I preached often for brother clergymen, and helped them in administering the Communion and in other ways as my services were needed.

I hear of a number of Episcopalians and Episcopalian families scattered around here, too much scattered to be organized into a congregation—I will endeavor to ascertain particulars and report hereafter.

F. B. NASH.

PAROCHIAL REPORTS.

Albert Lea, Population 4,000, Freeborn County. CHRIST CHURCH:
D. R. P. HIBBS, C. F. GAGE, Wardens; J. B. FOOTE, Treas.; C. S. HAMMOND, Clerk of Vestry and S. S. Supt.; G. F. G. HOYT, Lay Reader.

Pews free. No. sittings, 200. Rector's salary, \$360. Baptisms, (inf. 2, ad. 1), 3. Confirmations, (m. 4, f. 6), 10. Confirmed persons last report, 35. Added by Confirmation, 10. Added by transfer and otherwise, 1. Total, 46. Lost by transfer and otherwise, 6. Present number, 40. Communicating during the year (m. 6, f. 17), 23. Holy Communion administered, 10. Public services (Sundays 96, other days 3), 99. Marriages, 2. Sunday School teachers (m. 1, f. 5), 6. Other officers, 1. Scholars (m. 15, f. 25), 40. Total, teachers, officers and scholars, 47. S. S. Library Books, 40.

Value of Church building, \$2,000. Lots upon which church stands, \$700. Total, \$2,700.

Receipts from all sources—Subscriptions, \$413.47. Parish Aid Societies, Guilds, etc., \$121.20. Total, \$534.67.

Expenditures—Parochial: Payment of debts, \$135.17. Rector's salary paid, \$356. Total, \$491.17. Diocesan: Council Fund, \$3.50. Bishop's salary, \$5.00. Diocesan Missionary Board Fund, \$12. Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund, \$3.00. Arrears to Diocesan Treasurer, \$13.50. Arrears to Treasurer Episcopate Fund, \$6.50. Total, \$43.50. Grand total, \$534.67.

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

From June until October, 1889, I held services at Albert Lea. In October Mr. J. E. Simpson, of the Divinity School, began to share the work. On Easter Mr. G. F. G. Hoyt assumed the services. The Rev. E. H. Clark administered Holy Communion one Sunday in each month from June, 1889, to May, 1890. The number of officiants makes accuracy difficult.

Obediently,

ARTHUR R. TAYLOR.

Alexandria, Population 2,500, Douglas County. EMMANUEL CHURCH:
The Rev. MARK JUKES, Rector; J. A. COLBY and J. ABERCROMBIE, Wardens; G. S. SPALDING, Treas. and Clerk of Vestry; J. ABERCROMBIE, S. S. Supt.

Pews free. No. sittings, 130. Rector's salary, \$300. No. families, 37. Individuals, 149. Baptisms (inf. 3, ad. 3), 6. Confirmations (m. 1, f. 4), 5. Confirmed persons, last report, 68. Added by Confirmation, 5. Added by transfer and otherwise, 1. Total, 74. Lost by death, 1. Present, No. (m. 25, f. 48), 73. Communicants, 73. Communicating during the year (m. 9, f. 21), 30. Holy Communion administered (pub. 11, private, 1), 12. Public services (Sundays 49, other days 10), 59. Marriages, 8. Burials, 1. Sunday School teachers (m. 1, f. 3), 4. Other officers (m. 1, f. 1), 2. Scholars (m. 22, f. 24), 46. Total, teachers, officers and scholars, 53.

Value of Church building, \$2,500. Rectory, \$2,500. Total, \$5,000.

Receipts from all sources—Balance from last report, \$52.05. Subscriptions, \$292.25. Donations, \$45. Offerings, \$112.13. Parish Aid Societies, Guilds, etc., \$83.65. Sunday School, \$14.51. Total, \$599.59.

Expenditures—Parochial: Current expenses, \$45.15. Repairs, \$22.85. Rector's salary paid, \$300. Sunday School expenses, \$22.14. Other expenses, \$33. Total, \$392.14. Diocesan: Council Fund, \$2.00. Bishop's salary, \$3.00. Diocesan Missionary Board Fund, \$5.00. Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund, \$1.55. Jews, \$1.55. Bishop Gilbert Fund, \$7.84. Total, \$20.94. Grand total, \$413.08.

The number of communicants are what are found on Church Register; comparatively few of them have communicated.

Appleton, Population 1,200, Swift County. GETHSEMANE CHURCH; The Rev. M. N. RAY, Rector; A. D. COUNTRYMAN, C. W. STANTON, Wardens; A. D. COUNTRYMAN, Clerk of Vestry and S. S. Supt.

Pews free. No. sittings, 90. Rector's salary, \$400. No. families, 26. Individuals, 94. Baptisms (inf. 4, ad. 3), 7. Confirmations, (f.), 3. Confirmed persons last report, 27. Added by Confirmation, 3. Total, 30. Present No. (m. 5, f. 25), 30. Communicants (m. 5, f. 25), 30. Communicating during year (m. 2, f. 24), 26. Holy Communion administered, (pub.) 7. Public services (Sundays, 104, other days, 56), 160. Burials, 4. Sunday School teachers, 5. Other officers, 1. Scholars, 49. Total, teachers, officers and scholars, 55. Catechisms, 10.

Value of Church building, \$1,000. Rectory and lots upon which church and rectory stand, \$1,100. Total, \$2,100.

Receipts from all sources—Subscriptions, \$326. Offerings, \$113. Sunday School, \$13.30. Total, \$452.

Expenditures—Parochial: Rector's salary paid, \$400. The expense of lighting and heating the church comes from the offerings; the church has also lately been completely painted, etc. Total, \$400. Diocesan: Council Fund, \$1.50. Bishop's salary, \$4.00. Diocesan Missionary Board Fund, \$6.00. Sheltering Arms, \$5.00. Hospitals, \$2.70. Total, \$19.20. Grand total, \$419.20.

Atwater, Population 400, Kandiyohi County. The Rev. ALFRED G. PINKHAM, Rector. (Litchfield P. O.)

No. of families, 9. Individuals, 27. Baptisms (inf. 1, ad. 1), 2. Confirmations (f.), 2. Added by Confirmation, 2. Present No. (f.) 6. Communicants (f.) 6. Communicating during year (f.) 3. Holy Communion administered (pub.) 1. Public services (Sundays) 22. Marriages 1. Burials, 1.

Receipts from all sources—Offerings, \$62.10. Parish Aid Societies, Guilds, etc., \$10. Total, \$72.10.

Expenditures—Parochial: Rector's salary paid, \$55.45. Other expenses, \$10. Total, \$65.45. Diocesan: Bishop's Special Needs Fund, \$6.65. Total, \$72.10.

Austin, Population 4,500, Mower County. CHRIST CHURCH; The Rev. W. N. McVETTIE, Rector; Prof. E. F. FITCH, JOHN HOLDEN, Wardens; G. W. MERRICK, Treas., CHARLES FOX, Clerk of Vestry, W. N. McVETTIE, S. S. Supt.

Pews free. No. sittings, 200. Rector's salary, \$600. No. families, 50. Individuals, 143. Baptisms, 13. Confirmations (m. 8, f. 14), 22. Confirmed persons last report, 53. Added by Confirmation, 22. Total, 75. Lost by transfer and otherwise, 2. Present No. (m. 16, f. 57), 73. Communicants (m. 12, f. 51), 63. Communicating during year (m. 9, f. 49), 58. Holy Communion administered (pub. 13, private 2), 15. Public services (Sundays 96, other days 49), 145. Marriages, 3. Sunday school teachers (m. 1, f. 6), 7. Other officers (m. 1, f. 2), 3. Scholars (m. 18, f. 38), 56. Total, teachers, officers and scholars, 66. Catechisms, 6.

Value of Church building, \$1,500. Rectory, \$500. Lots upon which church stands, \$600. Total, \$2,600.

Receipts from all sources—Balance from last report, \$36.56. Communion alms, \$19.78. Subscriptions, \$200. Offerings, \$136.99. Parish Aid Societies, Guilds, etc., \$188.15. Sunday School, \$34.35. Total, \$711.83.

Expenditures—Parochial: Current expenses, \$68.14. Rector's salary paid, \$377.21. Sunday School expenses, \$6.15. Poor (Charitable work), \$6.65. Other expenses, \$40.38. Total, \$498.53. Diocesan: Council Fund, \$7.00. Bishop's salary, \$8.00. Diocesan Missionary Board Fund, \$12. Total, \$27. Bishop's Special Needs Fund, \$9.10. Grand total, \$534.63.

Belle Creek, Goodhue County. S. PAUL'S CHURCH; G. W. FULCRUT, HENRY JAMES, Wardens; MISS LOUISA SCHWIEGER, Treas., GEO. COOK, Clerk of Vestry.

Pews free. No. sittings, 150. No. families, 10. No. Individuals, 25. Confirmations (m. 3, f. 1), 4. Confirmed persons last report, 54. Added by Confirma-

tion, 4. Present No. (m. 13, f. 12), 25. Public services (Sundays 11, other days 2), 13. Burials, 1. Sunday School teachers (m. 1, f. 2), 3. Other officers (m. 3, f. 1), 4. Scholars (m. 19, f. 10), 30. Total, teachers, officers and scholars, 37. S. & Library books, 60.

Value of Church building, \$1,000. Grounds and other property, \$100. Total, \$1,100.

Receipts from all sources—Subscriptions, \$20. Offerings, \$13.60. Parish Aid Society, \$11.90. Sunday School, \$16.98. Total, \$83.98.

Expenditures—Parochial: Rector's salary, \$24. Sunday School expenses, \$15.90. Total, \$39.90. Diocesan: Council Fund, \$3.00. Bishop's salary, \$9.00. Diocesan Missionary Board Fund, \$12. Sheltering Arms, \$11.90. Total, \$35.90. Grand total, \$75.80.

Belle Plaine, Population 1,100, Scott County. CHURCH OF THE TRANSFIGURATION; The Rev. C. M. PULLEN, Rector. (P. O. Shakopee.)

Pews free. No. sittings, 200. No. families, 9. Individuals, 40. Present No. Confirmed persons (m. 10, f. 14), 24. Marriages, 2. Burials, 2.

Value of Church building, \$2,500. Lots, \$300. Total, \$2,800.

Expenditures—Diocesan: Bishop's salary, \$5.00

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

I have just taken charge of the Parish at Belle Plaine. Held my first service on Friday evening, May 23d.

C. M. PULLEN, Rector.

Benson, Population 1,000, Swift County. CHRIST CHURCH; The Rev. FRANCIS H. POTTS, Rector; ARTHUR THORNTON, FRANK M. THORNTON, Wardens; S. H. HUDSON, Treas., and Clerk of Vestry.

Pews free. No. sittings, 125. Rector's salary, \$400. No. families, 12. Individuals, 66. Baptisms (inf.), 1. Confirmations (m. 7, f. 16), 23. Confirmed persons last report, 22. Added by Confirmation, 7. Total, 29. Lost by transfer and otherwise, 2. Present No. (m. 9, f. 18), 27. Communicants, (m. 9, f. 18), 27. Communicating during year (m. 9, f. 18), 27. Holy Communion administered (pub.), 17. Public services (Sundays 80, other days 39), 119. Marriages, 2. Burials, 1. Sunday School teachers (m. 2, f. 3), 5. Scholars (m. 16, f. 22), 38. Total, teachers, officers and scholars, 43. Catechisings, 20.

Value of Church building, \$1,800. Rectory, \$1,600. Lots upon which church stands, \$1,500. Total, \$4,900.

Receipts from all sources—Subscriptions, \$235. Offerings, \$198.34. Parish Aid Societies, Guilds, etc., \$111.03. Sunday School, \$45.53. Rent of rectory, \$125. Total, \$714.90.

Expenditures—Parochial: Current expenses, \$88.25. Repairs, \$89. Rector's salary paid, \$400. Sunday School expenses, \$39.53. Rent of house for Rector, \$58. Total, 671.78. Diocesan: Council Fund, \$3.00. Bishop's salary, \$6.00. Diocesan Missionary Board Fund, \$8.00. Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund, \$2.50. Sheltering Arms, \$3.17. Hospitals, \$1.70. Bishop's Special Needs Fund, \$6.75. Total \$31.12. General: Domestic Missions, \$3.00. Foreign Missions, \$3.00. American Church Building Fund, \$2.10. Bible and Prayer Book Society, \$1.00. Missions to the Jews, \$2.00. Total, \$12.00. Grand total, \$714.90.

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

I have been in charge since July last. The people are earnest and devoted, and the outlook is very encouraging.

Birch Cooley (Wakarusa), Population 94, Redwood County. S. JOHN'S CHURCH; Report of the Parish of Rev. S. D. HINMAN by W. W. HINMAN. W. W. HINMAN, Lay Reader.

Pews free. No. sittings, 50. No. families, 22. Individuals, 68. Baptisms (inf. 2, ad. 3), 5. Confirmed persons last report, 36. Added by transfer and otherwise, 10. Total, 46. Present No. (m. 22, f. 24), 46. Communicants (m. 22, f. 24), 46. Communicating during year (m. 10, f. 11), 21. Public services (Sundays 52, other days 41), 93. Marriages, 2. Burials, 4. Sunday School teachers (m. 1. Scholars (m. 7, f. 6), 13. Total, teachers, officers and scholars, 14.

Value of Rectory, \$1,200. Grounds and other property, \$300. Total, \$1,500.

Indebtedness—\$469.96.

Receipts from all sources—Subscriptions, \$100. Parish Aid Societies, Guilds, etc., \$50. Total, \$150.

Expenditures—Parochial: Church building, \$1,958.08. Rectory building, \$192.25. Rector's salary paid, \$500. Poor (Charitable work), \$268.80. Total, \$2,726.88.

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

Under the head of donations, I have put nothing down, on account of not knowing exact amount received. The church indebtedness amounts to more. It is as near correct as can be got at present.

Yours Respectfully,

W. W. HINMAN, Birch Cooley.

Brownsville, Population 500, Houston County. CHURCH OF THE HOLY COMFORTER; The Rev. THOS. K. ALLEN, Rector (No. 133 South Fourth St., La Crosse, Wis.)

No. families, 10. Baptisms (inf.) 1. Confirmed persons last report, 4. Added by Confirmation, 3. Present No. 7. Public services (week days), 9. Marriages, 1. Sunday School teachers, 3. Total, teachers, officers and scholars, 27. Catechisings, 4.

Value of Church building, \$500.

Expenditures—Diocesan: Bishop Gilbert's Special Needs Fund, \$1.37. Council Fund, \$1.00. Bishop's salary, \$1.00. Diocesan Missionary Board Fund, \$1.00. Total, \$4.37.

Blue Earth City, Population 1,800, Faribault County. CHURCH OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD; The Rev. R. R. GOUDY, Rector; J. A. KESTER, J. H. COUPER, Wardens; J. H. COUPER, JR., S. S. Supt.; J. H. COUPER, JR., Treasurer; C. ALING, Clerk of Vestry; J. A. KESTER, Lay Reader.

No. families, 25. Individuals, 80. Confirmations (m. 1, f. 1), 2. Confirmed persons last report, 24. Added by Confirmation, 2. Added by transfer and otherwise, 2. Total, 26. Lost by death, 1. Lost by transfer and otherwise, 1. Total lost, 2. Present No. 26. Communicating during year, 20. Holy Communion administered (pub. 15, private 2), 17. Public services (Sundays 56, other days 18), 74. Marriages, 3. Sunday School teachers (m. 1, f. 4), 5. Scholars, 30. Total, teachers, officers and scholars, 36. Catechisings, 12.

Value of Church building, \$2,000. Rectory, \$1,000. Total, \$3,000.

Receipts from all sources—Subscriptions, \$185.25. Donations, \$8.00. Offerings, \$52.45. Parish Aid Societies, Guilds, etc., \$80. Sunday Schools, \$15. Total, \$340.70.

Expenditures—Parochial: Current expenses, \$50.85. Repairs, \$40. Payment of debts, \$40. Rector's salary paid, \$185.25. Sunday School expenses, \$15. Total, \$331.10. Diocesan: Council Fund, \$1.00. Bishop's, salary, \$3.00. Diocesan Missionary Board Fund, \$11.20. Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund, \$2.50. Total, \$17.70. Grand total, \$348.80.

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

This Parish is holding its own and gaining some. A class awaits Confirmation a fortnight hence which will increase the number of Communicants from 24 to about 30. The interest of the congregation is manifest in a very steady attendance, and is rather *increasing* than *diminishing*; and withal church work is prospering here as well as could be expected in a village, that, while increasing steadily, yet is sending year by year many families to the larger cities.

Respectfully,

R. R. GOUDY.

Brownton, Population 375, McLeod County. S. MARY'S CHURCH; The Rev. A. D. J. KUHEN, Rector (Glencoe P. O.)

Pews free. No. sittings, 35. No. families, 8. Individuals, 28. Baptisms (inf. 5, ad. 4), 9. Confirmed persons last report, 4. Added by Confirmation, 4. Communicants (f.) 11. Communicating during year (f.) 11. Holy Communion administered (pub.) 6. Public services (Sundays 22, other days 18), 40. Burials, 2. Sunday School teachers (m. 1, f. 2), 3. Scholars, (m. 4, f. 12), 16. Catechisings, 15. S. S. Library books, 60.

Expenditures—Parochial: Rector's salary paid, \$12.

Caledonia, Population about 1,000, Houston County. TRINITY CHURCH; The Rev. WM. P. TEN BROECK, Rector (P. O. La Crosse, Wis.); D. C. SPRAGUE, THOS. ABBOTTS, Wardens; JOHN TARR, Treas.; THOS. ABBOTTS, S. S. Supt.; HUDSON WHEATON, Clerk of Vestry.

Pews free. No. sittings, 140. No. families, 15. Individuals, 32. Confirmation (m. 1, f. 3), 4. Confirmed persons last report, 4. Added by Confirmation, 4.

Totals: (a.) Lost for death, 10. Present No. (m. 10, f. 22), 32. Communicants (m. 10, f. 22), 32. Communicating during the year (m. 8, f. 18), 26. Holy Communion administered (pub. 7, public worship (Sundays) 3, other days 14), 21. Sunday School teachers (m. 1, f. 3), 4. Scholars (m. 21, f. 20), 41. Total teachers, officers and scholars, 45. S. S. Library books, 10.

Value of Church building, \$2,500. Lots upon which church stands, \$30. Total, \$2,530.

Receipts from all sources—Communications, \$7.75. Subscriptions, \$97.25. Offerings, \$28.00. Sunday School, \$11.04. Total, \$121.48.

Expenses—Parochial: Current expenses, \$3.78. Rector's salary paid, \$275.00. Fuel, heat, light, water, rent, \$15. Diocesan, \$99.95. Diocesan Council Fund, \$1.00. Bishop's salary, \$5.00. Diocesan Missionary Board Fund, \$1.00. Other diocesan work, \$2.00. Total, \$317. Grand total, \$107.98.

Clinton Falls, Population 1,200, Goodhue County. CHURCH OF THE REDEMPTION: **Rev. J. H. DICKIN,** Rector; **J. M. WHEAT,** Warden; **ARTHUR CHARD,** Lay Reader; **Wm. TANNER,** Treasurer and Clerk of Vestry.

Present: No. sittings, 42. Individuals, 187. Baptisms (inf. 6, ad. 2), 8. Confirmations (inf. 2, Communicating during year, 35. Sunday School teachers (m. 1, f. 3), 4. Scholars (m. 21, f. 20), 41. Total, teachers, officers and scholars, 45. Church building, 12.

Value of Church building, \$4,000. Rectory, \$1,000. Total, \$5,000.

Receipts from all sources—Offerings, \$254.08. Parish Aid Societies, Guild, etc., \$14.75. Sunday School, \$24.00. Special offering for Children's Aid Society, \$4.00. Total, \$336.83.

Expenses—Parochial: Rectory repairs, \$24. Rector's salary paid, \$211. Sunday School expenses, \$58.74. Total, \$293.74. Diocesan: Council Fund, \$1.00. Bishop's salary, \$5.00. Diocesan Missionary Board Fund, \$1.00. Children's Aid Society of Minnesota, \$4.00. Total, \$37. General: Domestic and Foreign Missions, \$194.72. Grand total, \$545.47.

Chatfield, Population 1,500, Fillmore County. S. MATTHEW'S CHURCH: **The Rev. S. PRITCHARD,** Rector; **C. CALOW,** Treas.; **T. A. WOODRUFF,** Clerk of Vestry; **Rev. S. PRITCHARD,** S. S. Supt.; **L. WYLLIE,** Assistant S. S. Supt.

Present: No. sittings, 150. Rector's salary, \$350. No. families, 33. Individuals (about) 90. Baptisms (inf. 2, ad. 4), 6. Confirmations (f.) 2. Confirmed persons last report, 4. Added by Confirmation, 2. Total, 10. Communicants (m. 8, f. 20), 28. Holy Communion administered (pub. 12, private 2), 14. Public services (Sundays 52, other days 10), 62. Sunday School teachers (m. 2, f. 4), 6. Scholars, 45. Total, teachers, officers and scholars, 51. S. S. Library books, 300.

Value of Church building, \$400. Lots on which church stands, \$250. Total, \$650.

Receipts from all sources—Total, \$500.

Corbridge, Population 100, Le Sueur County. CHRIST CHURCH: **The Rev. V. L. TASON,** Rector (Waterville, P. O.); **JAMES FLOYD,** Warden; **THOMAS PRITCH,** Treas.; **NERT BURGESS,** Clerk of Vestry.

Present: No. sittings, 100. Rector's salary, \$100. No. families, 17. Individuals, 71. Baptisms (m. 1), 1. Confirmations, 4. Confirmed persons last report, 1. Added by Confirmation, 4. Total, 41. Lost by transfer and other causes, 1. Present No. (m. 20, f. 18), 41. Communicants (m. 6, f. 16), 22. Public services (Sundays) 17.

Value of Church building, \$1,000.

Receipts from all sources—Subscriptions, \$85.12. Offerings, \$14.88. Total, \$100.

Expenses—Parochial: Rector's salary paid, \$100. General: June 9th, 1896, cash, \$2.25 for Bishop's Emergency Fund. Grand total, \$102.25.

Corinna, Wright County. S. MARK'S CHURCH (Clearwater P. O.)

Present: No. sittings, 40. No. families, 6. Individuals, 35. Baptisms (inf. 6, ad. 5), 11. Holy Communion administered, 5. Public services (Sundays) 13.

Value of Church building, \$1,000. Lots upon which church stands, \$100. Total, \$1,100.

Expenditures—Parochial: Expenses, \$6.00. Diocesan: Bishop's salary, \$5.00. Grand total, \$11.

Dakota, Population 300, Winona County. S. JOHN'S CHURCH; The Rev. THOS. K. ALLEN, Rector (No. 133 South Fourth St., La Crosse, Wis.); NOAH BROWN, Sr., CHARLES WORKMAN, Wardens; NOAH BROWN, Jr., Treas.

No. families, 15. Individuals, 60. Confirmations (m. 1, f. 1), 2. Confirmed persons last report, 13. Added by Confirmation, 2. Total, 15. Total lost, 1. Present No. (m. 3, f. 10), 13. Communicants (m. 3, f. 10), 13. Communicating during year, (m. 5, f. 17), 22. Holy Communion administered (pub.) 4. Public services (Sundays 12, other days 3), 15. Marriages, 1. Catechisings, 8.

Value of Church building, \$1,000. Lots upon which church stands, \$100. Total, \$1,100.

Receipts from all sources—Balance from last report, \$8.00. Subscriptions, \$1,000. Total, \$1,008.

Expenditures—Parochial: Church building, \$1,000. Rector's salary paid, \$50. Bishop Gilbert's Special Needs Fund, \$3.66. Total, \$1,053.66. Diocesan: Council Fund, \$1.00. Bishop's salary, \$3.00. Diocesan Missionary Board Fund, \$3.00. Total, \$7.00. Grand total, \$1,060.66.

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

We have built a new church during the last year, which cost about \$1,000, which has all been paid for, with a balance of \$8.00 in the treasury. The congregations are generally very good.

Faithfully,

THOS. K. ALLEN.

Delano, Population 1,000. HOLY SPIRIT MISSION; The Rev. FRANK R. MILLSPAUGH, Priest (P.O., Minneapolis); ANDREW ADAMS, Lay Reader.

No. families, 15. Individuals, 40. Baptisms (ad.) 10. Confirmations, 12. Communicants, 27.

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

One of the most remarkable experiences of my ministry was here. After one service eight persons asked for Baptism. The people have subscribed \$100 for one Sunday service a month.

Obediently,

FRANK R. MILLSPAUGH.

Detroit, Population 1,200. The Rev. THOS. E. DICKEY, Rector; H. A. BOWMAN, Treas.; THOS. RULE and H. E. SARGENT, Clerks of Vestry; MRS. GRIFFEN, S. S. Supt.

Pews free. No. sittings, 120. Rector's salary, \$54.20. Present No. confirmed persons (m. 5, f. 27), 32. Communicants (m. 3, f. 16), 19. Communicating during year (m. 3, f. 16), 19. Holy Communion administered (pub.), 3. Public services (Sundays) 26. Sunday School teachers (f.) 5. Scholars (m. 18, f. 32), 50. Total, teachers, officers and scholars, \$55. Catechisings, 3.

Value of Church building, \$2,000. Lots upon which church stands, \$300. Total, \$2,300.

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

This is only a partial report from Detroit for the seven months I have been holding services there. I have not been able to get from the treasurer any statement of the finances. I received a check from Mr. H. E. Sargent for \$50, and from the Mission, \$4.20. My expenses there in doing the work have been \$45.20. There is but little interest in church work at Detroit.

THOS. E. DICKEY.

Dresbach, Population 300, Winona County. S. JAMES' CHURCH; The Rev. THOS. K. ALLEN, Rector; (No. 133 South Fourth St., La Crosse); CHARLES R. CONWAY, Warden; GILBERT JOHNSON, Treas.; REYNOLD KEMP, Clerk.

Rector's salary, \$50. No. families, 15. Individuals, 50. Baptisms (inf. 6,

ad. 2), 8. Confirmations (f.) 5. Confirmed persons last report, 25. Added by Confirmation, 5. Lost by transfer and otherwise, 7. Present No. (m. 3. f. 17), 20. Communicants (m. 3. f. 17), 20. Communicating during year (m. 10. f. 59), 69. Holy Communion administered (pub.) 8. Public services (Sundays 14, other days 2), 16. Burials, 1. Catechisings, 6.

Expenditures—Parochial: Rector's salary paid, \$50. Bishop Gilbert's Special Needs Fund, \$4.16. Total, \$54.16. Diocesan: Council Fund, \$1. Bishop's salary, \$3. Diocesan Missionary Board Fund, \$3.00. Total, \$7.00. Grand total, \$61.16.

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

We are just about to begin the erection of a church building. The lot I think has been secured and I have solicited and collected nearly \$300 for that purpose. The Church people are anxious to have a Sunday School which will be organized very soon. We have lost during the last year 7 Communicants by removal.

Sincerely,

THOS. K. ALLEN.

Duluth, Population 45,000, St. Louis County. S. PAUL'S CHURCH:
The Rev. WILLIAM M. BARKER, Rector; (No 213 Lake Ave.); F. W. PAINE,
D. B. SMITH, Wardens; D. B. SMITH, Clerk of Vestry. F. W. PAINE,
Treas.; B. HOGAN. S. S. Supt.;

Pews rented. No. sittings, 275. Rector's salary, \$2,000. Baptisms, (inf. 22, ad. 6), 28. Confirmations (m. 10, f. 20), 30. Added by Confirmation, 30. Present No. (estimated), 275. Communicating during year (estimated), 200. Holy Communion administered (pub.), 63. Public services (Sundays 152, other days 101), 253. Marriages, 8. Churchings, 1. Burials, 11. Sunday School teachers (m. 4, f. 9), 13. Other officers (m.) 3. Scholars (m. 45, f. 70), 115. Total teachers, officers, and scholars, 131. Catechisings every Sunday. S. S. Library books, 200.

Value of Church building, \$10,000. Rectory, \$3,500. Lots upon which church stands, \$20,000. Total, \$33,500.

Indebtedness—\$1,200.

Receipts from all sources—Communion alms, \$227.20. Pew rents, \$2,907.42. Donations, \$102. Offerings, \$1,596.63. Parish Aid Societies, Guilds, etc., \$442.82. Sunday School, \$98.69. Sunday School Mite Boxes, \$68.53. Missionary Boxes, \$30.95. Easter offering for debt, \$4,160.06. Total, \$9,912.30.

Expenditures—Parochial: Current expenses, \$2,139.80. Repairs, \$406.74. Payment of debts, \$4,006.35. Rector's salary paid, \$2,000. Sunday School expenses, \$23.13. Sunday School Library, \$57.65. Total, \$8,653.67. Diocesan: Council Fund, \$25. Bishop's salary, \$50. Diocesan Missionary Board Fund, \$30. Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund, \$10. Sheltering Arms, \$8.16. S. Luke's Hospital, Duluth, \$5. Bishop's Special Needs Fund, \$60. Salary Diocesan Missionary, \$25. Total, \$307.81. General: Domestic Missions, \$68.03. Good Samaritan Hospital, Portland, Oregon, \$8. Johnstown sufferers, \$94.45. Missionary Boxes, \$30.95. Total, \$479.43. Grand total, \$9,440.91.

Dundas, Population 500, Rye County. HOLY CROSS CHURCH; JAMES McCADAM and W. D. TAYLOR, Wardens; W. D. TAYLOR, Treas.

Pew rents. No sittings, 200. Rector's salary, \$200 per year. No. families, 7. Individuals 11. Adults. Lost by death, 1. Present No. Confirmed persons (m. 4, f. 1), 5. Communicants = 5. Public services (Sundays), 27. Burials, 2.

Receipts from all sources—Subscriptions, \$150 (about). Offerings, \$28.47. Total, \$178.47.

Expenditures—Parochial: Current expenses, \$24.12.

Excelsior, Population 500, Hennepin County. TRINITY CHURCH:
The Rev. FRANK N. MULLSPAUGH, Priest, (1215 Hawthorn Ave.);
F. H. HOLMKNOW, Jr., Lay Reader.

No. families, 3. Individuals, 15. Holy Communion administered, 1. Public services, 15.

Value of Church building, \$1,000. Lots upon which church stands, \$1,000. Total, \$2,000.

Receipts from all sources—Offerings, \$87.67.
Expenditures—Parochial: Current expenses, \$21.29. Repairs, \$66.28. Total, \$87.57. Diocesan: Bishop's salary, \$50. Diocesan Missionary Board Fund, \$100. Total, \$150. Grand total, \$237.57.

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

This lakeside church, like Camp Chapel, is supplied by a different clergyman each Sunday. Great improvements have been made in the church and a Communion service given. These are due to the exertions of Mr. Holbrook who has his cottage near.

Obediently,

FRANK R. MILLSPAUGH.

Elysian, Population 400, Le Sueur County. GRACE CHURCH; The Rev. J. CORNELL, Rector; (Janesville P. O.); GEO. E. RAY, Warden; M. STERLING, Clerk of Vestry and S. S. Supt.

Pews free. No. sittings, 100. No. families, 18. Individuals, 75. Baptisms (inf.), 1. Confirmations (m. 2, f. 1), 3. Confirmed persons last report, 28. Added by Confirmation, 3. Added by transfer and otherwise, 1. Total, 4. Lost by transfer and otherwise, 1. Present No. (m. 10, f. 20), 30. Communicants (m. 10, f. 20), 30. Communicating during year (m. 6, f. 14), 20. Holy Communion administered (pub.), 5. Public services (Sundays, 32, other days, 1), 33. Sunday School teachers (m. 1, f. 4), 5. Other officers (m.), 2, scholars (m. 15, f. 16), 31. Total teachers, officers and scholars, 38. Catechisings, 10.

Value of Church building, \$2,000. Lots upon which church stands, \$200. Total, \$2,200.

Indebtedness—\$179.

Receipts from all sources—Offerings, \$27.43. Parish Aid Societies, Guilds, etc., \$128.66. Sunday School, \$21.73. Total, \$177.82.

Expenditures—Parochial: Current expenses, \$3.75. Repairs, \$10.25. Church building, \$104.96. Rector's salary paid, \$27.43. Sunday School expense, \$6.43. Insurance, \$22. Total, \$174.82. Diocesan: Council Fund, \$1.00. Bishop's salary, \$1.00. Diocesan Missionary Board Fund, \$4.00. Total, \$6.00. Grand total, \$180.82.

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

The church has been finished on the inside, and is ready for seating. We hoped to incur little or no debt in what improvements we made last summer, but we could not control it. We hope however, please God, to have things in better shape by next council.

Faithfully Yours,

J. CORNELL.

Faribault, Population 7,000, Rice County. CATHEDRAL OF OUR MERCIFUL SAVIOUR; The Rev. WM. GARDAM, Rector; A. E. HAVEN, S. C. CROCKER, Wardens; E. H. STANLEY, Treas.; C. M. WHITNEY, Clerk of Vestry; Rector, S. S. Supt.; FRANK PARSHALL, Lay Reader.

Pews free. No. sittings, 700. Rector's salary, \$1,000, and house. No. families, 162. Individuals, 721. Baptisms (inf. 15, ad. 4), 19. Confirmations (m. 13, f. 21), 34. Confirmed persons last report, 306. Added by Confirmation, 34. Added by transfer and otherwise, 9. Total, 349. Lost by death, 4. Lost by transfer and otherwise, 9. Total lost, 13. Present No., 336. Holy Communion administered (pub. 92, private 6), 98. Public services (Sundays 156, other days 167), 323. Marriages, 7. Burials, 18. Sunday School teachers (m. 1, f. 9), 10. Other officers (m. 4, f. 2), 6. Scholars, 150. Total teachers, officers and scholars, 166. Catechisings, 52. S. S. Library books, 300.

Value of Church property, \$78,500.

Receipts from all sources—Communion alms, \$157.88. Subscriptions, \$1,618.75. Offerings, \$822.59. Parish Aid Societies, Guilds, etc., \$359.51. Sunday School, \$121.37. Total, \$3,080.10.

Expenditures—Parochial: Current expenses, \$958.88. Rector's salary paid, \$1,240. Sunday School expenses, \$68.47. Poor (Charitable work), \$161.66. Total, \$2,429.01. Diocesan: Council Fund, \$30. Bishop's salary, \$150. Diocesan Missions, \$250. Sheltering Arms, \$22. Other Mission work, \$50. Total, \$522. General: Domestic Missions, \$92.46. Foreign Missions, \$10. Woman's Auxiliary, \$70. Miscellaneous, \$23.11. Total, \$195.57. Grand total, \$3,126.58.

Faribault, Population 7,000, Rice County. MEMORIAL CHAPEL OF GOOD SHEPHERD; The Rev. JAMES DOBBIN, D. D., Rector; The Rev. GEO. C. TANNER, Assistant Minister.

Pews free. No. sittings, 300. Baptisms (inf. 2, ad. 6), 8. Confirmations (m.)

9. Confirmed persons last report, 68. Added by Confirmation, 11. Added by transfer and otherwise, 16. Total, 93. Lost by transfer and otherwise, 24. Present No. (m. 64, f. 7), 71. Communicants (m. 64, f. 7), 71. Communicating during year (m. 64, f. 7), 71. Holy Communion administered (pub.) 37. Public services (Sundays 76, other days 263), 339. Marriages, 2. Sunday School teachers (m.), 3. Scholars (m.), 204. Total teachers, officers and scholars, 207.

Value of Chapel, \$30,000. School or College buildings, \$228,000. Grounds and other property, \$55,000. Total, \$313,000.

Receipts from all sources—Communion alms, \$40.66. Offerings, \$270.41. Several boxes and barrels of clothing were contributed by the teachers and pupils for the Dakota sufferers.

Expenditures—Parochial: Support of Cathedral services reported by the Parish of the Good Shepherd. Total, \$250. Diocesan: Bishop's salary, \$75.00. Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund, \$5.41. Diocesan education (Seabury Divinity), \$10. Total, \$215.41. General: Domestic Missions, \$15. Foreign Missions, \$15. Missionary work among the Jews, \$10. Rebuilding church destroyed in Louisville, Ky., \$15. Total, \$55. Grand total, \$270.41.

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

As usual my time has been wholly occupied with my exacting duties as Rector of Shattuck School. I have also during the year held services and preached at Excelsior, Minnetonka, Minneapolis, Red Wing, Niles, Mich., Salem, N. Y., and have preached occasionally at the Cathedral, besides assisting uniformly in the services.

JAMES DOBBIN.

Faribault, Rice County. S. MARY'S HALL; The REV. E. STEELE PEAKE, Chaplain.

Chaplain's salary, \$1,000. Baptisms (ad.) 4. Confirmations, 4. Services daily.

Value of School buildings, \$114,000. Grounds and other property, \$20,000. Total, \$134,000.

Expenditures—Offerings poor, \$15. Other expenses, \$10. Bishop's salary, \$40. Diocesan Board Fund, \$50. Missions, boxes, donations, etc., \$235. Total, \$350.

Fairmont, Population 1,200, Martin County. S. MARTIN'S CHURCH; The REV. A. S. H. WINSOR, Rector; J. A. SINCLAIR, W. C. GAMBLE, Wardens; J. A. SINCLAIR, Treas.; H. W. SINCLAIR, Clerk of Vestry.

Pews free. No. sittings, 120. Rector's salary, \$800. No. families, 33. Individuals, 120. Baptisms (inf. 11, ad. 2), 13. Confirmed persons last report, 50. Added by transfer and otherwise, 5. Total, 55. Lost by death, 2. Lost by transfer and otherwise, 6. Total lost, 8. Present No. (m. 26, f. 27), 53. Communicants (m. 26, f. 27), 53. Communicating during the year (m. 14, f. 24), 38. Holy Communion administered (pub. 15, private 5), 20. Public services (Sundays 112, other days 62), 174. Churchings, 2. Burials, 2. Sunday School teachers (m. 2, f. 3), 5. Scholars (m. 8, f. 30), 38. Total teachers, officers and scholars, 43. Catechisings, 38.

Value of Church building, \$2,100. Rectory, \$2,000. Lots upon which church stands, \$400. Total, \$4,500.

Indebtedness—\$500.

Receipts from all sources—Balance from last report, \$7.89. Communion alms, \$42.42. Subscriptions, \$380. Donations, \$240. Offerings, \$191. Parish Aid Societies, Guilds, etc., \$202.90. Sunday School, \$20. From Diocesan Board of Missions, \$250. Mite Chests, \$4.50. Total, \$1,345.71.

Expenditures—Parochial: Current expenses, \$105.45. Payment of debts, \$124. Rectory building, \$300. Rector's salary paid, \$740. Sunday School expense, \$20. Church or Mission work in Parish, \$14. Total, \$1,303.45. Diocesan Council Fund, \$5.00. Bishop's salary, \$8.00. Diocesan Missionary Fund, \$10. Sheltering Arms, \$1.75. Special Needs Fund, \$5.15. Total, \$29.90. General: Domestic Missions, \$3.50. Foreign Missions, \$3.50. Woman's Auxillary, \$4.50. Total, \$11.50. Grand total, \$1,344.85.

Fergus Falls, Population 4,500, Otter Tail County. S. JAMES' CHURCH; The REV. CHARLES C. ROLLIT, Minister in Charge; JAMES A. BROWN, GEO. T. COWING, Wardens; A. J. GRANT, Treas.; GEO. B. LOWRY, Clerk of Vestry.

Pews free. No. sittings, 300. Rector's salary, \$400. No. families, 58. Individuals, 204. Baptisms (inf. 13, ad. 2), 15. Present No. Confirmed persons, 75. Communicating during year, 55. Public services (Sundays 88, other days 9), 97. Marriages, 3. Burials, 1. Teachers (f.) 4. Other officers (f.) 2. Scholars, 50. Total teachers, officers and scholars, 56. Catechisings, 4.

Value of Church building, \$3,000. Lots upon which church stands, \$500. Total, \$3,500.

Indebtedness—\$1,200.

Receipts from all sources—\$1,144.81.

Fridley Park, Population about 150 in Vicinity, Anoka County. HOLY TRINITY CHURCH; The Rev. A. J. GRAHAM, Priest in Charge; (No. 408 Fourth st. S. E. Minneapolis); MRS. GEO. CUMMINGHAM, Secretary of Society; S. HUSTON, S. S. Supt.; S. H. ADAMS. F. D. CARSON, JNO. SOPER, Lay Readers.

Pews free. No. sittings, 80. No. families, 7. Individuals, 37. Baptisms (inf.) 2. Confirmed persons last report, 7. Present No., 7. Communicants (f.), 7. Communicating during the year (f.) 5. Holy Communion administered (pub.) 2. Public services (Sundays) 28. Marriages, 1. Sunday School teachers (f.) 4. Other officers (f.) 1. Scholars (m. 8, f. 17), 25. Total teachers, officers and scholars, 30. Catechisings, 7. S. S. Library books, 35.

Value of Church building, \$500. Lots upon which church stands, \$100. Total, \$600.

Receipts from all sources—Offerings, \$40. Parish Aid Societies, Guilds, etc., \$73. Total, \$113.

Expenditures—Parochial: Current expenses, \$18.25. Payment of debts, \$35. (on organ). Sunday School expenses, \$8.80. Other expenses, \$4.50. Total, \$61.55. Diocesan: General Missionary, \$5.00. Grand total, \$66.55.

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

The few people at Fridley Park are most faithful under trying circumstances. I hope that some arrangement may be made the next year, with our city Missionary, to hold services there twice a month.

Glencoe, Population 2,000, McLeod County. CHRIST CHURCH; The Rev. A. J. D. KUEHN, Rector and S. S. Supt.

Pews free. No. sittings, 350. No. families, 15. Individuals, 45. Baptisms (inf. 15, ad. 7), 22. Confirmations (m. 1, f. 1), 2. Confirmed persons last report, 7. Added by Confirmation, 11. Lost by death, 2. Lost by transfer and otherwise, 14. Total lost, 22. Present No. (m. 11, f. 34), 45. Communicants (m. 11, f. 34), 45. Communicating during year (m. 8, f. 14), 22. Holy Communion administered (pub. 9, private 4), 13. Public services (Sundays 89, other days 32), 121. Marriages, 2. Burials, 2. Sunday School teachers (m. 2, f. 2), 4. Scholars (m. 18, f. 24), 42. Total teachers, officers and scholars, 44. Catechisings, 18. S. S. Library books, 350.

Value of Church building, \$2,300. Rectory, \$1,300. Lots upon which church stands, \$300. Total, \$3,600.

Expenditures—Parochial: Current expenses, \$14. Repairs, \$16.50. Rector's salary paid, \$55. Other expenses, \$3.40. Total, \$88.90. Diocesan: Bishop's salary, \$2.00. General: Domestic Missions, \$2.60. Foreign Missions, \$1.80. Total, \$4.40. Grand total, \$95.30.

Glenwood, Population 800, Pope County. S. PAUL'S CHURCH; The Rev. MARK JUKES, Rector; (Alexandria P. O.); THOS. SCHWEGER, JOS. PEACOCK, GEO. THACKER, TRACEY P. PETERSON, Bishop's Committee; JOS. PEACOCK, Treas.; GEO. THACKER, Clerk of Vestry; MISS F. CHANDLER, S. S. Supt.

Rector's salary, \$250. No. families, 7. Individuals, 32. Baptisms (inf.) 3. Confirmations (f.) 1. Confirmed persons last report, 10. Added by Confirmation, 1. Total, 11. Communicants (m. 4, f. 7), 11. Communicating during year (m. 2, f. 7), 9. Holy Communion administered (pub.) 11. Public services (Sundays 49, other days 2), 51. Marriages, 1.

Value of lots for Church, \$300. Grounds and other property, \$50. Total, \$350.

Indebtedness—\$37.

Receipts from all sources—Subscription, \$197.50. Donations, \$80. Offerings, \$74.60. Parish Aid Societies, Guilds, etc., \$212.56. Sunday Schools, \$24.66. Total, \$589.32.

Expenditures—Parochial: Current expenses, \$22.72. Rector's salary paid, \$250. Sunday School expense, \$20.22. Bishop Gilbert's Special Needs Fund, \$4.68. Purchase of Church site, \$263. Total, \$560.62. Diocesan: Council Fund, \$1.00. Bishop's salary, \$2.00. Diocesan Missionary Board Fund, \$2.00. Total, \$5.00. General: Woman's Auxillary, \$8.16. Grand total, \$573.78.

The numbers of Communicants is approximate.

Granite Falls, Population 1,200, Yellow Medicine County. TRINITY CHURCH; The Rev. JAS. B. HALSEY, Rector; JACOB COOKE, JOHN WINTER, Wardens; F. H. WELLCOME, Treas.; D. A. McLARTY, Clerk of Vestry; JACOB COOKE, S. S. Supt. and Lay Reader.

Pews free. No. sittings, 125. Rector's salary, \$450. No. families, 26. Individuals, 88. Baptisms (inf. 9, ad. 2), 11. Confirmations (f.) 5. Confirmed persons last report, 26. Added by Confirmation, 5. Total, 31. Present No. (m. 8, f. 23), 31. Communicants (m. 7, f. 23), 30. Communicating during the year (m. 4, f. 22), 26. Holy Communion administered 6 times. Public services (Sundays 80, other days 38), 118. Burials, 1. Sunday School teachers (m. 1, f. 6), 7. Scholars, 45. Total teachers, officers and scholars, 53. Catechising, 12. S. S. Library books, 50.

Value of Church building, \$2,300. Lots upon which church stands, \$300. Total, \$2,600.

Indebtedness—\$500.

Receipts from all sources—Subscriptions, \$1,525.65. Donations, \$450. Offerings, \$61.51. Parish Aid Societies, Guilds, etc., \$250. Sunday School, \$9.00. (a gift from the Sunday School to the church). Total, \$2,296.16.

Expenditures—Parochial: Current expenses, \$32. Church building, \$1,800. Rector's salary paid, \$412.50. Total, \$2,244.50. Diocesan: Council Fund, \$2.00. Bishop's salary, \$2.00. Diocesan Missionary Board Fund, \$6.00. Other Mission work, \$8.78. Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund, \$3.00. Diocesan Education (Seabury Divinity School), \$2.81. Sheltering Arms, \$3.80. Total, \$28.39. General: Domestic Missions, \$1.50. Foreign Missions, \$1.50. Miscellaneous, \$1.66. Total, \$4.66. Grand total, \$2,277.55.

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

The energies of the Parish have been taxed during the last year in building the Church. It has been the aim to clear all expenses outside of a \$500 loan from the Church Building Fund. This has been done with a nominal balance. The Church was opened Low Sunday, April 13, 1890. The Sunday School is self-sustaining; the running expenses do not appear.

The items from Parish Register are accurately given from July 1st, 1889, when the present incumbent became Rector.

Faithfully Yours,

JAS. BIDDLE HALSEY, Deacon.

Hassan, Population 200, Hennepin County. S. JOHN THE EVANGELIST CHURCH; The Rev. FRANK R. MILLSPAUGH, Priest (1215 Hawthorn ave. Minneapolis); S. PARLOW, Warden; W. M. PARLOW, Treas.

Pews free. No. sittings, 60. No. families, 12. Individuals, 75. Baptisms (inf.) 2. Communicants, 23. Communicating during year, 18. Holy Communion administered, 3. Public services (Sundays 2, other days 8), 10. Sunday School scholars, 20.

Value of Church building, \$500. Lots upon which church stands, \$250. Total, \$750.

Receipts from all sources—Balance from last report, \$19. Subscriptions, \$15. Offerings, \$11.84. Total, \$45.84.

Expenditures—Parochial: Current expenses, \$11.94. Diocesan: Council Fund, \$1.50. Other Mission work, \$6.57. Total, \$8.07. General: Domestic Missions, \$4.90. Grand total, \$24.90.

This old parish, made up of a few families of farmers, have subscribed \$100 towards one Sunday service in the month.

Obediently,

FRANK R. MILLSPAUGH.

Hastings, Population 4,000, Dakota County. S. LUKE'S CHURCH; The Rev. EDWARD MOYSES, Rector; JOHN R. CLAGETT, LOUIS S. FOLLETT, Wardens; F. E. ESTERGREEN, Treas.; JOHN F. NORISH, Clerk of Vestry; RECTOR, S. S. Supt.

Pews free. No. sittings, 200. No. families, 80. Individuals, 375. Baptisms (inf. 13, ad. 1), 14. Confirmations (m. 6, f. 11), 17. Confirmed persons last report, 103. Added by Confirmation, 17. Added by transfer and otherwise, 15. Total, 135. Lost by death, 4. Lost by transfer and otherwise, 6. Total lost, 10. Present No. (m. 43, f. 87), 130. Communicants (m. 31, f. 94), 125. Communicating during year (m. 23, f. 82), 105. Holy Communion administered (pub. 57, private 5), 62. Public services (Sundays 131, other days 135), 266. Marriages, 4. Burials, 10. Sunday School teachers (m. 2, f. 5), 7. Other officers (m. 1, f. 1) 2. Scholars (m. 30, f. 45), 75. Total teachers, officers and scholars, 79. Catechisms, 30. S. S. Library books, 20.

Value of Church building, \$7,000. Lots upon which church stands, \$3,000. Total, \$10,000.

Receipts from all sources—Communion alms, \$18.25. Subscriptions, \$819.92. Offerings, \$121.85. Parish Aid Societies, Guilds, etc., \$576.51. Sunday School, \$23. Total, \$1,559.53.

Expenditures—Parochial: Current expenses, \$1,080.91. Repairs, \$13.20. Sunday School expense, \$23. Poor (Charitable work), \$28.25. Other expenses, \$226.17. Credence Bracket, \$17.50. Total, \$1,389.03. Diocesan: Council Fund, \$9.00. Bishop's salary, \$26. Diocesan Missionary Board Fund, \$36. Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund, \$7.24. Sheltering Arms, \$2.25. Special Needs Fund, \$8.75. Total, \$89.24. General: Domestic Missions, \$10.77. Foreign Missions, \$10.77. Woman's Auxillary, \$50. (box). American Church Building Fund, \$2.00. Bible and Prayer Book Society, \$2.00. Jews, \$2.72. Clergyman's Retiring Fund Society, \$3.00. Total, \$81.26. Grand total, \$1,559.53.

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

The Credence Bracket, used for the first time on Christmas Day, was a gift from the Boys Industrial Guild.

A beautiful altar cloth, used for the first time on Easter Day, was a gift from Mrs. Edward Vose. I have read service and preached once in S. Paul's Church, St. Paul, once in Lake City and once in Farmington. I also officiated on two Sundays in Bloomington, Illinois. I have been absent from my own Parish three Sundays, the Rev. Mr. Williamson kindly taking my place. I have made 412 calls. Of the amount given for Foreign and Domestic Missions \$16.54 was the Sunday School Lenten offerings.

Henderson, Population 1,000, Sibley County. S. LUKE'S CHURCH; The Rev. C. M. PULLEN, Rector (Shakopee P. O.); E. S. WELCH and A. H. POEHLER, Wardens; CHARLES G. WILCOX, Treas. and Clerk of Vestry.

Pews free. No. sittings, 100. Rector's salary, \$300. No. families, 22. Individuals, 95. Confirmations (f.) 6. Confirmed persons last report, 36. Added by Confirmation, 6. Total, 42. Lost by death, 1. Present No. (m. 10, f. 31), 41. Communicants (m. 10, f. 31), 41. Holy Communion administered (pub.) 1. Public services (Sundays 10, other days 12), 22.

Value of Church building, \$1,200. Lots upon which church stands, \$250. Total, \$1,450.

Receipts from all sources—Subscriptions, \$95. Donations, \$8.75. Parish Aid Societies, Guilds, etc., \$410. Total, \$513.75.

Expenditures—Parochial: Rector's salary paid, \$103.75.

Howard Lake, Population 700, Wright County. ALL SAINTS' CHURCH; The Rev. A. G. PINKHAM, Rector (Litchfield P. O.)

Pews free. No. sittings, 150. No. families, 11. Individuals, 40. Baptisms (inf.) 1. Confirmations (f.) 3. Confirmed persons last report, 10. Added by Confirmation, 3. Total, 13. Present No. (f.) 13. Communicants (f.) 13. Communicating during year (f.) 9. Holy Communion administered, 2. Public services (week day) 39. Burials, 1.

Value of Church building, \$1,000. Grounds and other property, \$200. Total, \$1,200.

Receipts from all sources—Offerings, \$46.98. Parish Aid Societies, Guilds, etc., \$50. Total, \$96.98.

Expenditures—Parochial: Rector's salary paid, \$42.14. Other expenses, \$50. Total, \$92.14. Diocesan: Bishop's Special Needs Fund, \$4.84. Grand total, \$96.98.

Houston, Population 500, Houston County. OUR MERCIFUL SAVIOUR CHURCH; The Rev. THOS. K. ALLEN, Rector; (No. 134 South Fourth st., La Crosse, Wis.); EDWARD A. HORNER, Warden.

No. sittings, 100. Confirmed persons last report, 8. Communicants (m. 1, f. 6), 7. Value of Church building, \$800. Lots upon which church stands, \$150. Total, \$950.

Receipts from all sources—Balance from last report, \$4.02. Bishop Gilbert's Special Needs Fund, \$1.07. Total, \$5.09.

Expenditures—Parochial: Repairs, \$40. Rector's salary paid, \$3.95. Total, \$43.95.

I have only had the charge of this station since November last. The congregations have been good at every service and the interest manifested in regard to attention has been much better than when I had the charge a few years ago.

Sincerely,

THOS. K. ALLEN.

Janesville, Population 1,100, Waseca County. S. JOHN'S CHURCH; The Rev. J. CORNELL, Rector; D. J. DODGE, J. H. WILLIS, Wardens; D. J. DODGE, Treas.; J. H. WILLIS, Clerk of Vestry; J. CORNELL, S. S. Supt.

Pews free. No. sittings, 115. Rector's salary, \$400. No. families, 34. Individuals, 125. Baptisms (inf. 1, ad. 2), 3. Confirmations (f.) 4. Confirmed persons last report, 54. Added by Confirmation, 4. Added by transfer and otherwise, 9. Total, 13. Lost by death, 4. Lost by transfer and otherwise, 6. Total lost, 10. Present No. (m. 17, f. 40), 57. Communicants (m. 17, f. 40), 57. Communicating during year (m. 13, f. 37), 50. Holy Communion administered (pub. 25, private 3), 28. Public services (Sundays 69, other days 68), 137. Marriages, 3. Burials, 7. Sunday School teachers (f.) 6. Other officers (m.) 2. Scholars (m. 30, f. 20), 50. Total teachers, officers and scholars, 58. Catechisings, 45.

Value of Church building, \$2,000. Rectory, \$1,000. Lots upon which church stands, \$1,000. Total, \$4,000.

Receipts from all sources—Balance from last report, \$85.67. Subscriptions, \$494.52. Offerings, \$140.67. Parish Aid Societies, Guilds, etc., \$329.64. Sunday School, \$45.87. Total, \$1,096.37.

Expenditures—Parochial: Current expenses, \$26.45. Repairs, \$73.42. Rectory building, \$220. Rector's salary paid, \$500. Sunday School expense, \$38.13. Church work in Parish, \$27. Other expenses, \$58.20. Tax, \$13.35. Total, \$956.55. Diocesan: Council Fund, \$7.00. Bishop's salary, \$8.00. Diocesan Missionary Board Fund, \$10. Other Mission work, \$47.51. Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund, \$3.88. S. Barnabas' Hospital, \$10. Bishop Gilbert's Special Needs Fund, \$8.40. Total, \$94.79. General: Domestic Missions, \$1.43. Foreign Missions, \$1.42. Jews Missions, \$2.85. Total, \$5.34. Grand total, \$1,056.68.

RE. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

A beautiful oak altar in memory of A. W. Jennison, for many years senior Warden of S. John's, has been presented to the Church by the bereaved family. The \$45.50, noted as Mission work in the above, was the Lenten Offerings of Guilds and Sunday School for the work at Madison Lake. It is a pleasure to work in such a Parish as this where all are united and at peace with each other.

Yours Sincerely,

J. CORNELL.

Kasson, Population 1,100, Dodge County. S. PETER'S CHURCH; The Rev. W. H. H. ROSS, Rector; PETER PETERSON, Treas.; MRS. WILSON, Acting S. S. Supt.

Pews free. No. sittings, 125. Rector's salary, \$470. No. families, 23. Individuals, 75. Baptisms (inf.) 1. Confirmed persons last report, 26. Lost by transfer and otherwise, 9. Present No. (m. 9, f. 27), 36. Communicants (m. 11, f. 40), 51. Communicating during year (m. 9, f. 22), 31. Holy Communion administered (pub.) 9. Public services (Sundays 66, other days 12), 78. Burials, 1. Sunday

School teachers (f.) 6. Other officers (f.) 2. Scholars (m. 13, f. 17), 30. Total teachers, officers and scholars, 36. Catechisings, 8.
Value of Church building, \$3,000. Lots upon which church stands, \$200. Total, \$3,200.

Receipts from all sources—Communion Alms, \$6.92. Subscriptions, \$313.33. Offerings, \$109.27. Parish Aid Societies, etc., \$124.96. Sunday School, \$44.96. Total, \$599.44.

Expenditures—Parochial: Current expenses, \$60.88. Repairs, \$7.40. Rector's salary paid, \$313.33. Sunday School expenses, \$36.43. Poor (Charitable work), \$75. The sums paid to students and others for services from June 1, 1889, to October 1, 1890, is not known. Total, \$493.04. Diocesan: Council Fund, \$2.00. Bishop's salary, \$3.00. Diocesan Missionary Board Fund, \$4.00. Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund, \$3.33. Total, \$12.33. General: Domestic Missions, \$2.83. Bible and Prayer Book Society, \$3.43. Bishop Gilbert's Special Needs Fund, \$2.63. Total, \$8.88. Grand total, \$514.25.

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

My appointment to the "cure" of S. Peter's Church, Kasson, dates from Oct. 1st, 1889. Since which time two services have been held regularly on Sundays, as also the Sunday School, besides the proper observance of the great festivals and fasts, and services on Friday evenings during the Lenten season. The interior of the Church has been considerably improved by the addition of book racks, new Lectern, carpet, bible, prayer books, etc. Taking into consideration the fact that this Mission is suffering from the inevitable reaction of what may be termed a "boom" and the consequent variety of materials thus gathered, the work may be said to be in a fairly prosperous condition. What seems to be especially needed now is wholesome nourishment, more harmony, more "vital piety" and "more of the eleventh commandment." If these things be in "this people" and abound, their future will be bright with promise, "for they will neither be barren nor unfruitful in the knowledge of our Lord Jesus Christ."

Faithfully Yours,

W. H. H. ROSS.

Kenyon, Population 800, Goodhue County. ASCENSION CHURCH; S. A. BULLIS, Warden; S. A. BULLIS, Treas.; MRS. F. W. PATTRIDGE, S. S. Supt.; N. J. BOHLKE, Clerk of Vestry; JOHN WILLIAMS, Lay Reader.

Pews free. No. sittings 100. Rector's salary, \$600. No. families, 12. Individuals, 46. Baptisms, 6. Confirmations, 2. Confirmed persons last report, 48. Added by Confirmation, 2. Added by transfer and otherwise, 1. Total, 51. Lost by transfer and otherwise, 4. Present No. (m. 7, f. 16), 23. Communicants (m. 7, f. 16), 23. Communicating during year (m. 1, f. 14), 15. Holy Communion administered, 2. Public services (Sundays 93, other days 2), 95. Marriages, 1. Sunday School teachers, 7. Other officers, 1. Scholars (m. 20, f. 36), 56. Total teachers, officers and scholars, 64. Catechisings, 3. S. S. Library books, 150.

Value of Church building, \$1,400. Rectory, \$2,500. Lots upon which church stands, \$450. Grounds and other property, \$50. Total, \$4,400.

Receipts from all sources—Donations, \$30. Offerings, \$45.88. Parish Aid Society, \$67.10. Sunday School, \$40.10. Total, \$183.08.

Expenditures—Parochial: Current expenses, \$66.66. Rector's salary paid, \$305.34. Sunday School expenses, \$36.26. Other expenses, \$78. (for new organ). Total, \$486.26. Diocesan: Council Fund, \$3.00. Bishop's salary, \$2.00. Diocesan Missionary Fund, \$5.00. Total, \$10. Grand total, \$496.26.

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

Since January 1st the Church of the Ascension has been without a resident Clergyman. During the month of January there were no services. The Sunday School however continued its sessions. Since Feb. 2d, there have been services every Sunday morning and evening and also on Good Friday evening. Congregations have been comparatively large, earnest and attentive. A new organ has been purchased and paid for. Some improvements have been made on the interior in the matter of Lectern hangings, book-marks, etc. The people are proud of their church and year by year are striving to beautify it. Active interest in church work is regnant. A mistake seems to have been made in the number of Communicants reported last year which I have corrected.

JOHN A. WILLIAMS, Lay Reader.

Lake Benton, Population 700, Lincoln County. S. JOHN'S CHAPEL; JOS. D. GREENE, Lay Reader.

No. sittings, 108. No. families, 8. Individuals, 30. Baptisms (inf. 21, ad. 1, 22. Confirmations (m. 2, f. 2), 4. Confirmed persons last report, 5. Added by Confirmation, 4. Added by transfer and otherwise, 1. Total, 10. Lost by transfer and otherwise, 2. Present No. (m. 4, f. 5), 9. Communicants (m. 4, f. 5), 9. Holy Communion administered (pub.), 4. Public services (week days) 19. Burials, 1. Sunday School teachers (m. 1, f. 2), 3. Scholars (m. 11, f. 10), 21. Total, 24. Value of Church building, \$800. Lots upon which church stands, \$200. Total, \$1,000.

Indebtedness—\$250.

Receipts from all sources—Communion alms, \$10. Donations, \$400. Offerings, \$57.88. Parish Aid Society, \$37. Sunday School, \$26. Supper and sale of fancy articles, \$140. Fuel, \$6.00. Hanging lamps, \$9.00. Total, \$685.88.

Expenditures—Parochial: Repairs, \$240. Payment of debts, \$100. Sunday School expense, \$40. Other expenses, \$17.88. Paid balance on organ, \$37. Church furniture, \$150. Total, \$584.88. Diocesan: Diocesan Missionary Board Fund, \$13. Diocesan Lenten Offerings \$17. Total, \$30. Grand total, \$614.88.

Lake Park, Population 400, Becker County. S. JOHN'S CHURCH: The Rev. THOS. E. DICKEY, Rector; (P. O. Moorhead); Rev. F. J. HAWLEY, D. D., Treas.; THOS. C. HAWLEY, Clerk of Vestry.

Rector's salary, \$32. No. families, 10. Individuals, 50. Public services (Sundays) 13.

Diocesan: Diocesan Missionary Board Fund, \$5.00. Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund, \$1.00. Total, \$6.00.

RE. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

There has been no pledge for a Missionary at Lake Park. The amount I have received has been from collections at services, which amount to \$32, over my expenses. Mr. T. H. Canfield and Mr. Thos. C. Hawley are very kind and helpful in this Mission.

THOS. E. DICKEY.

Besides the above the Rev. E. Steele Peake submits the following: for the three months of his charge, June 1 to Sept. 1, 1889: Baptisms (ad.) 1. Confirmations, 1. Public services, 7.

Le Sueur Center, Population 200, Le Sueur County. The Rev. WM. FUSON, Rector (Waterville P. O.); MR. F. PEPPER, MR. C. PURINGTON, Wardens; FRANK PEPPER, Treas.; C. PURINGTON, Clerk of Vestry.

Previous: Rector's salary, \$150. No. families, 15. Individuals, 40. Baptisms (inf. 1, ad. 1, 6. Confirmed persons last report, 46. Lost by death, 1. Present No. (m. 15, f. 25), 40. Communicants (m. 10, f. 15), 25. Public services (Sundays) 35.

Receipts from all sources—Subscriptions, \$150.

Expenditures—Parochial: Rector's salary paid, \$150.

Litchfield, Population 2,300, Meeker County. TRINITY CHURCH: The Rev. ALFRED PINKHAM, Rector; CHAS. H. STROBECK, JAS. H. MORRIS, WARDENS; HENRY SULLIVAN, Treas.; M. O. CATHCART, Clerk of Vestry; M. O. CATHCART, S. S. Sept.; CHAS. H. STROBECK, Lay Reader.

Previous: No. strings 250. Rector's salary, \$900. No. families, 69. Individuals, 200. Baptisms (inf. 1, ad. 3, 20. Confirmations (m. 4, f. 7), 11. Confirmed persons last report, 33. Added by Confirmation, 11. Added by transfer and otherwise, 1. Lost by death, 2. Lost by transfer and otherwise, 1. Present No. (m. 47, f. 80), 127. Communicants (m. 37, f. 67), 104. Holy Communion administered (pub.), 43, f. 75, 118. Holy Communion administered (pub.), 104. Public services (Sundays 104, other days 22), 126. Burials, 8. Sunday School teachers (m. 2, f. 7), 9. Total teachers, officers and scholars, 126. Church expenses, \$12.

Receipts from all sources—Chapel, \$450. Rector's salary, \$900. Lots upon which church stands, \$800. Other property, \$800. Total, \$7,050.

Expenditures—Parochial: Communion alms, \$31.30. Donations, \$50. From Parish Aid Societies, Guilds, etc., \$485. From other sources, \$1,000. Total, \$1,566.30. Mission Board, \$50. Lenten

Expenditures—Parochial: Current expenses, \$155.90. Repairs, \$6.50. Payment of debts, \$166.61. Church building, \$137.92. Rectory building, \$23.50. Rector's salary paid, \$900. Sunday School expense, \$79.24. Poor (Charitable work), \$125. Church or Mission work in Parish, \$25. Other expenses, \$19.75. Total, \$1,639.42. Diocesan: Council Fund, \$8.00. Bishop's salary, \$15. Diocesan Missionary Board Fund, \$31.25. Sheltering Arms, \$11.20. Bishop's Special Needs, \$17.60. Travelling Missionary, \$31.25. Total, \$114.30. General: Lenten Offerings, \$16.80. Promotion of Christianity among the Jews, \$3.00. Total, \$19.80. Grand total, \$1,773.52.

Little Falls, Population 3,000, Morrison County. CHURCH OF OUR SAVIOUR; The Rev. A. A. JOSS, Rector; E. ROTHWELL. T. C. GORDIN, Wardens; A. KENNER, Treas.; H. S. NOBLE, Clerk of Vestry; A. A. JOSS, S. S. Supt.

Pews free. No. sittings, 100. Rector's salary, \$1,000. No. families, 45. Individuals, 180. Baptisms (inf. 10, ad. 1), 11. Confirmations (m. 2, f. 5), 7. Added by transfer and otherwise, 3. Present No. (m. 16, f. 40), 56. Communicants (m. 20, f. 41), 61. Communicating during the year (m. 10, f. 30), 40. Marriages, 2. Burials, 3. Holy Communion administered (pub.) 14. Public services (Sundays 80, week days 30), 110. Sunday School teachers (m. 2, f. 5), 7. Scholars (m. 15, f. 25), 40. Total teachers, officers and scholars, 47. Catechisings, 40. Value of Church building, \$800. Rectory, \$800. Lots upon which church stands, \$1,000. Total, \$2,600.

Receipts from all sources—Communion alms, \$25. Subscriptions, \$1,000. Donations, \$250. Guilds, etc., \$500. Sunday School, \$45. Total, \$1,820.

Expenditures—Parochial: Current expenses, \$200. Repairs, \$500. Rector's salary paid, \$755. Sunday School expenses, \$45. Poor (Charitable work), \$10. Total, \$1,510. Diocesan: Council Fund, \$3.00. Diocesan Missionary Board Fund, \$17. Aged and Infirm Clergy, \$5.00. Total, \$25. Grand total, \$1,580.

Le Sueur, Population 1,500, Le Sueur County. S. JOHN'S CHURCH; The Rev. C. M. PULLEN, Rector; WM. PLOUGHMAN, Warden.

Pews free. No. sittings, 150. Rector's salary, \$300. No. families, 10. Individuals, 40. Confirmed persons last report, 26. Present No. (m. 7, f. 19), 26. Communicants (m. 5, f. 9), 14. Holy Communion administered (pub.) 2.

Value of Church building, \$1,400. Rectory, \$2,300. Total, \$3,700.

Receipts from all sources—Subscriptions, \$99.

Expenditures—Rector's salary paid, \$99.

Long Prairie, Population 1,000, Todd County. UNORGANIZED MISSION; The Rev. J. F. HAMILTON, Missionary (Sauk Center, P. O.)

No. families, 3. Individuals, 9. Present No. Confirmed (m. 2, f. 3), 5. Public services, 20.

Receipts from all sources—Offerings, \$26.75.

Expenditures—Parochial: Current expenses, \$13.22. Rector's salary paid, \$9.03. Bishop Gilbert's Special Needs, \$4.50. Total, \$26.75.

Luverne, Population 1,800, Rock County. HOLY TRINITY CHURCH; The Rev. C. S. WARE, Rector; N. R. REYNOLDS, Treas., S. S. Supt. and Lay Reader.

Pews free. No. sittings, 50. Rector's salary, \$400. No. families, 11. Individuals, 56. Baptisms (inf.) 2. Confirmations (m.) 1. Confirmed persons last report, 21. Added by Confirmation, 1. Added by transfer and otherwise, 4. Total, 26. Present No. (m. 8, f. 18), 26. Communicants (m. 4, f. 16), 20. Communicating during year (m. 2, f. 14), 16. Holy Communion administered (pub.) 14. Public services (Sundays 46, other days 14), 60. Sunday School teachers (m. 1, f. 4), 5. Scholars, 40. Total teachers, officers and scholars, 45. Catechisings, 6.

Value of lots and other property, \$500.

Receipts from all sources—Communion alms, \$12.75. Subscriptions, \$500. Offerings, \$48. Parish Aid Societies, Guilds, etc., \$125. Sunday School, \$7.97. Total, \$693.72.

Expenditures—Parochial: Current expenses, \$100. Payment of debts, \$300. Rector's salary paid, \$278.66. Sunday School expense, \$11.57. Total, \$690.23.

Diocesan Council Fund, \$1.00. Bishop's salary, \$1.00. Diocesan Mission, \$1.00. Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund, \$1.00. Total, \$4.00. Grand total, \$98.72. Rev. Rev. and Dean Sec.

The Sunday School was organized last December, therefore its report is incomplete. My sessions here began last October.

Very Truly Yours,

C. S. WARE.

Madison Lake, Population 400, Blue Earth County. GOOD SHEPHERD CHURCH; The Rev. J. CORNELL, Rector (Janesville P. O.); DR. H. A. HITCHCOCK, M. D. CHURMAN, Warden; JOHN KRAMER, TRS.; M. D. CHURMAN, Clerk of Vestry; Mrs. H. A. HITCHCOCK, S. S. Supt.

No strings, 100. No families, 14. Individuals, 92. Baptisms (inf. & ad.), 7. Confirmations (m. & f.), 7. Confirmed persons last report, 2. Added by Confirmation, 7. Added by transfer and otherwise, 4. Total, 13. Lost by transfer and otherwise, 2. Present No. (m. & f.), 90. 11. Communicants (m. & f.), 11. Communicating during the year (m. & f.), 11. Holy communion administered (pub.), 1. Public services (Sundays) 26. Sunday School teachers (m. & f.), 5. Other officers (m. & f.), 2. Scholars (m. & f.), 40. Total teachers, scholars and officers, 40. Catechisms, 1.

Value of Church building, \$2,100. Lots upon which church stands, \$300. Total, \$2,400.

Disbursements—\$600.

Revenue from all sources—Balance from last report, \$38. Subscriptions, \$200.25. Donations, \$204.32. Offerings, \$21.44. Parish Aid Societies, Guilds, etc., \$84.26. Sunday School, \$20.20. Other sources, \$28.68. Total, \$609.45.

Expenditures—Parochial: Current expenses, \$10. Payment of debts, \$60 (on report). Church building, \$600.25. Other expenses, \$28.97. Total, \$699.42. Diocesan: Council Fund, \$2. Bishop's salary, \$2. Diocesan Missionary Board Fund, \$2. Total, \$6. Grand total, \$605.42.

Rev. Rev. and Dean Sec.

The summer session of the Bible Church was held by Dean Hill, assisted by several of the Clergy, October 14, 1900, and December 22, the church was occupied for the first time. We are about to have some \$400 from the Church Building Fund Committee. The people are interested. The congregations are large. The Mission has become incorporated under the laws of the State. The expenditures as above given are in part estimated.

Faithfully Yours,

J. CORNELL.

Wadena, Population 10,000, Blue Earth County. S. JOHN'S CHURCH; The Rev. T. C. HENSON, Rector, No. 312 Warren st.; A. M. SMITH, GEO. H. SWAN, TREAS.; H. E. SWAN, TREAS.; GEO. M. FORMAN, Clerk of Vestry; J. W. SWAN, S. S. Supt.

No strings, 150. No families, 65. Individuals, 117. Baptisms (inf. & ad.), 17. Confirmations (m. & f.), 30. 7. Confirmed persons last report, 7. Added by Confirmation, 7. Added by transfer and otherwise, 1. Lost by transfer and otherwise, 16. Total, 11. Communicants (m. & f.), 114. Communicating during the year (m. & f.), 114. Holy Communion administered (pub.), 1. Public services (Sundays) 24. Other days 57. 131. Marriages, 7. Burials, 10. Sunday School teachers (m. & f.), 10. Other officers (m. & f.), 2. Scholars (m. & f.), 52. Total teachers, officers and scholars, 62. Catechisms, 14. 8.

Value of Church building, \$1,000. Chapel, \$1,500. Lots upon which church stands, \$2,000. Total, \$4,500.

Disbursements—\$720.

Revenue from all sources—Communion aims, \$101.21. Subscriptions, \$40. Donations, \$40. Offerings, \$184.20. Parish Aid Societies, Guilds, etc., \$556.60. Total, \$1,000.21. Total, \$4,100.21.

Expenditures—Parochial: Current expenses, \$189.59. Repairs, \$31.93. Parsonage, \$200.00. Rector's building, \$19. Rector's salary paid, \$40. Sunday School, \$10.00. Charitable work, \$12. Donation to Rector, \$10.00. Total, \$400.00. Parsonage and Chancel Fund, \$50. Total, \$1,400.00. Diocesan: Council Fund, \$2. Bishop's salary, \$40. Diocesan Missionary Board Fund, \$2. Total, \$44. Total, \$1,444.00. Domestic Missions, \$10. Foreign Missions, \$9.50. Miscellaneous, \$6.75. Total, \$2,007.75. Grand total, \$2,007.75.

Mantorville, Population 450, Dodge County. S. JOHN'S CHURCH; The Rev. W. H. H. ROSS, Rector, (Kasson P. O.); A. LA DUC, Treas.; MRS. S. TRUAX, S. S. Supt.

Pews free. No. sittings, 200. Rector's salary, \$250. No. families, 12. Individuals, 60. Baptisms (inf. 7, ad. 2), 9. Confirmations (m. 1, f. 1), 2. Confirmed persons last report, 12. Added by Confirmation, 2. Added by transfer and otherwise, 1. Total, 17. Present No. (m. 3, f. 18), 21. Communicants (m. 3, f. 18), 21. Communicating during year (m. 3, f. 18), 21. Holy Communion administered (pub.) 8. Public services (Sundays 33, other days 12), 45. Sunday School teachers (f.) 6. Other officers, 3. Scholars (m. 20, f. 40), 60. Total teachers, officers and scholars, 66. Catechisings, 10. Value of Church building, \$4,000. Lots upon which church stands, \$200. Total, \$4,200.

Receipts from all sources—Communion alms, \$8.91. Subscriptions, \$159.28. Donations, \$62.50. Offerings, \$74.38. Parish Aid Societies, Guilds, etc., \$70.08. Sunday Schools, \$32.43. Entertainments, \$163.56. Total, \$571.13.

Expenditures—Parochial: Current expenses, \$49.35. Repairs, \$180. Rector's salary paid, \$239.67. Sunday School expense, \$35.90. Paid for organ and chancel chairs, \$101. Total, \$601.96. Diocesan: Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund, \$2 cents. Bishop Gilbert's Special Needs Fund, April 17, \$6.14. Total, \$6.96. General: Sunday School Offering, \$3.13. Bible and Prayer Book Society, \$1.31. Total, \$5.26. Grand total, \$1,185.31. \$73 of the above \$239.67, put down as paid Rector's salary, was paid to students from June 1, 1889 to October 1, 1889.

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

My appointment to the "cure" of S. John's Church, Mantorville, dates from October 1st, 1889. The work here in spite of few members, limited means and many difficulties, appears to be in a very prosperous condition. Owing largely, in the providence of God, to harmony in work and a wise and skillful use of all the means at hand, as well as to a due appreciation of privileges and opportunities. The beautiful church has received several well-deserved and much-needed gifts during the past year, among which may be mentioned a new organ, Bishop's and Rector's chairs, altar and linen, lectern, prayer desk, chancel-rail, two sets of handsome altar cloths and other chancel hangings. The interior of the church has also undergone decided improvement in painting and decoration.

Christian kindness, courtesy, sympathy and hospitality, seem to prevail in a very marked degree, among the church people and in part throughout the whole community. My semi-weekly visits have been a positive pleasure.

Services and Sunday School have been held regularly on Sunday afternoon; also services on the great festivals and fasts and on Wednesday evenings during the Lenten season. The attendance has been good especially on Sundays and the interest and devotion very encouraging.

Faithfully Yours,

W. H. H. ROSS.

Marshall, Population 1,400, Lyon County. S. JAMES' MISSION; The Rev. JAS. B. HALSEY, Rector; WALTER WAKEMAN, S. S. Supt.

Pews free. No. sittings, 100. Rector's salary, \$100. No. families, 20. Individuals, 76. Baptisms (inf. 9, ad. 14), 23. Confirmations (m. 2, f. 12), 14. Added by Confirmation, 14. Added by transfer and otherwise, 4. Total, 18. Lost by transfer and otherwise, 5. Present No. (m. 5, f. 24), 29. Communicants (m. 5, f. 23), 28. Communicating during the year (m. 5, f. 22), 27. Holy Communion administered, 7. Public services (Sundays 25, other days 22), 47. Sunday School teachers (m. 1, f. 4), 5. Other officers, 1. Scholars, 30. Total teachers, officers and scholars, 36. Catechisings, 8. S. S. Library books, 15.

Receipts from all sources—Balance, \$122.44. Subscriptions, 85.44. Donations, \$50. Parish Aid Societies, Guilds, etc., \$193.64. Sunday School, \$3. Fund in bank, \$339. Mortgage and interest, \$245. Incidentals, \$13.32. Total, \$1,051.64.

Expenditures—Parochial: Rector's salary paid, \$85.44. Fitting up Mission room with organ, pews, carpet, etc., \$346.03. Total, \$431.47. Diocesan: Diocesan Education (Seabury Divinity School), \$3.20. Grand total, \$434.67.

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

The above statistics are incomplete in many ways, as the Mission has had full ministrations but one Sunday in the month. A Sunday School was organized in December. Bishop Graves held a week's Mission in February, at the close of which the Communicant list was doubled and a dozen adults were baptized. The creditable balance of more than \$600, represents the total amount collected towards a building fund. As yet no church property is owned. During the past year, a hall has been rented and fitted up in a thoroughly churchly manner.

Faithfully Yours,

JAS. BIDDLE HALSEY, Deacon.

Melrose, Population 1,000, Stearns County.

Rev. J. F. HAMILTON, Missionary (Sauk Ce

ch church.

Pews free. No. sittings, 84. No. families, 9.
 3, ad. 1), 4. Confirmations (m. 2, 4), 4.
 Added by Confirmation, 4. Added by transfer
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 Total, \$4.43. Grand total, \$69.47

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 Other expenses,
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Mentor, Polk County. B.

RIE (Euclid P. O.); Fr

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S. LUKE'S CHURCH; The Rev WM. B.
 46 Portland avenue); F. H. HALL, G. W.
 H. GREENLY, Treas.; F. D. CARSON, Clerk of
 S. S. Supt.; F. D. CARSON, Lay Reader.

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Pews free. No. sittings, 230. Rector's salary, \$800. No. families, 42. Indi-
 viduals (inf. 2, ad. 4), 23. Confirmations (m. 10, f. 12), 22.
 Baptisms (inf. 2, ad. 4), 23. Added by Confirmation, 22. Added by trans-
 fer, 25. Total, 112. Lost by death, 2. Lost by transfer and other-
 wise, 22. Present No. (m. 42, f. 78), 120. Communicants, 120.
 Holy Communion administered during year (m. 37, f. 65), 103. Holy Communion administered
 private 4), 94. Public services (Sundays 185, other days 53), 238.
 4. Churchings, 1. Burials, 5. Sunday School teachers (m. 2, f. 6), 8.
 1. Scholars (m. 54, f. 37), 91. Total teachers, officers and scholars,
 55.
 Value of building, \$3,700. Lots upon which church stands, \$3,000. Grounds
 and other property, \$1,000. Total, \$7,700.
 and indebtedness—\$3,500.
 Receipts from all sources—Subscriptions, \$416.80. Offerings, \$208.29. Par-
 ish Aid Societies, Guilds, etc., \$127. Sunday School, \$45. Mortgage on lot, \$500.
 Total, \$1,297.19.
 Expenditures—Parochial: Current expenses, \$436.41. Church building,
 \$1,700. Rector's salary paid, \$748.56. Sunday School expenses, \$27.30. Easter
 offering for Choir Vestments, \$31.04. Total, \$1,243.31. Diocesan: Council Fund,
 \$3.00. Bishop's salary, \$3.00. Diocesan Missionary Board Fund, \$10. Aged
 and Interm. Clergy Fund, \$2.00. Bishop Whipple at visitation, \$6.50. Bishop Gib-
 bert's Special Needs, \$7.70. Total, \$34. General: Society P. C. Jews, \$2.18.
 Sunday School Lenten Offering for Missions, \$7.70. Total, \$19.88. Grand total,
 \$1,297.19.

Eight of these at Church home for babies.

Church closed four Sundays from July 14th, 1889, to August 18th, 1889.
 During the building of Chancel and Vestry room, services have also been held each
 Sunday by the Rector with other assistance at S. Jude's Mission, since second Sun-
 day in August, 1889, twenty-three services in all.

Additions of Chancel, Vestry room, pews, furnace, chandelier, altar, 6 ad.
 choir stalls, made in July, 1889, at an expense of \$1,700. By an agreement with
 the Vestry, this money was raised and disbursed by individuals and did not cut
 the Parish treasury and so was not included in the yearly account.

Minneapolis, Hennepin County. S. MARK'S CHURCH; The Rev. THOS.

B. WELLS, D. D., Rector (No. 33 South Sixth St.); C. M. HARDENBERG,
 W. B. FOLDS, Wardens; S. E. NEILER, Treas.; JAMES W. LAWRENCE,
 Clerk of Vestry; HECTOR BAXTER, S. S. Supt.; J. C. RENO, Lay Reader.

Pews assigned. No. sittings, 700. Rector's salary, \$3,000. No. families, 300.
 Individuals, 900. Baptisms, 24. Confirmations, 16. Communicants last report,
 410. Added by Confirmation, 16. Added by transfer and otherwise, 36. Total,
 462. Lost by death, 3. Lost by transfer and otherwise, 24. Total lost, 27.

Present No., 435. Marriages, 14. Burials, 14. Sunday School teachers and officers, 16. Scholars, 191. Total teachers, officers and scholars, 207. S. S. Library books, 350.

Value of Church property, \$100,000.

Indebtedness—\$5,000.

Receipts from all sources—Communion alms, \$282.24. Subscriptions, \$6,891. Offerings, \$5,860. Parish Aid Societies, Guilds, etc., \$958.31. Sunday schools, \$386.39. Total, \$13,877.94.

Expenditures—Parochial: Current expenses, \$4,296.61. Repairs, \$382. Sunday and Industrial Schools, \$270. Charitable work, \$501. City Missionary Society, \$404.75. Other Missionary work in city, \$228.81. Children's Home, \$344. Associated Charities, \$283. Miscellaneous, \$223.12. Rector's salary, \$3,000. Total, \$9,933.29. Diocesan: Council Fund, \$60. Bishop's salary, \$240. Diocesan Missionary Fund, \$420. Sheltering Arms, \$808.63. Aged and Disabled Clergy, \$80. Wilder Farm School, \$775. Total, \$2,383.63. General: Sunday School Domestic Missions, \$30.30. Woman's Auxiliary, \$632.59. Woman's Auxiliary, Mite Chests, \$100. Special, Bishop Thomas, \$625. Special Missions, \$43. Total, \$1,430.89. Grand total, \$13,747.81, of which for Missionary work, \$2,844.45.

This is my tenth report to the Council for support of services and charities. In these ten years S. Mark's has given \$172,385, of which for Missions, \$15,999.55.

Minneapolis, Hennepin County. S. PAUL'S CHURCH; The Rev. FRANK R. MILLSPAUGH, Rector (No. 1215 Hawthorn avenue); A. M. RAGAN and C. L. WELLS, Wardens; WM. E. STEELE, Treas.; JOS. GASKELL, Clerk of Vestry; ANDREW ADAMS, Lay Reader.

Pews rented and free. No. Sittings, 750. Rector's salary, \$2,220. No. families, 325. Individuals, 975. Baptisms (inf. 37, ad. 11), 48. Confirmations (m. 3, f. 23), 36. Confirmed persons last report, 350. Added by Confirmation, 36. Added by transfer and otherwise, 53. Total, 89. Lost by death, 7. Lost by transfer and otherwise, 30. Total lost, 37. Present No. (m. 165, f. 245), 410. Communicants (m. 162, f. 223), 385. Communicating during year, 360. Holy Communion administered (pub. 87, private 3), 90. Public services (Sundays 106, other days 132), 237. Marriages, 9. Churchings, 3. Burials, 17. Sunday School teachers, 10. Scholars, 155. Total, 165. Catechisings, 52.

Value of Church building, \$5,000. Chapel, \$700. Lots upon which church stands, \$35,000. Total, \$40,700.

Indebtedness—\$8,465.

Receipts from all sources—Balance from last report, \$47.84. Communion alms, \$138.83. Pew rents, \$2,525.18. Subscriptions, \$945.02. Donations, \$398.01. Offerings, \$1725.18. Parish Aid Societies, Guilds, etc., \$542. Sunday school, \$78.68. Total, \$6,400.24.

Expenditures—Parochial: Current expenses, \$1,104.66. Repairs, \$153.75. Payments of debts, \$2,020. Rector's salary paid, \$2,220. Total, \$5,498.41. Diocesan: Council Fund, \$12.50. Bishop's salary, \$40. Diocesan Missionary Board Fund, \$150. Other Mission work, \$172.53. Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund, \$10. Diocesan Education (Seabury Divinity School), \$17. Hospitals, \$80. City Missions, \$132.42. Total, \$614.45. General: Domestic Missions, \$267.17. Foreign Missions, \$14.06. Colored Missions, \$6.15. Total, \$287.38. Grand total, \$6,400.24.

TO THE REV. AND DEAR SIR:

We have again lessened the debt on this Parish considerably and have a pledge of \$500 more.

Obediently,

FRANK R. MILLSPAUGH.

Minnetonka Mills, Hennepin County. S. JOHN'S CHURCH; R. TUSON, Lay Reader.

Baptisms (inf.) 3. Confirmed persons last report, 9. Lost by death, 3. Holy Communion administered (pub.) 1. Public services (Sundays 52, other days 40), 92. Burials, 3. Sunday School teachers, 3. Scholars, 24. Total teachers, officers and scholars, 27.

Value of Church building, \$600.

Expenditures—Parochial: Repairs, \$100. Sermons preached for the poor, \$11.60.

TO THE REV. AND DEAR SIR:

It is with pleasure I can report the results of our Mission. S. John's, Minnetonka Mills, is still improving. Hassan is still growing. At Hopkins we still

hold on, but am sorry to say that Chaska and Carver and several other places near there are neglected which formerly were visited by our Missionaries, but still hoping that the cord may be lengthened and stakes strengthened to the Praise and Glory of our Great Redeemer.

From Your Humble Servant,

R. TUSON, Missionary.

Montevideo, Population 1,500, Chippewa County. GRACE CHURCH:
The Rev. W. S. SAYRES, Rector; F. W. STURTEVANT, J. A. CASE, Wardens; J. M. SEVERENS, Treas.; M. E. TITUS, Clerk of Vestry; F. W. STURTEVANT, S. S. Supt.; F. W. STURTEVANT, Lay Reader.

Pews free. No. sittings, 210. Rector's salary, \$700. No. families, 46. Individuals, 203. Baptisms (inf. 23, ad. 11), 34. Confirmations (m. 10, f. 11), 21. Confirmed persons last report, 60. Added by Confirmation, 21. Added by transfer and otherwise, 3. Total, 84. Lost by death, 1. Lost by transfer and otherwise, 9. Total lost, 10. Present No. (m. 34, f. 40), 74. Communicants (m. 34, f. 40), 74. Communicating during year (m. 27, f. 36), 63. Holy Communion administered (pub.) 50. Public services (Sundays 121, other days 146), 267. Marriages, 1. Burials, 2. Sunday School teachers (m. 1, f. 8), 9. Other officers (m. 2, f. 40), 78. Total teachers, officers and scholars, 89. Catechisms, 30. S. S. Library books, 80.

Value of Church building, \$3,100. Grounds and other property, \$800. Total, \$3,900.

Receipts from all sources—Balance from last report, \$8.58. Subscriptions, \$109. Donations, \$15. Offerings, \$582.29. Parish Aid Societies, Guilds, etc., \$339.76. Total, \$1,054.63.

Expenditures—Parochial: Current expenses, \$130.32. Church building, \$242.81. Rector's salary paid, \$707. Poor (Charitable work), \$1.00. Total, \$1,081.13. Diocesan: Council Fund, \$2.00. Bishop's salary, \$3.00. Diocesan Missionary Board Fund, \$7.20. Other Mission work, \$20. Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund, \$3.60. Sheltering Arms, \$1.46. Bishop's Special Needs Fund, \$12.53. Total, \$49.79. General: Domestic and Foreign Missions, \$2.12. Miscellaneous, \$5.00. Total, \$7.12. Grand total, \$1,138.04.

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

One Mission held by Rev. W. C. Pope. Two classes Confirmed. Daily service from Easter till middle September. First full year of continuous service by resident Rector. Tower and spire completed.

J. M. SEVERENS, Treasurer.

Morristown, Population 500, Rice County. S. JOHN'S CHURCH: The Rev. E. S. PEAKE, Rector (Chaplain of S. Mary's Hall Faribault); Bishop's Committee, Messrs A. J. EDDY, J. B. BUCK, JOHN GIBSON, P. SMITH and A. KISOR; Mr. AARON KISOR, Treas.; ISAAC HOULGATE (Seabury Divinity School), Lay Reader; J. B. BUCK, S. S. Supt.

Pews free. No. sittings, 120. No. families, 24. Individuals, 76. Baptisms (inf. 1, ad. 1), 2. Confirmed persons last report, 70. Lost by death, 2. Lost by transfer and otherwise, 16. Total lost, 18. Present No. (m. 24, f. 28), 52. Communicants (m. 21, f. 25), 46. Communicating during year (m. 5, f. 8), 13. Holy Communion administered (pub.) 3. Public services (Sundays 12, other days 31), 15. Marriages, 1. Burials, 1.

Value of Church building, \$1,000.

Receipts from all sources—Communion alms, \$4.65. Offerings, \$10.55. Parish Aid Societies, Guilds, etc., \$30.30. Paid on Rev. W. McVettie's salary since June 1, 1889, \$75.47.

Expenditures—Parochial: Current expenses, \$15.20. Rector's salary paid, \$75.47. Other expenses, \$27.53. (This last amount has been used to pay their Diocesan and other expenses not known to me). Total, \$118.20.

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

Sunday School held twice since June 1st, 1889. The Rev. E. S. Peake began his services Wednesday afternoon, March 5, 1890, and with my assistance the services have been kept up ever since that time.

Your Friend,

ISAAC HOULGATE.

North Branch, Population 500, Chisago County. S. THOMAS' CHURCH:



ALEX. BERGH, GEORGE MARKHAM, ENOS MURRAY, Bishop's Committee;
GEORGE MARKHAM, Treas. and Clerk of Vestry; Mrs. HOLMAN, S. S.
Supt.; JOHN CALDWELL, Lay Reader.

Pews free. No. sittings, 150. No. families, 16. Individuals, 40. Baptisms (inf. 6, ad. 8), 14. Confirmations (m. 3, f. 1), 4. Confirmed persons last report, 16. Added by Confirmation, 4. Total, 20. Lost by death, 1. Lost by transfer and otherwise, 4. Total lost, 5. Present No. (m. 5, f. 10), 15. Communicants (m. 5, f. 10), 15. Communicating during year (m. 12, f. 28), 38. Holy Communion administered, 3. Burials, 1. Sunday School teachers (f.) 4. Other officers (m. 1, f. 4), 5. Scholars (m. 5, f. 15), 20. Total teachers, officers and scholars, 25. S. S. Library books, 30.

Value of Church building, \$1,800. Rectory, \$1,200. Lots upon which church stands, \$700. Total, \$3,700.

Receipts from all sources—Offerings, \$45. Parish Aid Societies, Guilds, etc., \$47.25. Sunday School, \$10. Rent of Rectory, \$72. General Missions, \$4.86. Total, \$179.11.

Expenditures—Parochial: Sunday School expenses, \$10. Diocesan: Council Fund, \$1.00. Bishop's salary, \$3.00. Diocesan Missionary Board Fund, \$5.00. Total, \$9.00. General: Domestic Missions, \$4.86. Paid on organ, \$6.00. Paid Lay Reader, \$149.25. Total, \$160.11. Grand total, \$179.11.

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

As I take service at Sunrise in connection with North Branch I have included it in the report for North Branch.

Yours Respectfully,

JOHN CALDWELL, Lay Reader.

Northfield, Population 3,200, Rice County. ALL SAINTS' CHURCH; The Rev. GEO. H. MUELLER, Rector; J. R. SUMNER, H. S. CRITTENDEN, Wardens; H. K. KELLEY, Treas.; S. FINKELSON, Clerk of Vestry; The RECTOR, S. S. Supt.

Pews free. No. sittings, 250. Rector's salary, \$600. No. families, 76. Individuals, 182. Baptisms (inf. 3, ad. 2), 5. Confirmations (f.) 1. Confirmed persons last report, 121. Added by Confirmation, 1. Added by transfer and otherwise, 16. Total, 138. Lost by transfer and otherwise, 12. Present No. (m. 30, f. 96), 126. Communicants (m. 30, f. 96), 126. Communicating during year (m. 21, f. 71), 92. Holy Communion administered (pub.) 22. Public services (Sundays 105, other days 68), 173. Marriages, 2. Burials, 3. Sunday School teachers (m. 1, f. 7), 8. Scholars (m. 20, f. 33), 53. Total teachers, officers and scholars, 61. Catechisings, 12. S. S. Library books, 70.

Value of Church building, \$1,500. Rectory, \$2,500. Lots upon which church stands, \$2,000. Total, \$6,000.

Receipts from all sources—Communion alms, \$6.20. Offerings, \$592.15. Parish Aid Societies, Guilds, etc., \$267.66. Sunday School, \$37.88. Total, \$903.88.

Expenditures—Parochial: Current expenses, \$100.31. Rector's salary paid, \$682.74. Sunday School expenses, \$27.88. Insurance, \$42. Organist's salary, \$37.50. Organ, \$122.56. Christmas tree, etc., \$25.54. Cleaning church, \$5.90. Sunday School books, \$17.12. Easter cards, etc., \$2.50. Music books, etc., \$12.40. Total, \$1,074.25. Diocesan: Council Fund, \$10. Bishop's salary, \$20. Diocesan Missionary Board Fund, \$10. Bishop Gilbert's Mission work, \$9.00. Total, \$49. General: Johnstown sufferers, \$4.39. Grand total, \$1,127.64.

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

In addition to the above I would report that I have preached and held services in Dundas twelve times, administering the Holy Communion five times; I have also preached six times in Cannon Falls, administering the Holy Communion three times, and in Randolph at the solicitation of the Rev. Mr. Moyses, District Presbyter; I began services about the middle of March, have so far held six services.

Sincerely Yours,

GEO. H. MUELLER.

Owatonna, Population 4,000, Steele County. S. PAUL'S CHURCH; N. J. EDDY, J. S. SOPER, Wardens; CHAS. TRAVIS, Treas. and Clerk of Vestry; B. S. DARBY, S. S. Supt.

Pews free. No. families, 58. Individuals, 205. Confirmed persons last report,

104. Lost by death, 2. Lost by transfer and otherwise, 2. Total lost, 4. Present No. Confirmed, 100.

Value of Church building, \$4,000. Chapel, \$400. Lots upon which church stands, \$500. Total, \$4,900.

Receipts from all sources—Parish Aid Societies, Guilds, etc., \$230.

Expenditures—Parochial: Current expenses, \$100. Repairs, \$50. Rector's salary paid, \$550. School expenses, \$30. Total, \$730. Diocesan: Council Fund, \$5.00. Bishop's salary, \$15. Diocesan Missionary Board Fund, \$25. Total, \$45. Grand total, \$775.

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

I have to the best of my ability made out the foregoing report of this Parish. In the absence of any Rector the records have been neglected, consequently it is but a partial report. Mr. Harper's resignation took effect early in February. The church services have been kept up by clergymen from Faribault. Hoping that this imperfect report may be of some assistance,

I Am Very Respectfully Yours,

N. J. EDDY.

Paynesville, Population 600. Stearns County. S. STEPHEN'S CHURCH:
The Rev. CHARLES B. FOSBROKE, Rector; ANGUS HAINES, A. T. WATSON, Wardens; WM. HAINES, Treas.; A. T. WATSON, Clerk of Vestry; ANGUS HAINES, S. S. Supt. and Lay Reader.

Pews free. No. sittings, 200. Rector's salary, \$300. No. families, 45. Individuals, 177. Baptisms (inf. & ad. 8), 16. Confirmations (m. 3, f. 4), 7. Confirmed persons last report, 9. Added by Confirmation, 7. Added by transfer and otherwise, 1. Total, 17. Lost by transfer and otherwise, 3. Present No. (m. 4, f. 10), 14. Communicants (m. 4, f. 10), 14. Communicating during year (m. 4, f. 5), 9. Holy Communion administered (pub.) 11. Public services (Sundays 98, other days 27), 125. Marriages, 1. Burials, 3. Sunday School teachers (m. 2, f. 3), 5. Other officers (f. 1). Scholars (m. 12, f. 14), 26. Total teachers, officers and scholars, 32.

Value of Church building, \$2,600. Lots upon which church stands, \$100. Total, \$2,700.

Receipts from all sources—Communion alms, \$16.39. Subscriptions, \$9.00. Donations, \$111. Offerings, \$98.88. Parish Aid Societies, Guilds, etc., \$98.48. Sunday School, \$12.85. Proceeds of special entertainment and special offering, \$45.10. Total, \$391.70.

Expenditures—Parochial: Current expenses, \$21. Rector's salary paid, \$170.36. Premium on Fire Insurance, \$19.50. Total, \$210.86. Diocesan: Council Fund, \$2.00. Bishop's salary, \$2.00. Diocesan Missionary Board Fund, \$6.51. Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund, \$2.00. Total, \$12.51. General: Domestic Missions, \$5.35. Ladies' Aid Society, cash in hand, \$162.98. Grand total, \$391.70.

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

Herewith I beg to hand you my report for past year, and beg to state that in addition to the services therein specified, several of which have been conducted by our valuable and faithful Lay Reader, Angus Haines, I have held services as follows: Union Grove on Sundays, 5; Holding's Ford on week days, 5; Rice's Station on Sundays, 16; Royalton on Sundays, 40.

Yours Always Obediently,

CHARLES B. FOSBROKE.

Perham, Population 600, Otter Tail County. THE REDEEMER CHURCH:
The Rev. T. E. DICKEY, Rector (Moorhead P. O.); HENRY PLOWMAN, FREDERIC CLAYDOM, Wardens; F. J. SHOREY, Treas.

Pews free. No. sittings, 100. Rector's salary, \$95.29. No. families, 6. Individuals, 36. Baptisms (inf.) 2. Communicants (m. 4, f. 4), 8. Communicating during year (m. 3, f. 4), 7. Holy Communion administered (pub.) 4. Public services (Sundays) 21.

Value of Church building, \$2,200.

Receipts from all sources—Balance from last report, \$12.16. Subscriptions, \$84. Donations, \$55.60. (for church furniture). Offerings, \$35.28. Total, \$187.48.

Expenditures—Parochial: Current expenses, \$20.41. Church building, \$55.60. Rector's salary paid, \$95.29. Total, \$171.30. Diocesan: Bishop's salary, \$2.00. Diocesan Missionary Board Fund, \$3.00. Total, \$5.00. Grand total, \$176.30.

Pine Island, Population 800, Goodhue County. GRACE CHURCH; The Rev. S. PRITCHARD, Rector (Chatfield P. O.); Mrs. IRISH, Mrs. PAGE and Miss JEWELL, Committee; Mrs. PHELPS, S. S. Supt.

Pews free. No. sittings, 200. Rector's salary, \$5.00 per Sunday. No. families, 30. Individuals, 90. Baptisms (inf. 2, ad. 10), 12. Confirmations (f.) 2. Added by Confirmation, 2. Lost by death, 1. Communicants (m. 2, f. 18), 20. Communicating during year (m. 1, f. 10), 11. Holy Communion administered (pub.) 2. Public services (Sundays 45, other days 3), 48. Sunday School teachers (f.) 5. Scholars (m. 18, f. 18), 36. Total officers, teachers and scholars, 42. S. S. Library books, 95.

Value of Church building, \$1,000. Lots upon which church stands, \$200. Total, \$1,200.

Expenditures—Parochial: Rector's salary paid, \$100.

Preston, Population 1,200, Fillmore County. The Rev. THOS. K. ALLEN, Rector (P. O. No. 133 South Fourth st. La Crosse, Wis.)

No. families, 3. Individuals, 7. Communicants (m. 1, f. 1), 2. Public services, 1.

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

I held one service at Preston to an appreciative congregation last winter. I also held one service at Prosper, Fillmore county. I recognized one Churchman in the congregation.

Faithfully,

THOS. K. ALLEN.

Red Wing, Population 7,000, Goodhue County. CHRIST CHURCH; The Rev. EDWARD H. CLARK, Rector (No. 706 East ave.); E. T. WILDER, J. C. PIERCE, Wardens; E. T. WILDER, Treas.; CARL DAVIS, Clerk of Vestry; The RECTOR, S. S. Supt.; GEO. GROSS, Assistant Supt.

Pews free. No. sittings, 500. Rector's salary, \$1,200. No. families, (about) 130. Individuals (about) 500. Baptisms (inf.) 9. Confirmations (m. 1, f. 5), 6. Confirmed persons last report, 279. Added by Confirmation, 6. Lost by death, 3. Lost by transfer and otherwise, 2. Total lost, 5. Present No. (m. 97, f. 153), 280, plus 26 Indian Communicants. Holy Communion administered (about) 25. Public services (about) 230. Marriages, 8. Burials, 20. Sunday School teachers (m. 1, f. 17), 18. Other officers, 3. Scholars (m. 54, f. 75), 129. Total teachers, officers and scholars, 150. S. S. Library books, 200.

Value of Church building and lots, \$25,000. Chapel, \$800. Rectory, \$4,000. Total, \$29,800.

Receipts from all sources—Subscriptions, \$1,504.59. Donations for tower fund, \$119.40. From endowment, \$120. Offerings, \$422.91. Parish Aid Societies, Guilds, etc., \$125. Sunday School, \$104.58. Diocesan assessments, \$238. Special offerings, \$229.14. Raised by music committee (about) \$500. Total, \$3,410.52.

Expenditures—Parochial: Current expenses, \$783.94. Rector's salary paid, \$1,200. Sunday School expenses, \$91.52. Poor (Charitable work), \$5.00. Water motor, \$200. Music expense, \$300. Total, \$2,580.46. Diocesan: Council Fund, \$35. Bishop's salary, \$100. Diocesan Missionary Board Fund, \$150. Other Mission work, \$32.70. Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund, \$28.53. Diocesan education (Seabury Divinity School), \$11.24. Sheltering Arms, \$6.50. Missionary box (estimated) value, \$80. Total, \$443.97. General: Domestic Missions, \$55.06. Foreign Missions, \$55.05. Woman's Auxiliary, \$14.58. American Church Building Fund, \$23.36. Work among the Jews, \$18.52. Among Freedmen, \$8.18. Total, \$174.75. Grand total, \$3,199.18.

Redwood Falls, Population 1,500, Redwood County. CHURCH OF THE HOLY COMMUNION; The Rev. STUART B. PURVES, Rector; H. D. BALDWIN, JAMES McMILLAN, Wardens; H. A. BALDWIN, Treas.; C. W. EVERETT, Clerk of Vestry.

Pews free. No. sittings, 150. Rector's salary, \$500. No. families, 33. Individuals, 160. Baptisms (inf. 29, ad. 6), 35. Lost by transfer and otherwise, 1. Present No. (m. 11, f. 40), 51. Communicants (m. 11, f. 40), 51. Communicants during the year (m. 13, f. 42), 55. Holy Communion administered (pub.) 43. Public services (Sundays 82, other days 94), 176. Sunday School teachers, 5.

Scholars (m. 31, f. 20), 51. Total teachers, officers and scholars, 56. Catechisings, 10. S. S. Library books, 50.

Value of Church building, \$1,200. Lots upon which church stands, \$500. Total, \$1,700.

Receipts from all sources—Subscriptions, \$252. Donations, \$23.40. Offerings, \$224.12. Parish Aid Societies, Guilds, etc., \$243.54. Total, \$743.06.

Expenditures—Parochial: Current expenses, \$90.65. Rector's salary paid, \$458.33. Poor (Charitable work), \$6.82. Church or Mission work in Parish, \$23.75. Wood shed, \$36.50. Improvements on church, organ, lamps, altar, cloths, etc., and interior paintings, \$230 (approximate). Total, \$846.05. Diocesan: Council Fund, \$3.00. Bishop's salary, \$3.00. Diocesan Missionary Board Fund, \$5.00. Other Mission work, \$6.54. Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund, \$7.25. Diocesan education (Seabury Divinity School), \$5.45. Sheltering Arms, \$6.92. Offering at Visitation of Diocesan Missionary, \$5.66. Total, \$42.92. General: Domestic Missions, \$1.88. Foreign Missions, \$1.88. Jewish Missions, \$1.40. Added to children's Lenten offering, \$3.00. Total, \$8.16. Grand total, \$897.13.

RE. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

According to report our expenses are larger than our receipts. Corrections however will make our receipts and expenses about equal.

Since I took charge here services have been held the first and third Sundays of the month at Beaver Falls in the afternoon. There I have baptized five persons and celebrated the Holy Eucharist twice at special services, which are included in the above report.

In addition to the work at Sleepy Eye, which appears in its own report, I have held seven services at Island Lake, Lion county, administered the Holy Eucharist twice and baptized two children. Since the death of Mr. Hinman, I have held service the second Sunday of the month in the afternoon at the Sioux Agency, Mr. Webster of Beaver Falls kindly acting as interpreter. I have administered the Holy Eucharist at a special service.

Yours Sincerely,

STUART B. PURVES.

Renov. Pope County. ZION CHURCH: The Rev. M. JUKES, Rector (Alexandria P. O.); J. PEACOCK, P. COX, ROB. WILSON, JOHN COOLEY and WM. CHRISTLAW, Committee. JOHN PEACOCK, Treas. and Clerk of Vestry.

Pews free. No sittings, 100. Rector's salary, \$250. No families, 14. Individuals, 66. Baptisms (inf.), 3. Confirmations (m. 2, f. 3), 5. Confirmed persons last report, 14. Added by Confirmation, 3. Present No. (m. 8, f. 11), 19. Communicants (m. 8, f. 11), 19. Communicating during the year (m. 3, f. 7), 10. Holy Communion administered, pews, 9. Public services (Sundays 49, other days 1, 50). Marriages, 3.

Value of Church building, \$1,100.

Receipts from all sources—Balance from last report, \$3.65. Subscriptions, \$350.50. Offerings, \$40.09. Parish Aid Societies, Guilds, etc., \$6.50. Total, \$400.74.

Expenditures—Parochial: Current expenses, \$4.70. Rector's salary paid, \$244.50. Organ, \$52.43. Stable, \$54.54. Total, \$356.17. Diocesan: Council Fund, \$2.00. Bishop's salary, \$3.50. Bishop Gilbert's Special Need Fund, \$4.20. Total, \$9.70. Grand total, \$365.87. Balance, \$34.87.

Richwood, Population 75, Becker County. HOLY APOSTLES' CHURCH: The Rev. J. A. GILFILLAN, in charge (White Earth P. O.)

Pews free. No sittings, 75. No families, 5. Individuals, 23. Confirmed persons last report, 17. Lost by transfer and otherwise, 4. Present No. (m. 4, f. 9), 13. Communicating during year (m. 4, f. 8), 12. Holy Communion administered, pews, 3. Public services, Sundays 14, other days 10, 15. Burials, 1.

Value of Church building, \$600.

Receipts from all sources—Offerings, \$10.33.

Expenditures—General: Domestic Missions, \$1.55. Foreign Missions, \$8.78. Total, \$10.33.

Rochester, Population 6,000, Olmsted County. CALVARY CHURCH: The Rev. W. W. FOWLER, Rector (Prospect street); HENRY C. BUTLER, A. F. KILBORNE, Wardens; GEO. D. PARMELE, Treas.; W. LOGAN BRACKENRIDGE, Clerk of Vestry; JESSIE A. SMITH, S. S. Supt.

Pews free. No. sittings, 200. Rector's salary, \$1,000 and Rectory. No. families, 74. Individuals, 320. Baptisms (inf. 14, ad. 6), 20. Confirmations (m. 7, f. 14), 21. Confirmed persons last report, 91. Added by Confirmation, 21. Added by transfer and otherwise, 31. Total, 143. Lost by death, 2. Lost by transfer and otherwise, 10. Total lost, 12. Present No. (m. 35, f. 98), 133. Communicants (m. 35, f. 98), 133. Communicating during the year (m. 15, f. 78), 93. Holy Communion administered (pub. 79, private 1), 80. Public services (Sundays 137, other days 66), 203. Marriages, 4. Burials, 7. Sunday School teachers (f.) 9. Other officers (m. 1, f. 1), 2. Scholars (m. 35, f. 37), 72. Total teachers, officers and scholars, 85. Catechisings, 40. S. S. Library books, 300.
Value of Church building, \$5,000. Rectory, \$2,500. Total, \$7,500.
Receipts from all sources—Balance from last report, \$36.82. Communion alms, \$20.65. Subscriptions, \$956.36. Donations, \$82.25. Offerings, \$159.59. Parish Aid Societies, Guilds, etc., \$432.51. Sunday School, \$62.22. Total, \$1,750.40.

Expenditures—Parochial: Current expenses, \$99. Repairs, \$2.25. Church building, \$328.73. Rectory building, \$5.63. Rector's salary paid, \$1,000. Sunday School expenses, \$31.70. Poor (Charitable work), \$14.80. Other expenses, \$58.60. Total, \$1,540.71. Diocesan: Council Fund, \$6.00. Bishop's salary, \$15. Diocesan Missionary Board Fund, \$30.21. Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund, \$7.25. Sheltering Arms, \$8.60. Expenses Convocations, \$3.00. Diocesan Missionary, \$15. Bishop's Special Needs Fund, \$9.02. Total, \$94.08. General: Domestic Missions, \$14.50. Foreign Missions, \$14.50. American Church Building Fund, \$5.00. Bible and Prayer Book Society, \$5.00. Total, \$39. Grand total, \$1,673.79.

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

During the last year I have been engaged in the performance of my duties as Rector of Calvary Parish, Rochester. I officiated in the summer months of 1889 at a School house near Olmsted station on the C. & N. W. railway, holding three services a month; and several times at the second Hospital for the insane.

Last summer the Young People's Guild provided the funds that were necessary, and introduced gas into the church. The following autumn the Ladies' Society took upon themselves the duty of providing a new heating furnace. The young members of the Parish this spring organized a society for the Culture of Spiritual Life Among Young People. It is well organized and is in successful operation. The members of the congregation meet in the church every Wednesday evening for a bible reading. Cottage services were maintained at the homes of the Parishioners last winter. There has been an increase in the attendance at public worship, and the Church is gaining in influence in the city.

Faithfully Yours,

W. W. FOWLER, Rector Cavalry Church.

Rockford, Population 700, Wright County. BRECK MEMORIAL CHURCH:

The Rev. FRANK R. MILLSPAUGH, Priest (1215 Hawthorn ave., Minneapolis); J. BENNER, Warden; ANDREW ADAMS, Lay Reader.

Pews free. No. sittings, 100. No. families, 18. Individuals, 65. Baptisms (inf. 1, ad. 6), 7. Confirmations, 2. Communicants, 30. Communicating during the year, 25. Holy Communion administered, 5. Public services (Sundays 10, other days 11), 21. Burials, 1. Sunday School teachers, 5. Scholars, 27. S. S. Library books, 50.

Value of Church building, \$900. Lots upon which church stands, \$100. Total, \$1,000.

Receipts from all sources—Subscriptions, \$6.00. Offerings, \$35. Total, \$41.

Expenditures—Parochial: Current expenses, \$35. Church building, \$900. Sunday School expenses, \$11. Total, \$946.

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

The little but pretty Breck Memorial is finished and paid for in full. It is completely furnished. The Communion service, bible, prayer books, altar ornaments, font and bell were personal gifts from abroad. The people gave two-thirds of the cost of the church, and have now subscribed \$100 for one Sunday service a month.

Obediently,

FRANK R. MILLSPAUGH.

Royalton, Population 800, Morrison County. GRACE CHURCH; The

Rev. C. B. FOSBROKE, Rector; H. Y. GILBERT, L. D. FORBES, Wardens; O. H. HOVIL, Treas. and Clerk of Vestry; H. Y. GILBERT, S. S. Supt.

Pews free. No. sittings, 100. No. families, 18. Individuals, 68. Baptisms (inf.) 7. Confirmations (f.) 1. Confirmed persons last report, 23. Added by Confirmation, 1. Added by transfer and otherwise, 2. Total, 26. Lost by transfer and otherwise, 4. Present No. (m. 3, f. 20), 23. Communicants (m. 3, f. 20), 23. Holy Communion administered (pub.) 4. Public services (Sundays 40, other days 10), 50. Marriages, 1. Burials, 1. Value of Church building, \$1,000. Lots upon which church stands, \$150. Total, \$1,150.

Receipts from all sources—Balance from last report, \$5.90. Communion alms, \$6.00. Subscriptions, \$144.66. Offerings, \$43.75. Parish Aid Society, Guilds, etc., \$207.69. Sunday School, \$20. Total, \$428.20.

Expenditures—Parochial: Current expenses, \$79. Church building, \$75. Rector's salary, \$186.75. Sunday School expenses, \$15. Total, \$355.75. Diocesan: Council Fund, \$2.00. Bishop's salary, \$3.00. Diocesan Missionary Board Fund, \$3.00. Total, \$8.00. General: Domestic Missions, \$3.00. Grand total, \$366.75.

Rush City, Population 1,000, Chisago County. GRACE CHURCH; J. D. MARKHAM, Dr. A. J. STOWE, FRANCIS HOARE, Committee; Dr. A. J. STOWE, Treas. and Secretary; JOHN CALDWELL, Lay Reader; Mrs. J. CALDWELL, S. S. Supt.

Pews free. No. sittings, 100. No. families, 15. Individuals, 50. Baptisms (inf. 3, ad. 20), 51. Confirmations (f.) 2. Confirmed persons last report, 10. Added by Confirmation, 2. Added by transfer and otherwise, 2. Total, 14. Present No. (m. 7, f. 8), 15. Communicants (m. 10, f. 14), 24. Communicating during year (m. 11, f. 30), 41. Holy Communion administered (pub.) 6. Public services (Sundays 52, other days 11), 63. Burials, 1. Sunday School teachers, 3. Scholars (m. 11, f. 17), 28. Total teachers, officers and scholars, 31. S. S. Library books, 50.

Value of Church building, \$1,000. Lots upon which church stands, \$200. Total, \$1,200.

Receipts from all sources—Offerings, \$123.06. Parish Aid Society, \$49.79. Sunday School, \$4.00. Mission Board, \$50. Bishop's Special Needs Fund, \$50. Total, \$276.85.

Expenditures—Parochial: Sunday School expenses, \$4.00. Money to Lay Reader, \$253.15. Total, \$257.15. Diocesan: Council Fund, \$1.00. Bishop's salary, \$3.00. Diocesan Missionary Board Fund, \$5.00. Total, \$9.00. General: Domestic Missions, \$1.38. Sundries, \$9.38. Total, \$10.70. Grand total, \$276.85.

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

In connection with Rush City I have taken up a service at G. C. school house, five miles from here, which seems to be very promising. Its returns are included in those for Rush City.

Yours Respectfully,

JOHN CALDWELL, Lay Reader.

Rushford, Population 1,200, Fillmore County. EMMANUEL CHURCH; The Rev. THOMAS K. ALLEN, Rector (No. 134 South Fourth st., La Crosse, Wis.); A. E. HAZZARD, H. M. SMITH, Wardens; H. M. SMITH, Treas.; A. E. HAZZARD, Lay Reader; Mrs. S. S. STEVENS, S. S. Supt.

Rector's salary, \$260. No. families, 27. Individuals, 116. Baptisms (inf. 3, ad. 1), 4. Confirmations (m. 2, f. 1), 3. Added by Confirmation, 3. Lost by transfer and otherwise, 1. Present No., 41. Communicants (m. 5, f. 36), 41. Communicating during the year (m. 20, f. 67), 87. Burials, 1. Teachers (m. 2, f. 8), 10. Other officers (m. 1, f. 1), 2. Holy Communion administered (pub.) 7. Public services (Sundays 34, other days 6), 40. Marriages, 1. Scholars (m. 25, f. 45), 70. Total teachers, officers and scholars, 82. S. S. Library books, 50.

Value of Church building, \$1,200. Lots upon which church stands, \$300. Total, \$1,500.

Receipts from all sources—Balance from last report, \$6.63. Subscriptions, \$170.63. Offerings, \$142.16. Total, \$319.42.

Expenditures—Parochial: Rector's salary, \$260. Janitor, \$24.24. Parish poor, \$6.71. Sunday School, \$8.00. Total, \$298.95. Diocesan: Diocesan Missionary Board Fund, \$15. Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund, \$4.00. Council Fund, \$3.00. Bishop's salary, \$10. Total, \$32. General: Domestic Missions, \$6.00. Foreign Missions, \$6.33. Total, \$12.33. Grand total, \$343.28.

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

I have only been Rector of this Parish six months. For several months there

was no Rector, which accounts for the less number of services than heretofore. Our faithful Lay Reader, Mr. A. E. Hazzard, has been keeping up the services regularly.

Faithfully,

THOS. K. ALLEN.

Sauk Center, Population 2,000, Stearns County. GOOD SAMARITAN CHURCH; The Rev. J. F. HAMILTON, Rector; C. R. TUBBS, W. S. DEAN, Wardens; STUART TAYLOR, Treas.; HORACE F. ALDEN, Clerk of Vestry; STUART TAYLOR, S. S. Supt.

Pews free. No. sittings, 194. Rector's salary, \$500. No. families, 40. Individuals, 108. Baptisms (inf. 5, ad. 4), 9. Confirmations (m. 3, f. 2), 5. Confirmed persons last report, 56. Added by Confirmation, 5. Added by transfer and otherwise, 5. Total, 66. Lost by death, 2. Lost by transfer and otherwise, 2. Total lost, 4. Present No. (m. 19, f. 43), 62. Communicants (m. 15, f. 39), 54. Communicating during year (m. 12, f. 40), 52. Holy Communion administered (pub.) 11. Public services (Sundays 65, other days 56), 121. Marriages, 4. Burials, 2. Sunday School teachers (m. 3, f. 4), 7. Other officers, 1. Scholars (m. 40, f. 55), 95. Total teachers, officers and scholars, 103. Catechisings, 41.

Value of Church building, \$2,000. Rectory and lots upon which church stands, \$2,000. Total, \$4,000.

Indebtedness—\$25.

Receipts from all sources—Subscriptions, \$387.50. Offerings, \$164.16. Parish Aid Societies, Guilds, etc., \$60. Sunday School, \$38.65. Special offerings, \$77.65. Total, \$727.96.

Expenditures—Parochial: Current expenses, \$91.65. Repairs, \$33. Rector's salary paid, \$453. Sunday School expenses, \$23.79. Insurance, \$17.25. Total, \$618.69. Diocesan: Council Fund, \$5.00. Bishop's salary, \$12. Diocesan Missionary Board Fund, \$18. Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund, \$3.61. Sheltering Arms, \$3.00. Salary of Diocesan Missionary, \$10. Church Home for Children, \$3.00. Bishop Gilbert's Special Needs Fund, \$16.53. Total, \$71.14. General: Domestic and Foreign Missions, \$14.86. Johnstown sufferers, \$10. Seattle do., \$5.27. Louisville do., \$5.00. Missions to Jews, \$3.00. Total, \$38.13. Grand total, \$727.96.

Sauk Rapids, Population 800, Benton County. GRACE CHURCH; The Rev. C. A. CUMMINGS, Rector (No. 396 Third avenue S., St. Cloud); C. G. WOOD, CHESTER COBURN, Wardens; C. A. CUMMINGS, S. S. Supt.

Pews free. No. sittings, 150. No. families, 17. Individuals, 64. Confirmed persons last report, 35. Lost by transfer and otherwise, 5. Present No. (m. 8, f. 22), 30. Communicants (m. 8, f. 18), 26. Communicating during year (m. 6, f. 19), 25. Holy Communion administered (pub.) 14. Public services (Sundays 51, other days 11), 62. Marriages, 2. Burials, 2. Sunday School teachers (m. 1, f. 1), 2. Scholars (m. 4, f. 16), 20. Total teachers, officers and scholars, 22.

Value of Church building, \$2,000. Lots upon which church stands, \$200. Total, \$2,200.

Indebtedness—\$230.

Receipts from all sources—Donations, \$252.75. Offerings, \$106.27. Parish Aid Societies, Guilds, etc., \$39.31. Total, \$393.33.

Expenditures—Parochial: Current expenses, \$23.30. Payment of debts, \$252.75. Rector's salary paid, \$104.01. Sunday School expenses, \$5.48. Total, \$385.54. Diocesan: Council Fund, \$2.00. Bishop's salary, \$3.00. Diocesan Missionary Board Fund, \$5.00. Total, \$10. Grand total, \$395.54.

Shakopee, Population 2,300, Scott County. S. PETER'S CHURCH; Rev. C. M. PULLEN, Rector; W. A. COLE, D. L. HOW, Wardens; CHAS. STORES, Treas. and Clerk of Vestry.

Pews free. No. sittings, 200. Rector's salary, \$300. No. families, 25. Individuals, 69. Baptisms (inf. 2), 2. Confirmations (m. 2, f. 5), 7. Confirmed persons last report, 37. Added by Confirmation, 7. Added by transfer and otherwise, 3. Total, 47. Present No. (m. 17, f. 30), 47. Communicants (m. 17, f. 30), 47. Holy Communion administered (pub. 3, private 1), 4. Public services (Sundays 10, other days 16), 26. Burials, 3. Sunday School teachers (m. 1, f. 3), 4. Scholars (m. 6, f. 12), 18. Total teachers, officers and Scholars, 22.

Value of Church building, \$1,500. Rectory, \$2,000. Lots upon which church stands, \$500. Total, \$4,000.

Value of Church building, \$15,000. Rectory, \$2,000. Lots upon which church stands, \$3,000. Total, \$20,000.

Indebtedness—\$2,500.

Receipts from all sources—Balance from last report, \$132.97. Communion alms, \$99.96. Subscriptions, \$2,550.30. Donations, \$75. Offerings, \$342.29. Parish Aid Society, \$255.18. Sunday School, \$157.02. Ascension Church Guild, \$54.50. Special offerings, \$294. Total, \$3,961.22.

Expenditures—Parochial: Current expenses, \$589.64. Rector's salary paid, \$1,200. Sunday School expenses, \$183.36. Poor (Charitable work), \$72.68. Mission work in Parish, \$23.44. Other expenses, \$222.85. Music, \$900. Rent of house for Rector, \$300. Total, \$3,491.97. Diocesan: Council Fund, \$25. Bishop's salary, \$60. Diocesan Missionary Board Fund, \$100. Other Mission work, \$26.66. Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund, \$6.43. Diocesan education (Scabury Divinity School), \$5.00. Sheltering Arms, \$5.00. Diocesan Missionary, \$45. Bishop Gilbert's Special Needs Fund, \$24.87. Total, \$297.96. General: Woman's Auxiliary, \$55. Jewish Missions, \$2.10. Johnstown sufferers, \$27.69. Total, \$84.79. Grand total, \$3,874.72.

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

In addition to the above, gifts have been made to the Church amounting to some \$25, and some \$286.50 in charity been done by the ladies, making the total contributions some \$4,186.22.

St. Charles, Population 1,000, Winona County. TRINITY CHURCH; N. E. PARROTT, J. C. WOODARD, Bishop's Committee; G. HAM, Treas.

Pews free. No. sittings, 125. Rector's salary, \$50. No. families, 15. Individuals, 60. Present No. Confirmed (m. 8, f. 15), 23. Communicants (m. 6, f. 13), 19. Communicating during the year, 17. Holy Communion administered, 2. Public services (Sundays 10, other days 2), 12. Marriages, 1.

Value of Church building, \$2,500. Lots upon which church stands, \$300. Total, \$2,860.

Receipts from all sources—Offerings, \$50.

Expenditures—Rector's salary paid, \$50.

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Pews rented. No. sittings, 125. Rector's salary, \$800. No. families, 55. Individuals, 317. Baptisms (inf. 8, ad. 4), 12. Confirmations (m. 1, f. 4), 5. Confirmed persons last report, 111. Added by Confirmation, 5. Added by transfer and otherwise, 6. Total, 122. Lost by death, 1. Lost by transfer and otherwise, 14. Total, 15. Present No. (m. 29, f. 78), 107. Communicants (m. 18, f. 65), 83. Communicating during year (m. 19, f. 81), 100. Holy Communion administered (pub.) 30. Public services (Sundays 131, other days 53), 184. Marriages, 3. Burials, 7. Sunday School teachers (m. 1, f. 7), 8. Other officers (m.) 2. Scholars (m. 39, f. 39), 78. Total teachers, officers and scholars, 88. Catechising, 40. S. S. Library books, 151.

Value of Church building, \$1,500. Rectory, \$1,500. Lots upon which church stands, \$3,000. Grounds and other property, \$2,000. Total, \$8,000.

Indebtedness—\$600.

Receipts from all sources—Communion alms, \$47.87. Subscriptions, \$602. Offerings, \$97.88. Parish Aid Societies, Guilds, etc., \$202.82. Special for Sunday School Library, \$140. Total, \$1,090.57.

Expenditures—Parochial: Current expenses, \$188.84. Payment of debts, \$30. Rector's salary paid, \$627.67. Poor (Charitable work), \$22.40. Mission work in Parish, \$15.10. Real estate, \$400. Total, \$1,284.01. Diocesan: Council Fund, \$10. Bishop's salary, \$22. Diocesan Missionary Board Fund, \$6.75. Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund, \$10.42. Diocesan Missionary, \$10. Special Missionary, \$2.26. Total, \$61.34. General: Domestic Missions, \$13.82. Foreign Missions, \$13.83. Woman's Auxiliary, \$5.68. American Church Building Fund, \$1.83. Bible and Prayer Book Society, \$1.75. Total, \$36.91. Grand total, \$1,392.26.

St. Paul (West), Population 25,000. ASCENSION CHURCH; The Rev. J. A. ANTRIM, Rector (No. 464 Clinton ave.); A. H. LARKEY, W. K. DIXON, Wardens; J. A. ANTRIM, S. S. Supt.; HARRY FRANKLIN, Lay Reader.

Receipts from all sources—Offerings, \$117.29. Parish Aid Societies, Guilds, etc., \$13.43. Total, \$130.72.

Expenditures—Parochial: Current expenses, \$24.13. Rector's salary paid, \$75. Total, \$99.13. Diocesan: Council Fund, \$5.00. Bishop's salary, \$10. Diocesan Missionary Board Fund, \$10. Total, \$25. Grand total, \$124.13.

Skyberg, Population 60, Goodhue County. JOHN MCCADDEN, Warden.

No. families, 10. Baptisms (ad.) 3. Individuals, 60.

Diocesan: Bishop's salary, \$4.00.

Slayton, Population 500, Murray County. S. JOHN'S CHURCH; Rev. The C. S. WARE, Rector.

Seats free. Individuals, 1. Baptisms (inf.) 1. Confirmed persons last report, 9. Total, 9. Lost by transfer and otherwise, 8. Present No. (m.) 1. Communicants (m.) 1. Communicating during year (m. 2, f. 3), 5. Holy Communion administered (pub.) 3. Public services (Sundays 2, other days 5), 7.

Value of Church building, \$400. Lots upon which church stands, \$100. Total \$500.

Receipts from all sources—Offerings, \$20.

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

Slayton is a Mission station; the church property is vested in the Bishop of the Diocese.

Sleepy Eye, Population 1,500. The Rev. S. B. PURVES, Rector (Redwood Falls P. O.); D. H. DINGHAM, Chairman Committee; JAS. ADDY, Treas.; H. G. HAYS, Clerk of Vestry and S. S. Supt.

Rector's salary, \$100. No. families, 12. Individuals, 60. Baptisms (inf. 15, ad. 7), 22. Confirmations (m. 8, f. 12), 20. Communicants (m. 13, f. 18), 31. Communicating during year (m. 13, f. 18), 31. Holy Communion administered (pub. 10, private 1), 11. Sunday School teachers (m. 2, f. 4), 6. Scholars (m. 17, f. 22), 39. Total teachers, officers and scholars, 45. Catechisings, 2.

Value of grounds and other property, \$100.

Receipts from all sources—Subscriptions, \$85. Donations, \$4.67. Offerings, \$35.20. Total, \$124.87.

Expenditures—Parochial: Current expenses, \$18.25. Rector's salary paid, \$85. Church or Mission work in Parish, \$10. Total, \$113.25. Diocesan: Diocesan education (Seabury Divinity School), \$2.40. Bishop Gilbert's Special Needs Fund, \$3.10. Total, \$5.50. Grand total, \$118.75.

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The work at this Mission started last July and has been blessed. The interest in the Church is most encouraging. Mr. W. L. Breckenridge has kindly donated a lot. The people have subscribed over \$1,000 for building a church, which (D. V.) will be built at once. Mr. Ernest Dray, of Seabury Divinity School, will spend his vacation at this place and help me in the work. The needs of this place will soon demand more than a monthly service.

Yours Sincerely,

STUART B. PURVES.

Stillwater, Population 18,000, Washington County. ASCENSION CHURCH; The Rev. ANDREW D. STOWE, Rector (No. 212 West Cherry St.); ROBT. SLAUGHTER, H. E. SMITH, Wardens; H. E. SMITH, Clerk of Vestry, Treas. and S. S. Supt.

Pews free. No sittings, 320. Rector's salary, \$1,200 and Rectory. No. families, 108. Individuals, 432. Baptisms (inf. 14, ad. 15), 29. Confirmations (m. 10, f. 19), 29. Confirmed persons last report, 135. Added by Confirmation, 29. Added by transfer and otherwise, 37. Total, 201. Lost by death, 3. Lost by transfer and otherwise, 9. Total lost, 12. Present No., 189. Communicants, 162. Communicating during the year, 154. Holy Communion administered, 27. Public services: Sundays 98, other days 94, 192. Marriages, 4. Burials, 8. Sunday School teachers: m. 1, f. 9, 10. Other officers (m. 1, f. 4), 5. Scholars (m. 48, f. 33), 103. Total teachers, officers and scholars, 118. Catechisings, 34. S. S. Library books, 145.

Value of Church building, \$15,000. Rectory, \$2,000. Lots upon which church stands, \$3,000. Total, \$20,000.

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Pews free. No. sittings, 350. Rector's salary, \$1,200. No. families, 60. Baptisms (inf.) 6. Confirmations (m.) 11. Confirmed persons last report, 82. Added by Confirmation, 11. Present No., 93. Communicating during year, 90. Holy Communion administered (pub. 4, private 2), 6. Public services (Sundays 60, other days 40), 100. Marriages, 2. Burials, 3. Sunday School teachers, 6. Other officers, 3. Scholars, 60. Total teachers, officers and scholars, 69. Catechisings, 28.

Value of Church building, \$10,000. Lots upon which church stands, \$4,000. Total, \$14,000.

Indebtedness—\$1,600.

Receipts from all sources—Communion alms, \$140. Subscriptions, \$600. Donations, \$4,400. Offerings, \$100. Parish Aid Societies, Guilds, etc., \$200. Sunday School, \$15. Total, \$5,455.

Expenditures—Parochial: Current expenses, \$1,500. Repairs, \$5,000. Rector's salary paid, \$400. Sunday School expenses, \$25. Poor (Charitable work), \$20. Other expenses, \$30. Total, \$6,975.

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

I am quite sorry that I cannot make a complete but a very imperfect report. I have no access to facts as yet, but so far as I have reported, it is nearly correct. The unfilled blanks where amounts for assessments should be filled I have not the amount assessed, consequently have made no collection yet. If I had known I doubt if it were possible, as we are now doing all that is possible in a financial way, but hope the next report will be more complete.

J. A. ANTRIM, Rector.

St. Paul, Population 134,000, Ramsey County. CHRIST CHURCH; The Rev. CHAS. D. ANDREWS, Rector (No. 155 Fourth st.); The Rev. EDWARD C. BILL, D. D., Associate Priest; REUBEN WARNER JOHN Q. ADAMS, Wardens; W. R. LADD, Clerk of Vestry; JAS. BAILLE, S. S. Supt.; RUSSELL FREEMAN, Lay Reader.

Pews rented. No. sittings, 650. Rector's salary, \$3,000. No. families, 380. Individuals, 1,850. Baptisms (inf. 31, ad. 6), 37. Confirmations (m. 13, f. 18), 31. Confirmed persons last report, 633. Added by Confirmation, 31. Added by transfer and otherwise, 26. Total, 57. Lost by death, 3. Lost by transfer and otherwise, 64. Total lost, 67. Present No. (m. 206, f. 417), 623. Communicating during the year, 525. Holy Communion administered (pub. 80, private 4), 84. Public services (Sundays 230, other days 180), 410. Marriages, 20. Churchings, 2. Burials, 12. Sunday School teachers (m. 7, f. 17), 24. Other officers, 3. Scholars, 180. Total teachers, officers and scholars, 209. Catechisings monthly. S. S. Library books, 300.

Value of Church building, \$40,000. Chapel, \$2,000. Rectory, \$6,000. Lots upon which church stands, \$12,000. Grounds and other property, \$11,500. Total, \$71,500.

Indebtedness—\$16,000.

Receipts from all sources—Communion alms, \$383. Pew rents, \$5,539.30. Subscriptions, \$505.50. Offerings, \$2,538.86. Parish Aid Societies, Guilds, etc., \$2,087.04. Sunday School, \$329.05. Subscriptions to Guild House Building Fund, \$10,108.59. Total, \$21,491.88.

Expenditures—Parochial: Current expenses, \$6,638.25. Rector's salary paid, \$3,000. Poor (Charitable work), \$400. Church or Mission work in Parish, \$345. Other expenses, building Guild house and changes in church building, \$14,244.06. Total, \$24,627.31. Diocesan: Council Fund, \$70.40. Bishop's salary, \$280. Diocesan Missionary Board Fund, \$550. Other Mission work, \$366.45. Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund, \$296. Diocesan education (Seabury Divinity School), \$40. S. Luke's Hospital, (about) \$500. Total, \$2,102.85. General Domestic Missions, \$25. Foreign Missions, \$30. Bible and Prayer Book Society, \$10. Total, \$65. Grand total, \$26,795.16.

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

Since my last report we have built and furnished a beautiful Guild Hall at a cost of nearly \$15,000, and have enlarged and beautified our chancel.

Every interest in the Parish is sustained and encouraged by a hearty co-operation of a most loyal Vestry and people. And while we are obliged to carry some debt, yet, with the continued blessing of God, we are hopeful of maintaining every good work which our hands can find to do for the Church at home and, as far as may be, abroad.

We regret to lose an esteemed and faithful assistant Minister, the Rev. C. E. Haupt, whose place we do not expect to fill at present.

St. Paul, Ramsey County. CHURCH OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD; The Rev. WM. C. POPE, Rector (No. 51 East Twelfth st.); The Rev. JAS. G. ST. LAWRENCE, Associate Priest (No. 178 East Fourteenth st.); GEO. BELL and PETER BALDY, Wardens; GEO. BELL, Treas.; GILBERT L. HORTON, Clerk of Vestry; GEO. BELL and CHAS. H. EVANS, S. S. Supts.; GEO. BELL CHAS. H. EVANS, Lay Readers.

Pews free. No. sittings, 250. Rector's salary, \$583.48. No. families, 50. Individuals, 250. Baptisms (inf. 25, ad. 1), 26. Confirmations (m. 3, f. 7), 10. Confirmed persons last report, 166. Added by Confirmation, 10. Added by transfer and otherwise, 17. Total, 193. Lost by death, 2. Lost by transfer and otherwise, 10. Total lost, 12. Present No. (m. 55, f. 126), 181. Communicating during the year (m. 32, f. 75), 107. Holy Communion administered (pub. 82, private), 84. Public services (Sundays 200, other days 850), 1,050. Marriages, 7. Burials, 2. Sunday Schools, 11. Teachers (m. 2, f. 6), 8. Other officers (m. 2, f. 1), 3. Catechisings, 40.

Value of Church building \$3,000. Chapel, \$1,500. Rectory, \$10,000. Lots upon which church stands, \$30,000. Total, \$44,500.

Indebtedness—\$1,500.

Receipts from all sources—Communion alms, \$1,184.53. Subscriptions, \$65. Offerings, \$310.95. Parish Aid Societies, Guilds, etc., \$15. Sunday School, \$1.59. Total, \$1,627.07.

Expenditures—Parochial: Current expenses, \$620.80. Repairs, \$18.15. Payment of debts, \$250. Rector's salary paid, \$583.48. Sunday School expenses, 20. Total, \$1,492.70. Diocesan: Council Fund, \$8.00. Bishop's salary, \$20. Diocesan Missionary Board Fund, \$48. Other Mission work, \$8.63. Diocesan education (Seabury Divinity School), \$2.81. Sheltering Arms, \$10.74. Total, \$98.18. General: Domestic Missions, \$12.68. Foreign Missions, \$12.01. Total, \$24.69. Grand total, \$1,615.57.

St. Paul, Ramsey County. THE MESSIAH CHURCH; GEO. L. KEEFER, S. S. Supt. and Lay Reader.

Pews free. No. sittings, 100. No. families, 31. Individuals, 134. Baptisms (inf. 9, ad. 2), 11. Confirmations (m. 3, f. 5), 8. Holy Communion administered, 20. Public services (Sundays 18, other days 7), 25. Sunday School teachers, 15. Other officers, 2. Scholars (m. 25, f. 58), 83. Total teachers, officers and scholars, 100. Catechisings, 15.

Value of Chapel, \$1,000. Lots upon which church stands, \$3,300. Total, \$4,300.

Indebtedness—\$3,250.

Receipts from all sources—Donations, \$41.10. Offerings, \$84.93. Parish Aid Societies, Guilds, etc., \$61. Sunday School, \$24.52. Total, \$211.55.

Expenditures—Parochial: Current expenses, \$66.41. Lay Reader's salary paid, \$47.30. Sunday School expenses, \$25.03. Other expenses, \$24.23. Taxes, \$26.20. Total, \$189.17.

T. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

The Chapel of the Messiah was opened for Divine service on the third Sunday of January, 1890, by the Rt. Rev. M. N. Gilbert. It is located on Fuller street, west of Kent.

St. Paul, Ramsey County. S. JAMES' CHURCH; WM. DUNLAP, GEO. KING, Wardens; SAMUEL HICKS, Treas.; HENRY REDPATH, Clerk of Vestry; GEO. KING, S. S. Supt.; GEO. L. RICHARDSON, Lay Reader.

Pews free. No. sittings, 100. No. families, 30. Individuals, 149. Baptisms, 9. Confirmations (m. 4, f. 4), 8. Confirmed persons last report, 45. Added by confirmation, 8. Added by transfer and otherwise, 16. Present No. (m. 31, f. 38), 99. Communicants, 60. Communicating during year, 50. Holy Communion administered, 11. Public services (Sundays 98, other days 11), 109. Marriages, 2. Sunday School teachers (m. 2, f. 5), 7. Other officers, 1. Scholars (m. 23, f. 57), 0. Total teachers, officers and scholars, 87.

Value of Church building, \$800. Lots upon which church stands, \$2,000. Grounds and other property, \$100. Total, \$2,900.

Receipts from all sources—Balance from last report, \$24.47. Offerings, \$194.71. Parish Aid Societies, Guilds, etc., \$75. Sunday School, \$13.07. Total, \$307.25.

Expenditures—Parochial: Current expenses, \$25.20. Other expenses, \$4.25. Bishop's Fund, \$6.19. Episcopal Mission Board, St. Paul, \$210. Sunday School board, \$5.00. Total, \$250.64.

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

All the above figures are from actual count of names. The Rev. Mr. Haupt takes charge of the Parish as Rector June 15, 1890.

Very Respectfully,

GEO. L. RICHARDSON, Lay Reader.

St. Paul, Ramsey County. CHURCH OF S. JOHN THE EVANGELIST; The Rev. JOHN H. WHITE, Rector (No. 470 Ashland ave.); G. W. DELLINGER, JOHN H. AMES, Wardens; S. C. OLMSTED, Treas.; A. M. EDDY, Clerk of Vestry; S. C. OLMSTED, S. S. Supt.

Pews rented. No. sittings, 512. Rector's salary, \$3,000. No. families, 197. Individuals, 706. Baptisms (inf. 20, ad. 3), 23. Confirmations (m. 5, f. 14), 19. Added by Confirmation, 19. Added by transfer and otherwise, 47. Total, 66. Lost by death, 1. Lost by transfer and otherwise, 11. Total lost, 12. Present No. (m. 95, f. 217), 312. Communicants (m. 87, f. 218), 305. Communicating during year (m. 87, f. 218), 305. Holy Communion administered (pub. 75, private 2), 77. Public services (Sundays 208, other days 148), 356. Marriages, 7. Burials, 7. Sunday School teachers (m. 6, f. 9), 15. Other officers, 4. Scholars (m. 44, f. 67), 111. Total teachers, officers and scholars, 130. Catechising, 28. S. S. Library books, 300.

Value of Church property, \$12,000.

Receipts from all sources—Balance from last report, \$981.81. Communion alms, \$187.23. Pew rents, \$3,607.22. Subscriptions, \$1,006.25. Offerings, \$1,521.50. Parish Aid Societies, Guilds, etc., \$869.98. Sunday School, \$178.76. Rent of Choir room, \$19. Loan, \$1,400. Vocation, \$18. Total, \$9,789.75.

Expenditures—Parochial: Current expenses, \$2,325.06. Church building, \$1,308.70. Rector's salary paid, \$2,815. Sunday School expenses, \$144.74. Poor (Charitable work), \$93.27. Bills payable, \$950. Interest, \$486. Total, \$8,122.77. Diocesan: Council Fund, \$47.50. Bishop's salary, \$45. Diocesan Missionary Board Fund, \$85. Other Mission work, \$162. Sheltering Arms, \$33.93. Bishop's Endowment Fund, \$100. St. Paul City Missions, \$159.56. Special Needs Fund, \$54.01. Total, \$687. General: Domestic Missions, \$45. Foreign Missions, \$35. Woman's Auxiliary, \$482.92. Johnstown sufferers, \$80.87. Offerings have been taken but not reported for Seabury Divinity School and Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund. Total, \$643.79. Grand total, \$9,453.56.

St. Paul, Merriam Park, Ramsey County. S. MARY'S CHURCH; The Rev. IVAN C. FORTIN, Rector (No. 1991 Milwaukee ave.); H. B. DUTCHER, Dr. HENDERSON, Wardens; A. W. AVERY, Treas.; Mr. CAMPBELL, Clerk of Vestry; HENRY GREGG, S. S. Supt.; H. HOOD, Lay Reader.

Pews free. No. sittings, 180. Rector's salary, \$600. No. families, 70. Individuals, 225. Baptisms (inf.) 1. Confirmed persons last report, 77. Added by transfer and otherwise, 8. Present No. (m. 32, f. 53), 85. Communicating during year, 7. Holy Communion administered, 7. Public services, 7. Sunday School teachers, (m. 2, f. 5), 7. Other officers (m. 2, f. 1), 3. Scholars (m. 22, f. 47), 69. Total teachers, officers and scholars, 79. Catechising, 52. S. S. Library books, 150.

Value of Church building, \$4,500. Lots upon which church stands, \$5,000. Total, \$9,500.

Indebtedness—\$1,275.

Receipts from all sources—Balance from last report, \$20.48. Subscriptions, \$372.35. Offerings, \$206.70. Parish Aid Societies, Guilds, etc., \$33. Loan, \$229.19. Total, \$861.72.

Expenditures—Parochial: Current expenses, \$104.60. Payment of debt, \$201.05. Rector's salary paid, \$313.97. Sunday School expenses, \$14.58. Other expenses, \$32.20. Interest on Church debt, \$129.33. Total, \$795.75. Diocesan: Council Fund, \$10. Bishop's salary, \$10. Diocesan Missionary Board Fund, \$30. Total, \$50. Grand total, \$845.73.

St. Paul, Ramsey County. S. MATTHEW'S CHURCH; The Rev. C. EDGAR HAUPT, Minister in charge; GEO. J. HEWSON, WALTER RUAN, Wardens; HERBERT GEORGE, Clerk of Vestry; J. H. SOUTHALE, S. S. Supt.

Pews free. No. sittings, 115. Rector's salary, \$100. No. families, 24. Individuals, 83. Baptisms (inf.) 4. Confirmations, 2. Confirmed persons last report,

27. Added by Confirmation, 2. Present No. (m. 13, f. 16), 29. Communicants, 25. Communicating during the year, 20. Holy Communion administered (pub.) 9. Public services (Sundays 52, other days 8), 60. Sunday School teachers (m. 3, f. 2), 5. Other officers, 1. Scholars, 20. Total teachers, officers and scholars, 26. Value of Church building, \$1,400. Lots upon which church stands, \$1,500. Total, \$2,900.

Indebtedness—\$2,436.47.

Receipts from all sources—Balance from last report, \$22.66. Communion alms, \$30.69. Subscriptions, \$240.20. Donations, \$97. Offerings, \$206.72. Parish Aid Societies, Guilds, etc., \$83.60. Sunday School, \$17.46. Loan on mortgage, \$1,400. Discounted note, \$600. Total, \$2,698.33.

Expenditures—Parochial: Current expenses, \$488.19. Payment of debts, \$50. Church building, \$1,106.55. Rector's salary paid, \$58.35. Paid on lot, \$833.34. Total, \$2,536.43. Diocesan: Other Mission work, \$6.34. Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund, \$5.72. Total, \$12.06. Grand total, \$2,548.49.

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

During the past year the Parish of S. Matthew's has erected a beautiful chapel which was opened for Divine service by Bishop M. N. Gilbert on the third Sunday in December, 1889. The Rev. H. S. Clapp will take charge of this Parish on June 1st.

St. Paul, Ramsey County. S. PAUL'S CHURCH; The Rev. JOHN WRIGHT, Rector (No. 383 East Ninth st.); Hon. WM., R. MERRIAM, WM. J. SLEPPY, Wardens; EDWARD KOPPER, Treas.; WM. J. SLEPPY, Clerk of Vestry; ALEX. MCKECHNIE, S. S. Supt.; WM. J. CORDICK, Lay Reader.

Pews rented. No. sittings, 475. Rector's salary, \$3,000. No. families, 275. Individuals, 825. Baptisms (inf. 19, ad. 8), 27. Confirmations (m. 11, f. 20), 31. Confirmed persons last report, 454. Added by Confirmation, 31. Added by transfer or otherwise, 30. Total, 61. Lost by death, 1. Lost by transfer and otherwise, 12. Total lost, 13. Present No. (m. 210, f. 292), 502. Communicants (m. 210, f. 292), 502. Communicating during year (m. 160, f. 290), 450. Holy Communion administered (pub. 35, private 8), 43. Public services (Sundays 104, other days 40), 144. Marriages, 11. Churchings, 5. Burials, 12. Sunday School teachers (m. 4, f. 8), 12. Other officers, 3. Scholars (m. 25, f. 150), 175. Total teachers, officers and scholars, 190. Catechisings, 52. S. S. Library books, 250.

Value of Church building, \$17,000. Rectory, \$2,000. Lots upon which church stands, \$11,600. Grounds and other property, \$22,000. Total, \$53,600.

Indebtedness—\$2,917.43.

Receipts from all sources—Communion alms, \$176. Pew rents, \$2,803.85. Subscriptions, \$2,147. Donations, \$3,200. Offerings, \$3,051.73. Parish Aid Societies, Guilds, etc., \$850. Sunday School, \$354.08. Total, \$12,582.66.

Expenditures—Parochial: Current expenses, \$2,685.61. Payments of debts, \$2,883.42. Church building, \$4,674.07. Sunday School expenses, \$40. Poor (Charitable work), \$125. Other expenses, \$100. Memorial gifts, \$1,200. Total, \$12,708.10. Diocesan: Council Fund, \$50. Bishop's salary, \$200. Diocesan Missionary Board Fund, \$400. Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund, \$8.25. Sheltering Arms, \$23.44. S. Luke's Hospital, \$1,248.38. Total, \$1,930.07. General: Domestic Missions, \$40. Foreign Missions, \$25. Woman's Auxiliary, \$923.44. Miscellaneous, \$23. City Mission Society, \$225. Diocesan Missionary, \$100. Jewish Missions, \$15.06. Children's Lenten offering, \$32.80. Children's Aid Society, \$15. Lay Reader, \$250. Total, \$1,649.30. Grand total, \$16,287.47.

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

The chancel has been enlarged at an expense of \$4,674.07. Four memorial windows, a brass pulpit and Litany desk have been presented.

St. Paul, Ramsey County. S. PETER'S CHURCH; The Rev. SAMUEL MILLS, Rector; C. A. SELEY, Jr., Warden; D. DAVIES, Acting Treas. and Clerk of Vestry; F. B. MILLARD, S. S. Supt. and Lay Reader.

Pews free. No. sittings, 200. Rector's salary, \$900. No. families, 90. Individuals, 300. Baptisms (inf. 13, ad. 4), 17. Confirmations (m. 2, f. 8), 10. Present No. Confirmed (m. 48, f. 72), 120. Communicating during year, 104. Holy Communion administered (pub. 26, private 8), 34. Public services (Sundays 98, other days 23), 121. Marriages, 3. Churchings, 1. Burials, 5. Sunday School teachers (m. 3, f. 6), 9. Other officers, 3. Scholars, 110. Total teachers, officers and scholars, 122. Catechisings, 9.

Value of Church building, \$6,000. Lots upon which church stands, \$5,000. Total, \$11,000.

Indebtedness—\$4,800.

Receipts from all sources—Balance from last report, \$65.28. Communion alms, \$46.70. Subscriptions, \$432.84. Donations, \$426. Offerings, \$138.24. Parish Aid Societies, Guilds, etc., \$180.57. Mortgage, \$3,500. Total, \$4,789.63. *Expenditures*—Parochial: Current expenses, \$223.38. Payment of debts, \$4,024.43. Rector's salary paid, \$335. Total, \$4,582.81. Diocesan: Bishop's salary, \$2,500. Other Mission work, \$200. Sheltering Arms, Box. Total, \$202.50. General: Domestic Missions, \$18. Grand total, \$4,803.31.

St. Paul, Ramsey County. S. STEPHEN'S CHURCH; The Rev. CHAS. D. ANDREWS, Rector (No. 155 West Fourth st.); The Rev. C. EDGAR HAUPT, Assistant Minister (No. 580 Fuller st.); T. F. YORK, GEO. HERBERT, JOHN D. FARRELL, CHAS. H. PARKER, Bishop's Committee; GEO. HERBERT, Treas.; GEO. C. COCHRAN, S. S. Supt.

Pews free. No. sittings, 100. Assistant Minister's salary, \$150. No. families, 43. Individuals, 141. Baptisms (inf. 3, ad. 2), 5. Confirmations (m. 3, f. 1), 4. Confirmed persons last report, 39. Added by Confirmation, 4. Added by transfer or otherwise, 18. Total, 61. Lost by transfer and otherwise, 8. Present No. (m. 20, f. 33), 53. Communicating during year (m. 12, f. 22), 34. Holy Communion administered, 12. Public services (Sundays 52, other days 9), 61. Burials, 2. Sunday School teachers (m. 2, f. 7), 9. Other officers, 3. Scholars, 100. Total teachers, officers and scholars, 112. S. S. Library books, 250.

Value of Church building, \$3,000. Lots upon which church stands, \$1,500. Total, \$4,500.

Receipts from all sources—Communion alms, \$31.69. Subscriptions, \$105. Offerings, \$155.31. Parish Aid Societies, Guilds, etc., \$30.02. Sunday School, \$61.22. Total, \$383.24.

Expenditures—Parochial: Current expenses, \$34.15. Repairs, \$14.46. Payment of debts, \$12.50. Rector's salary paid, \$150. Sunday School expenses, \$19.90. Total, \$231.01. Diocesan: Bishop's salary, \$5.00. Diocesan Missionary Board Fund, \$17. Assistant Bishop's Needs Fund, \$4.50. Hospital, \$2.61. Total, \$29.11. General: Foreign Missions, \$1.90. Grand total, \$262.02.

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

The Rev. H. S. Clapp will take charge of this Parish on June 1st.

St. Paul Park, Population 1,800, Washington County. TRINITY CHURCH; The Rev. IVAN C. FORTIN, Rector; JOHN CRAN, J. B. BENSON, Wardens; JOHN WEEKS, Treas.; R. L. SCOTT, Clerk of Vestry and S. S. Supt.

Pews free. No. sittings, 150. Rector's salary, \$200. Baptisms, 1. Confirmations (m. 3, f. 4), 7. Added by Confirmation, 7. Present No. (m. 18, f. 20), 38. Communicants (m. 18, f. 20), 38. Communicating during year (m. 18, f. 20), 38. Marriages, 1. Sunday School teachers (m. 2, f. 4), 6. Other officers (m. 2, f. 1), 3. Scholars (m. 14, f. 20), 34. Total teachers, officers and scholars, 42. Value of Church building, \$1,000.

Indebtedness—\$500.

Receipts from all sources—Subscriptions, \$75. Donations, \$30. Offerings, \$80. Sunday School, \$5.00. Total, \$190.

Expenditures—Parochial: Payment of debts, \$312. Church building, \$312. Sunday School expenses, \$10. Total, \$634.

St. Peter, Population 4,500, Nicollet County. HOLY COMMUNION CHURCH; A. W. DANIELS, M. D., C. R. WOODS, Wardens; F. M. DONAHOWER, Treas.; A. W. DANIELS, Jr., M. D., Clerk of Vestry; F. H. BAR-
TON, S. S. Supt. and Lay Reader pro tem.

Pews free. No. sittings, 200. No. families, 54. Individuals, 167. Baptisms (inf. 13, ad. 3), 16. Confirmed persons last report, 90. Added by transfer and otherwise, 6. Total, 96. Lost by death, 1. Lost by transfer and otherwise, 7. Total lost, 8. Present No. (m. 31, f. 57), 88. Communicants about 80. Communicating during year (m. 15, f. 45), 60. Holy Communion administered (pub. 5, private 2), 7. Public services (Sundays 27, other days 33), 60. Marriages, 2. Burials, 3. Sunday School teachers, 6. Other officers (m. 1, f. 1), 2. Scholars (m. 20, f. 40), 60. Total teachers, officers and scholars, 68. Catechisings, 25. S. S. Library books, 125.

Value of Church building, \$8,000. Rectory, 2,500. Total, \$10,500.

Indebtedness—\$300.

Receipts from all sources—Balance from last report, \$16.35. Communion alms, \$293.32. offerings, \$303.12. Sunday School, \$33.11. Festivals, etc., Ladies' Society, \$166.40. Total, 924.19.

Expenditures—Parochial: Current expenses, \$223.17. Payment of debts, \$373.40. Rector's salary paid, \$358.15. Sunday School expenses, \$31.03. Total, \$954.72. Diocesan: Council Fund, \$7.00. Bishop's salary, \$15. Diocesan Missionary Board Fund, \$30. Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund, \$5.55. Education (Seabury Divinity School), \$5.45. Total, \$63. Grand total, \$1,017.72.

St. Vincent and Hallock, Population 250, Kittson County. CHRIST CHURCH; The Rev. HENRY BEER, Rector; S. ROSS, C. TASCHEREAN, Wardens; J. S. DAVIDSON, S. S. Supt.

Pews free. No. sittings, 200. Rector's salary, \$1,000. No. families, 50. Individuals, 175. Baptisms (inf. 19, ad. 3), 22. Confirmations (m. 3, f. 4), 7. Confirmed persons last report, 63. Added by Confirmation, 7. Added by transfer and otherwise, 1. Total, 71. Lost by death, 7. Lost by transfer and otherwise, 12. Total lost, 14. Present No. (m. 25, f. 35), 60. Communicants (m. 25, f. 28), 53. Communicating during year (m. 90, f. 54), 144. Holy Communion administered (pub. 24, private 3), 27. Public services (Sundays 96, other days 15), 111. Marriages, 5. Burials, 2. Sunday Schools, 2. Teachers (m. 2, f. 5), 7. Scholars (m. 18, f. 23), 41. Total teachers, officers and scholars, 48. Catechisings, 3. S. S. Library books, 40.

Value of Church building, \$1,800. Chapel, \$2,200. Rectory, \$1,500. Lots upon which church stands, \$1,300. Total, \$6,800.

Receipts from all sources—Subscriptions, \$267.94. Sunday School, \$15.36. Mission Grant, \$212.50. Total, \$493.80.

Expenditures—Parochial: Rector's salary paid, \$267.94. Sunday School expenses, \$15.36. Total, \$283.30. Diocesan: Council Fund, \$4.00. Bishop's salary, \$4.00. Diocesan Missionary Board Fund, \$5.50. Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund, \$1.00. Jews, \$3.00. Diocesan Missionary, \$5.84. Total, \$22.84. Grand total, \$306.14.

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

During the past year, this portion of your Diocese has met with an almost total failure of crop. This has caused many people to emigrate still farther west. Those who remained were extremely poor. St. Vincent has now lost nearly all the Communicating members. For many years this congregation has been decreasing by constant removals.

I am Rt. Rev. Sir:

Your Obedient Servant,

HENRY BEER.

Tower, Population 1,500, St. Louis County. S. MARY'S CHURCH; D. H. BACON, Treas.; Dr. FRED. BARRETT, Clerk of Vestry; Mrs. CAROLINE R. BARRETT, S. S. Supt.

Assistant Minister's salary, \$225. No. families, 18. Individuals, 72. Confirmed persons last report, 20. Added by transfer and otherwise, 5. Total, 25. Lost by transfer and otherwise, 5. Present No., 20. Communicants (m. 1, f. 19), 20. Communicating during year (m. 1, f. 17), 18. Holy Communion administered, 6. Public services (Sundays) 22. Marriages, 2. Sunday School teachers (f.) 4. Other officers (m. 1, f. 1), 2. Scholars (m. 13, f. 22), 35. Total teachers, officers and scholars, 39. Catechisings, 2.

Value of Church building, \$3,800. Lots upon which church stands, \$500. Total, \$4,300.

Receipts from all sources—Balance from last report, \$210.58. Parish Aid Societies, Guilds, etc., \$259. Sunday School, \$55.29. Young ladies, \$40. Total, \$564.87.

Expenditures—Parochial: Church building, \$3,800. Rector's salary paid, \$225. Mission work in Parish, \$25. Other expenses, Rent, \$65. Offertories, \$36.33. Total, \$4,151.33. Diocesan: Bishop's salary, \$2.00. General: Foreign Missions, \$21. Grand total, \$4,174.33.

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

The General Missionary has held 12 services at Tower, and Mr. Leeds 11, making a total of 23 during the past year.

Wabasha, Population 3,500, Wabasha County. GRACE CHURCH; The Rev. J. J. HILLMER, Rector (No. 203 East King st., Winona P. O.); Ajt. Gen. J. H. MULLEN, J. G. LAWRENCE, Wardens; J. A. PECK, Treas.; E. L. MCLEAN, Clerk of Vestry; L. AFFELD, S. S. Supt.

Pews free. No. sittings, 110. No. families, 44. Individuals, 200. Baptisms (inf.) 2. Confirmations (m. 11, f. 6), 17. Confirmed persons last report, 62. Added by Confirmation, 2. Total, 64. Lost by transfer and otherwise, 4. Present No. (m. 8, f. 52), 60. Communicants (m. 8, f. 52), 60. Communicating during year, 50. Holy Communion administered, 2. Public services (Sundays) 9. Marriages, 1. Burials, 1. Sunday School teachers (m. 1, f. 9), 10. Other officers, 2. Scholars, 80. Total teachers, officers and scholars, 92. Catechisings, 1. S. S. Library books, 300.

Value of Church building, \$1,200. Rectory, \$2,000. Lots upon which church stands, \$1,000. Total, \$4,200.

Receipts from all sources—Offerings, \$50. Parish Aid Societies, Guilds, etc., \$125. Sunday School, \$133.14. Total, \$308.14.

Expenditures—Parochial: Rector's salary paid, \$146. Other expenses, \$114.84. Total, \$262.84.

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

On Easter Sunday I took charge of Grace Church, Wabasha, and since that time have held regular services on every Sunday. The good people have treated me with the utmost kindness and their appreciation of my services has been a source of great comfort and encouragement to me. The Sunday School is in a most flourishing condition under the efficient and faithful superintending of Mr. Affel.

I hope the good work will continue to prosper and peace and harmony will always prevail. On taking charge of this Parish I had to discontinue my services at Minneka to the sorrow of the good people there. But during vacation I expect to officiate at that place on Sunday evenings.

Yours Faithfully,

J. J. HILLMER.

Wadena, Population 1,000, Wadena County. GRACE MISSION CHURCH; The Rev. CHAS. C. ROLLIT, Minister in charge (P. O. Fergus Falls).

No. sittings, 50. No. families, 13. Individuals, 49. Baptisms (inf, 2, ad. 1). 3. Present No. Confirmed persons, 15.

Value of Church building, \$600. Lots upon which church stands, \$1,000. Total, \$1,600.

Receipts from all sources—\$26.97.

Warsaw, Population 400, Rice County. S. THOMAS' CHURCH; The Rev. E. S. PEAKE, Rector (Faribault P. O.); HENRY PLATT, Warden; WILLARD HUGHSON, Treas.; W. S. SNYDER, Clerk of Vestry; JACOB HERSHEY, S. S. Supt.

Pews free. No. sittings, 50. Rector's salary, \$150. No. families, 20. Individuals, 80. Baptisms (inf. 3, ad. 3). 6. Confirmed persons last report, 27. Added by transfer and otherwise, 2. Lost by transfer and otherwise, 1. Present No. (m. 13, f. 15), 28. Communicating during year (m. 13, f. 15), 28. Holy Communion administered, 11. Public services (Sundays 19, other days 2), 21. Sunday School teachers (m. 2, f. 5), 7. Other officers (m. 2, f. 1), 3. Scholars (m. 18, f. 24), 42. Total teachers, officers and scholars, 52. Catechisings, 15. S. S. Library books, 30.

Value of Church building, \$1,000. Lots upon which church stands, \$100. Total, \$1,100.

Receipts from all sources—Subscriptions, \$87.50. Donations, \$5.92. Offerings, \$30.27. Parish Aid Societies, Guilds, etc., \$45.60. Sunday School, \$30.42. Total, \$199.71.

Expenditures—Parochial: Current expenses, \$16.79. Repairs, \$12. Rector's salary paid, \$127.50. Sunday School expenses, \$30.42. Total, \$186.71. Diocesan: Council Fund, \$2.00. Bishop's salary, \$5.00. Diocesan Missionary Board Fund, \$6.00. Total, \$13. Grand total, \$199.71.

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

I took pastoral care of this congregation upon the invitation of the Committee, January 17, 1890, going out from Faribault every Sunday afternoon for service at three o'clock. There is a growing interest.

Waseca, Population 3,000, Waseca County. CALVARY CHURCH; The Rev. Wm. McVETTIE, Rector, until Jan. 1, 1890; Dr. CUMMINGS, Mr. CRONE, CHAS. WARD, Bishop's Committee; Mrs. E. B. COLLISTER, S. S. Supt.

Pews free. Rector's salary, \$300. No. families, 14. Individuals, 52. Confirmed persons last report, 36. Lost by death, 1. Present No., 35. Communicants (m. 2, f. 28), 30. Communicating during year (m. 2, f. 11), 13. Holy Communion administered (pub.) 6. Public services (Sundays 29, other days 2), 31. Marriages, 3. Burials, 1. S. S. Library books, 40. Value of Church building, \$1,500. Lots upon which church stands, \$500. Total, \$2,000.

Receipts from all sources—Subscriptions, \$194. Parish Aid Societies, Guilds, etc., \$10. Total, \$204.

Expenditures—Parochial: Rector's salary paid, \$204.

T. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

The above includes from June 1st, 1889, until Jan. 1st, 1890, when I took charge of Christ Church, Austin.

Waterville, Population 1,000, Le Sueur County. S. ANDREW'S CHURCH;
The Rev. WM. TUSON, Rector; H. H. STOWE, JOHN RUTHS, Wardens;
JOHN RUTHS, Treas.; A. W. KNAAK, Clerk of Vestry; L. STOWE, S. S. Supt.

Pews free. No. sittings, 100. Rector's salary, \$300. No. families, 15. Individuals, 80. Baptisms (inf. 9, ad. 1), 10. Confirmed persons last report, 38. Added by Confirmation, 6. Total, 44. Lost by death, 1. Present No., 43. Communicants (m. 13, f. 21), 34. Communicating during year (m. 13, f. 21), 34. Holy Communion administered (pub.) 2. Public services (Sundays 78, other days 8), 6. Marriages, 2. Burials, 1. Sunday School teachers (m. 2, f. 3), 5. Other officers (m.) 2. Scholars (m. 8, f. 22), 30. Total teachers, officers and scholars, 37. S. S. Library books, 150.

Value of Church building, \$1,500. Lots upon which church stands, \$1,500. Total, \$3,000.

Receipts from all sources—Subscriptions, \$260. Offerings, \$96.69. Sunday school, \$10.25. Total, \$366.94.

Expenditures—Parochial: Current expenses, \$35. Rector's salary paid, 300. Sunday School expenses, \$6.00. Poor (Charitable work), \$26.50. Church or Mission work in Parish, \$6.50. Total, \$393.44. Diocesan: Council Fund, 3.00. Bishop's salary, \$5.00. Diocesan Missionary Board Fund, \$8.00. Total, 16. Grand total, \$409.44.

Nells, Population 1,200, Faribault County. CHURCH OF THE NATIVITY;
J. M. NYE, J. P. BURKE, Wardens; E. J. MCGUEKIN, Treas.; J. A. JOHNSON, Clerk of Vestry; LAWRENCE C. MILLER, Lay Reader in charge.

Pews free. No. sittings, 125. Rector's salary, \$800. No. families, 22. Individuals, 90. Baptisms (inf. 6, ad. 1), 7. Confirmed persons last report, 55. Added by transfer and otherwise, 4. Total, 59. Lost by death, 2. Lost by transfer and otherwise, 4. Total lost, 6. Present No. (m. 19, f. 34), 53. Communicants (m. 9, f. 34), 53. Communicating during year (m. 16, f. 33), 49. Holy Communion administered (pub.) 33. Public services (Sundays 101, other days 62), 163. Burials, 8. Sunday School teachers (m. 1, f. 5), 6. Other officers (m. 2, f. 1), 3. Scholars (m. 20, f. 23), 43. Total teachers, officers and scholars, 52. Catechisings, 12. Value of Church building, \$3,000. Rectory, \$1,100. Lots upon which church stands, \$500. Total, \$4,600.

Receipts from all sources—Balance from last report, \$35.26. Subscriptions, 614. Donations, \$55.09. Offerings, \$265.24. Parish Aid Societies, Guilds, etc., 300. Sunday School, \$78.96. Total, \$1,348.55.

Expenditures—Parochial: Current expenses, \$187.53. Church furnishing, 45.65. Rector's salary paid, \$734. Sunday School expenses, \$23.46. Church or mission work in Parish, \$53.75. Parish Library, \$35. Total, \$1,079.39. Diocesan: Council Fund, \$5.00. Bishop's salary, \$8.00. Diocesan Missionary Board Fund, \$5.00. Other Mission work, \$55. Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund, \$4.40. Diocesan Education (Seabury Divinity School), \$41.32. Sheltering Arms, \$7.47. Diocesan Missionary (Sunday School), \$10. Total, \$136.19. General: Domestic Missions, \$11.64. Foreign Missions, \$10.95. Miscellaneous, \$15. Patty Bayard Hospital, \$5.00. 1889 (Sunday School Lenten Offering) Foreign Missions, \$25.57. Colored Missions, \$6.00. 1890 (Sunday School Lenten Offering), \$22.17. Total, 96.33. Grand total, \$1,311.91.

T. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

I have the honor to enclose the report of the Parish of the Church of the Nativity, made up by the late Rector, Rev. E. H. Clark, up to time of his removal to the West Wing, by myself to date.

During the past year a Parish Library has been founded, numbering some 300 volumes to begin with, the necessary funds being furnished by the Parish societies. And the Church has been enriched by presentations of Brass Altar Cross, Vases, Reading Desk, together with handsome Dossal hangings.

I Remain Sir:

Your Obedient Servant,

L. C. MILLER.

White Bear, Population 1,000, Ramsey County. S. JOHN'S IN WILDERNESS CHURCH; The Rev. SAMUEL MILLS, Rector (P. O. St. Paul); CYRUS B. COBB, WM. CLARK, Wardens; GEO. STAEHLE, Treas.; GEO. S. GANNETT, Clerk of Vestry; CYRUS B. COBB, S. S. Supt.

Pews free. No. sittings, 150. Rector's salary, \$300. No. families, 40. Individuals, 150. Baptisms (inf.) 3. Confirmations (f.) 3. Present No., 45. Communicants, 45. Holy Communion administered (pub.) 12. Public services (Sundays) 35. Marriages, 1. Burials, 1. Sunday School teachers (m. 2, f. 2), 4. Scholars (m. 17, f. 18), 35. Total teachers, officers and scholars, 40. S. S. Library books, 150.

Value of Church building, \$1,500. Lots upon which church stands, \$1,200. Total, \$2,700.

Receipts from all sources—Subscriptions, \$128. Donations, \$25. Offerings, \$174.28. Sale of old organ, \$23.25. Proceeds of church festival, \$41.09. Borrowed from Young People's Guild, \$25. Total, \$399.78.

Expenditures—Parochial: Current expenses, \$43.24. Repairs, \$4.25. Payment of debts, \$36.11. Rector's salary paid, \$250.85. Total, \$334.45. Diocesan: Council Fund, \$10. Bishop's salary, \$10. Diocesan Missionary Board Fund, \$20. Bishop's Need Fund, \$4.51. Total, \$44.51. General: Domestic and Foreign Missions, \$20.82. Grand total, \$399.78.

Wilder, Population 100, Jackson County. CHURCH OF THE REDEEMER.

Baptisms (inf. 4, ad. 6), 10. Present No. Confirmed persons (m. 6, f. 6), 12. Holy Communion administered, 4. Public services (Sundays 6, other days 4), 10.

Willmar, Population 1,500, Kandiyohi County. S. LUKE'S CHURCH: The Rev. DANIEL THEODORE BOOTH, Rector; JOHN H. WIGGINS, EDWARD S. FROST, M. D., Wardens; Mrs. S. L. RICE, Treas.; BENJAMIN WILLIAMS, Clerk of Vestry; JOHN H. WIGGINS, S. S. Supt.

Pews free. No. sittings, 125. Rector's salary, \$473.65. No. families, 47. Individuals, 236. Baptisms (inf. 7, ad. 3), 10. Confirmations (m. 8, f. 9), 17. Confirmed persons last report, 78. Added by Confirmation, 17. Added by transfer and otherwise, 7. Total, 102. Lost by transfer and otherwise, 8. Present No. (m. 38, f. 56), 94. Communicants (m. 65, f. 140), 205. Communicating during year (m. 25, f. 54), 79. Holy Communion administered (pub.) 17. Public services (Sundays 151, other days 74), 225. Marriages, 7. Burials, 7. Sunday School teachers (m. 1, f. 6), 7. Other officers (m. 2, f. 2), 4. Scholars (m. 39, f. 46) 85. Total teachers, officers and scholars, 94. Catechisings, 25. S. S. Library books, 50.

Value of Church building, \$2,400. Rectory, \$2,100. Lots upon which church stands, \$1,500. Total, \$6,000.

Receipts from all sources—Balance from last report, \$48.83. Communion gifts, \$47.84. Subscriptions, \$473.65. Donations, \$22. Offerings, \$117.50. Parish Aid Societies, Guilds, etc., \$314.09. Sunday School, \$52.54. Receipts from Mission stations, \$16.92. Total, \$1,093.37.

Expenditures—Parochial: Current expenses, \$133.65. Repairs, \$187.11. Rector's salary paid, \$473.65. Sunday School expenses, \$99.29. Poor (Charitable work), \$25.15. Other expenses, \$76.35. Total, \$995.20. Diocesan: Council Fund, \$5.00. Bishop's salary, \$12. Diocesan Missionary Board Fund, \$20. Other Mission work, \$18.85. Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund, \$6.17. Sheltering arms, \$2.07. Total, \$64.09. General: Domestic Missions, \$12.88. Foreign Missions, \$11.45. Woman's Auxiliary, \$1.00. American Church Building Fund, \$3.97. Bible and Prayer Book Society, \$4.78. Total, \$34.08. Grand total, \$1,093.37.

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

I have included, in this report, the statistics for 'New London, Kerkhoven and Spicer, all unorganized stations. I give to these places, monthly, evening, week day services, as it is not practicable to reach them on Sundays.

D. T. BOOTH, Missionary.

Windom, Population 1,000, Cottonwood County. CHURCH OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD; The Rev. C. S. WARE, Rector (P. O. Luverne); Mrs. T. C. COLLINS, Treas.; Mrs. C. STUART KING, S. S. Supt.

Pews free. No. sittings, 70. Rector's salary, \$250. No. families, 9. Individuals, 36. Baptisms (inf. 7, ad. 2), 9. Confirmations (m. 1, f. 2), 3. Confirmed persons last report, 19. Added by Confirmation, 3. Added by transfer and otherwise, 4. Total, 26. Lost by transfer and otherwise, 1. Present No. (m. 7, f. 18), 5. Communicating during year (m. 4, f. 12), 16. Holy Communion administered (pub.), 14. Public services (Sundays 48, other days 7), 55. Sunday School teachers (f.) 5. Other officers (f.) 1. Scholars (m. 10, f. 22), 32. Total teachers, officers and scholars, 39. Catechisings, 3. S. S. Library books, 30.

Value of Church building \$750. Lots upon which church stands, \$200. Total, \$950.

Receipts from all sources—Subscriptions, \$155.50. Offerings, \$53.69. Parish Aid Societies, Guilds, etc., \$236.54. Sunday School, \$15.50. Total, \$461.23.

Expenditures—Parochial: Current expenses, \$10. Repairs, \$75. Rector's salary paid, \$250. Sunday School expenses, \$20. Other expenses, \$50. Total, 405. Diocesan: Bishop's salary, \$3.00. Diocesan Missionary Board Fund, 5.00. Total, \$8.00. Grand total, \$413.

T. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

Windom is a Mission station. The church property is vested in the Bishop of the Diocese.

Very Truly Yours,

C. S. WARE.

Winona, Population 20,000, Winona County. S. PAUL'S CHURCH; The Rev. W. H. KNOWLTON, Rector (No. 253 Wabash st.); CHAS. HORTON, L. D. FROST, Wardens; L. D. FROST, Treas.; C. M. MORSE, Clerk of Vestry; W. A. CUNNINGHAM, S. S. Supt.

No. sittings, 400. Rector's salary, \$1,500. No. families, 120. Individuals, 00. Baptisms (inf.) 12. Confirmations (m. 4, f. 6), 10. Confirmed persons last report, 162. Added by Confirmation, 10. Added by transfer and otherwise, 5. Total, 15. Lost by death, 2. Lost by transfer and otherwise, 21. Total lost, 23. Present No., 154. Communicants (m. 40, f. 114), 154. Communicating during year (m. 38, f. 66), 104. Holy Communion administered (pub. 75, private 3), 78. Public services (Sundays 150, other days 74), 224. Marriages, 3. Burials, 18. Sunday School teachers (m. 4, f. 12), 16. Other officers (m. 2, f. 2), 4. Scholars (m. 50, f. 59), 109. Total teachers, officers and scholars, 129. Catechisings, 25. S. Library books, 300.

Value of Church building, \$30,000. Lots upon which church stands, \$10,000. Total, \$40,000.

Receipts from all sources—Communion alms, \$84. Subscriptions, \$1,725. Donations, \$1,000. Offerings, \$566. Parish Aid Societies, Guilds, etc., \$380. Sunday School, \$134. Total, \$3,599.

Expenditures—Parochial: Current expenses, \$500. Rector's salary paid, \$1,000. Sunday School expenses, \$100. Poor, (Charity,) \$150. Reserve for vested choir Fund, \$1,000. Reserve for Guild House, \$337.50. Total, \$3,599.50. Diocesan: Council Fund, \$30. Bishop's salary, \$100. Diocesan Missionary Board Fund, \$112.50. Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund, \$15. Diocesan Education (Seavoy Divinity School), \$5.00. Assistant Bishop's Special Needs, \$12.00. Interest, 7.00. Total, \$276.50. General: Domestic Missions, \$6.25. Foreign Missions, 6.25. Total, \$12.50. Grand total, \$3,599.

T. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

There are quite a number of Confirmed people in S. Paul's Parish, who are unalterably attached to other Communions. I cannot conscientiously record these to the credit of the Church. The same is also true of a number who were at one time Communicants.

Respectfully,

W. H. KNOWLTON.

Worthington, Population 1,200, Nobles County. S. JOHN'S CHURCH; The Rev. C. S. WARE, Rector (Luverne P. O.); Mrs. T. L. MITCHELL, Treas.; Mrs. R. A. FIRTH, S. S. Supt.; FRED D. REED, Lay Reader.

Pews free. No. families, 4. Individuals, 21. Baptisms (inf. 10, ad. 7), 17. Confirmations (m. 1, f. 7), 8. Confirmed persons last report, 14. Added by Confirmation, 8. Added by transfer and otherwise, 2. Total, 24. Present No. (m. 6, f.

18), 24. Communicants (m. 4, f. 14), 18. Communicating during year (m. 2, f. 10), 12. Holy Communion administered (pub.) 10. Public services (Sundays 3, other days 25), 28. Sunday School teachers (f.) 4. Scholars, 35. Total teachers, officers and scholars, 39. Catechisings, 4.

Value of Church building, \$700. Lots upon which church stands, \$100. Total, \$800.

Receipts from all sources—Communion alms, \$11.05. Subscriptions, \$50. Donations, \$62.50. Offerings, \$19.32. Parish Societies, Guilds, etc., \$100. Sunday School, \$20.80. Total, \$217.67.

Expenditures—Parochial: Current expenses, \$37. Repairs, \$100. Rector's salary paid, \$32. Sunday School expenses, \$12.82. Other expenses, \$10. Total, \$191.82. Diocesan: Council Fund, \$1.50. Bishop's salary, \$3.00. Diocesan Missionary Board Fund, \$5.00. Total, \$9.50. Grand total, \$201.32.

***Farmington, Population 700, Dakota County. CHURCH OF THE ADVENT; FRANK W. THORNE, THOS. PEARSON, Wardens; JNO. H. THURSTON, Clerk of Vestry.**

Pews free. No. sittings, 100. No. families, 6. Individuals, 18. Baptisms (inf.) 1. Burials, 1. Public services, 1. Holy Communion administered, 1.

Value of Church building and lots, \$800.

Only one service held during the year and that by the Rev. C. A. Poole.

JOHN H. THURSTON, Clerk of Vestry.

***Basswood Grove, Washington County. S. MARY'S CHURCH; The Rev. JNO. W. PROSSER, in charge (No. 1922 Fourth st. S. E., Minneapolis); JNO. WRIGHT (P. O. Hastings), HENRY GALLINGER (P. O. Cottage Grove), Wardens; DAVID B. GALLINGER (P. O. Cottage Grove), Treas.; HENRY GALLINGER, Clerk of Vestry; DAVID B. GALLINGER, Lay Reader.**

Pews free. No. sittings, 100. Rector's salary, \$168. No. families, 17. Individuals, 83. Baptisms (inf.) 3. Confirmations (f.) 1. Confirmed persons last report, 39. Added by Confirmation, 1. Present No. (m. 17, f. 23), 40. Communicants (m. 15, f. 23), 38. Holy Communion administered (pub.) 6. Public services (Sundays 23, other days 1), 24. Marriages, 1. Burials, 4.

Value of Church building, \$800. Lots upon which church stands, \$100. Total, \$900.

Receipts from all sources—Balance from last report, \$36.35. Subscriptions, \$146.03. Donations, \$26. Offerings, \$25.53. Parish Aid Societies, Guilds, etc., \$37. Total, \$271.91.

Expenditures—Parochial: Repairs, \$67.01. Rector's salary paid, \$146.03. Other expenses, \$16. Total, \$229.04. Diocesan: Council Fund, \$3.00. Bishop's salary, \$5.00. Diocesan Missionary Board Fund, \$8.00. Other Mission work, \$6.00. Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund, \$2.00. Total, \$24. Grand total, \$253.04.

***Becker, Population 100, Sherburne County. TRINITY CHAPEL; The Rev. JNO. W. PROSSER, in charge (No. 1922 S. E. Fourth st. Minneapolis); S. S. THORN, ISRAEL JOHNSON, Wardens; ISRAEL JOHNSON, Treas.; GEO. W. STEVENS, Clerk of Vestry; S. S. THORN, S. S. Supt.**

Pews free. No. sittings, 100. Rector's salary, \$100. No. families, 13. Individuals, 60. Baptisms (inf. 7, ad. 1), 8. Confirmations (m. 1, f. 2), 3. Confirmed persons last report, 24. Added by Confirmation, 3. Present No. (m. 13, f. 14), 27. Communicants (m. 9, f. 11), 20. Holy Communion administered (pub.) 6. Public services (Sundays 23, other days 1), 24. Burials, 2. Sunday School teachers (f.) 5. Other officers (m.) 2. Scholars (m. 32, f. 34), 66. Total teachers, officers and scholars, 73. S. S. Library books, 150.

Value of Church building, \$1,000. Lots upon which church stands, \$50. Total, \$1,050.

Receipts from all sources—Subscriptions, \$70.50. Offerings, \$25.75. Parish Aid Societies, Guilds, etc., \$35.45. Special offering, \$1.50. Total, \$133.20.

Expenditures—Parochial: Current expenses, \$8.20. Rector's salary paid, \$100. Total, \$108.20. Diocesan: Council Fund, \$2.00. Bishop's salary, \$4.00. Diocesan Missionary Board Fund, \$5.00. Other Mission work, \$4.01. Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund, \$1.50. Total, \$16.51. General: Miscellaneous, 63 cents. Grand total, \$125.34.

* Received too late for proper classification.

***Elk River, Population 1,000, Sherburne County.** TRINITY CHURCH; The Rev. JNO. W. PROSSER, in charge (No. 1922 Fourth st. S. E. Minneapolis); G. B. UPHAM, J. F. BALTZELL, Wardens; J. A. BALTZELL, Treas.; ROBERT DARE, Clerk of Vestry.

Pews free. No. sittings, 50. Rector's salary, \$100. No. families, 21. Individuals, 83. Present No. Confirmed, 30. Holy Communion administered (pub.) 6. Public services (Sundays 23, other days 1), 24. Burials, 1. Sunday School teachers (f.) 8. Scholars, 40. Total teachers, officers and scholars, 48.

Value of Church building, \$300. Lots upon which church stands, \$200. Total, \$500.

Receipts from all sources—Donations, \$415.64. Offerings, \$99.94. Parish Aid Societies, Guilds, etc., \$88.58. Sunday School, \$15.32. Total, \$619.48.

Expenditures—Parochial: Church building, \$324.08. Rector's salary paid, \$88.79. Sunday School expense, \$16.47. Total, \$429.32. Diocesan: Council Fund, \$2.00. Bishop's salary, \$5.00. Diocesan Missionary Board Fund, \$1.25. Other Mission work, \$1.90. Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund, \$1.00. Total, \$11.15. Grand total, \$440.47.

***Point Douglas, Population 150, Washington County.** S. PAUL'S CHURCH; The Rev. JNO. W. PROSSER, in charge (No. 1922 Fourth st. S. E., Minneapolis); JAS. SHEARER, A. NICOLL, Wardens; CHAS. HENRY, Treas.; JNO. H. HONE, Clerk of Vestry; CHAS. HENRY, Lay Reader.

Pews free. No. sittings, 102. No. families, 9. Individuals, 34. Present No. Confirmed persons, 28. Communicants (m. 9, f. 19), 28. Holy Communion administered (pub.) 6. Public services (Sundays) 15. Sunday School teachers (f.) 2. Scholars, 20. Total teachers, officers and scholars, 22.

Value of Church building, \$1,000. Lots upon which church stands, \$200. Total, \$1,200.

Receipts from all sources—Subscriptions, \$14. Offerings, \$25.99. Parish Aid Societies, Guilds, etc., \$42.83. Total, \$82.82.

Expenditures—Parochial: Repairs, \$18.65. Rector's salary paid, \$29.16. Total, \$47.81. Diocesan: Council Fund, \$1.00. Bishop's salary, \$3.00. Diocesan Missionary Board Fund, \$5.00. Other Mission work, \$7.02. Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund, \$1.00. Total, \$17.02. Grand total, \$64.83.

***Brainerd, Population 7,000, Crow Wing County.** S. PAUL'S CHURCH; The Rev. GEO. H. DAVIS, Rector (No. 70 Seventh st. N.); LYMAN P. WHITE, WM. P. SPALDING, Wardens; W. D. MCKAY, Treas.; R. M. DE LAMBERT, Clerk of Vestry; RECTOR, S. S. Supt.

Pews free. No. sittings, 250. Rector's salary, \$1,200. No. families, 125. Individuals, 500. Baptisms (inf. 25, ad. 14), 39. Confirmations (m. 5, f. 16), 21. Confirmed persons last report, 151. Added by Confirmation, 21. Added by transfer and otherwise, 9. Total, 181. Lost by death, 1. Lost by transfer and otherwise, 15. Total lost, 16. Present No., 165. Communicants, 165. Communicating during year, 120. Holy Communion administered (pub. 23, private 7), 30. Public services (Sundays 160, other days 85), 245. Marriages, 14. Burials, 15. Sunday School teachers (m. 2, f. 8), 10. Other officers (m. 2, f. 1), 3. Scholars, 175. Total teachers, officers and scholars, 188. Catechisings, 20. S. S. Library books, 150.

Value of Church building, \$4,500. Rectory, \$2,500. Lots upon which church stands, \$15,000. Total, \$22,000.

Indebtedness—\$1,000.

Receipts from all sources—Communion alms, \$37. Subscriptions and offerings, \$1,370.03. Parish Aid Societies, Guilds, etc., \$733.93. Sunday School, \$101.25. Total, \$3,242.21.

Expenditures—Parochial: Current expenses, \$388.82. Payment of debts, \$1,203.15. Rector's salary paid, \$1,200. Sunday School expense, \$75. Poor (Charitable work), \$30. Total, \$2,896.97. Diocesan: Council Fund, \$20. Bishop's salary, \$20. Diocesan Missionary Board Fund, \$65. Other Mission work, \$17. Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund, \$9.00. Diocesan Education (Seabury Divinity School), \$5.00. Sheltering Arms, \$4.53. Hospitals, \$31.25. Total, \$171.78. General: Domestic Missions, \$33.25. Miscellaneous, \$3.25. Total, \$36.50. Grand total, \$3,105.25.

*Received too late for proper classification.

***Lake City, Population 2,500, Wabasha County.** S. MARK'S CHURCH; The Rev. J. WYNNE JONES, Rector; L. H. BUCK, W. E. PERKINS, Wardens; W. E. PERKINS, Treas.; L. H. BUCK, Clerk of Vestry; J. M. UNDERWOOD, S. S. Supt.; R. H. MOORE, Lay Reader.

Pews free. Rector's salary, \$800. No. families, 97. Individuals, 321. Baptisms (inf. 15, ad. 8), 23. Confirmations (m. 2, f. 7), 9. Confirmed persons last report, 135. Added by Confirmation, 10. Added by transfer and otherwise, 35. Total, 175. Lost by death, 4. Lost by transfer and otherwise, 7. Total lost, 11. Present No., 164. Communicants, 140. Communicating during year, 102. Holy Communion administered (pub. 18, private 2), 20. Public services (Sundays 116, other days 95), 211. Marriages, 6. Burials, 13. Sunday School teachers (m. 2, f. 11), 13. Other officers (m. 2, f. 3), 5. Scholars, 145. Total teachers, officers and scholars, 163. Catechisings, 48. S. S. Library books, 300.

Value of Church building, \$3,500. Rectory, \$2,500. Total, \$6,000.

Indebtedness—\$40.34.

Receipts from all sources—Communion alms, \$84.97. Subscriptions, \$665. Offerings, \$185. Parish Aid Societies, Guilds, etc., \$128. Sunday School, \$104. Legacy to S. Luke's Hospital, \$2,000. Total, \$3,166.97.

Expenditures—Parochial: Current expenses, \$177.69. Payment of debts, \$40.34. Rectory building, \$25.55. Rector's salary paid, \$668.25. Sunday School expense, \$89. Total, \$900.83. Diocesan: Council Fund, \$20. Bishop's salary, \$30. Diocesan Missionary Board Fund, \$50. Other Mission work, \$6.25. Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund, \$10.21. Diocesan Education (Seabury Divinity School), \$1.72. Sheltering Arms, \$3.85. Hospitals, S. Luke's, \$2,000. Diocesan Missionary, \$15. Total, \$2,137.03. General: Domestic Missions, \$2.50. Foreign Missions, \$2.50. American Church Building Fund, \$5.00. General Missionary Society undesignated, \$12. Society for promoting Christianity among Jews, \$3.60. Total, \$25.60. Grand total, \$3,063.43.

* Received too late for proper classification.

INDIAN MISSIONS.

THE REV. JOSEPH A. GILFILLAN, SUPERINTENDENT,
White Earth, Becker County.

DEAR BISHOP:

The different churches in this field have all had regular services kept up in them the past year, except Winnibigoshish, temporarily abandoned, and Pembina Settlement, which latter place our people had nearly all temporarily left. Since September I have been able to visit all the Churches each month, except October, when attending the General Convention.

The four Boarding Schools were very full during the winter. In summer and fall, when the weather is nice and food—fish and wild rice—plenty, the children play out, as it is pleasanter then to sport in the sun, while in winter, when the snow is deep and no food to be got they crowd into the schools. There is also in winter an enforced vacation of six weeks for maple-sugar making.

This irregular attendance is to be deplored, but it cannot be helped, as it is an inheritance of old habits. The government stops its allowance for every day a child is out of school, while expenses are going on almost as if the school were open.

The following are the largest attendances of boarders at the different schools: Cass Lake, 27; Leech Lake, 91; Pine Point, 57; Wild Rice River, 50.

It cost about \$18,000 to carry on these schools for the year, mostly paid by the United States.

The teachers and matrons have generally done the best of work during the year, and are deserving of all thanks for their difficult and trying labors. Some of them were 28 miles from the nearest white person, and had to suffer things at the hands of the heathen which tried human endurance. The Indian children have generally learned to read, write, and partially understand the English language, the last year, and will be a very different people from their fathers.

Respectfully,

J. A. GILFILLAN.

Cass Lake, Population 80, Beltrami County. CHURCH OF THE PRINCE OF PEACE; The Rev. JNO. COLEMAN, Rector (Leech Lake P. O.)

Pews free. No. sittings, 50. Rector's salary, \$365. No. families, 14. Individuals, 36. Baptisms (inf. 3, ad. 1), 4. Confirmations (m. 1, f. 2), 3. Confirmed persons last report, 21. Added by Confirmation, 3. Added by transfer and otherwise, 1. Total, 4. Lost by death, 3. Lost by transfer and otherwise, 3. Total lost, 6. Present No. (m. 8, f. 11), 19. Communicants (m. 9, f. 10), 19. Communicating during year (m. 5, f. 10), 15. Holy Communion administered (pub. 7, private 3), 10. Public services (Sundays 94, other days 40), 134. Burials, 3. Sunday School teachers (m.) 1. Scholars (m. 12, f. 13), 25. Total teachers, officers and scholars, 26.

Value of Church building, \$300. Rectory, \$100. School or College building, 700. Total, \$11,00.

Receipts from all sources—Domestic and Foreign Missionary Society, \$365. Offerings, \$15. Donations, \$75. Sunday School, \$3.00. Total, \$458.

Expenditures—Parochial: Rector's salary paid, \$365. Sunday School expense, \$20. Poor (Charitable work), \$7.00. Box clothing for Clergyman, \$48. Total, \$440. Diocesan: Council Fund, \$1.00. Bishop's salary, \$1.00. Diocesan Missionary Board Fund, \$4.00. Bishop Gilbert's Special Needs Fund, \$4.00. Total, \$10. General: Domestic Missions, \$3.00. Foreign Missions, \$5.00. Total, \$8.00. Grand total, \$458.

DEAR BISHOP:

Again a little I tell you, about the work, religion. In the same way all the time I try to do that to proclaim God's word every Sunday. Twice we assemble each Sunday in the Church. Again I gather the children and teach them in the Church. Again one week day we keep, each week, Friday. That is what we try to do all the time, if the teachers help us.

REV. JOHN COLEMAN.

Leech Lake, Population 800, Cass County. CHURCH OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD; The Rev GEO. SMITH, Rector; The Rev. JOS. WAKAZOO, Assistant Minister.

Pews free. No. sittings, 200. Rector's salary, \$365. Assistant Minister's salary, \$365. No. families, 45. Individuals, 195. Baptisms (inf. 19, ad. 7), 26. Confirmations (m. 4, f. 6), 10. Confirmed persons last report, 85. Added by Confirmation, 10. Present No. (m. 36, f. 50), 86. Communicants (m. 36, f. 50), 86. Communicating during year (m. 35, f. 42), 77. Holy Communion administered (pub. 12, private 3), 15. Public services (Sundays 98, other days 59), 157. Marriages, 4. Churchings, 12. Burials, 9. Sunday School teachers (m.) 3. Scholars (m. 42, f. 33), 75. Total teachers, officers and scholars, 78.

Value of Church building, \$1,600. Two Rectories, \$350. School building, \$300. Total, \$2,250.

Receipts from all sources—Donations, \$275. Offerings, \$38. Domestic and Foreign Missionary Society, salaries of Rector and Assistant Rector, \$730. Total, \$1,043.

Expenditures—Rector's salary paid, \$365. Sunday School expense, \$40. Poor (Charitable work), \$70. Other expenses, \$165. Assistant Rector's salary, \$365. Total, \$1,005. Diocesan: Council Fund, \$6.00. Bishop's salary, \$10. Diocesan Missionary Board Fund, \$15. Bishop Gilbert's Special Needs Fund, \$8.00. Total, \$38. Grand total, \$1,043.

DEAR BISHOP:

Again a little I tell you about what I am doing. Twice on Sunday we go in; in the morning and evening for service. Again we have Sunday School, again we visit the children in the government school, once in the week. That is all I tell you.

GEO. SMITH.

RT. REV. M. N. GILBERT, D. D.

My Dear Bishop: Another year has passed since I have written you a little about work. I write you a little again this year, but work I have done may be found in the report of Rev. Geo. Smith in Leech Lake. Rev. Geo. Smith and I work together in the field, and two of us would be enough for this Mission. The church here is always full of the Indians on Sundays, not only the Christians but heathen Indians also. We hold two services on Sundays. Again Fridays we assemble. And Sunday School goes on well, it is a joyful thing that work more and more goes well.

I Am Your Indian Brother,

JOS. WAKAZOO.

Red Lake Agency, Population 700, Beltrami County. S. JOHN'S IN THE WILDERNESS CHURCH; The Rev. FRANCIS WILLIS, Rector (Red Lake P. O.); The Rev. MARK HART, Assistant Minister.

Pews free. No. sittings, 200. Rector's salary, \$500. Assistant Minister's salary, \$365. No. families, 36. Individuals, 105. Baptisms (inf. 8, ad. 5), 13. Confirmations (m. 2, f. 5), 7. Confirmed persons last report, 66. Added by Confirmation, 7. Added by transfer and otherwise, 3. Total, 76. Lost by death, 1. Lost by transfer and otherwise, 13. Total lost, 14. Present No. (m. 30, f. 32), 62. Communicants (m. 30, f. 32), 62. Communicating during year (m. 19, f. 27), 46. Holy Communion administered (pub. 7, private 3), 10. Public services (Sundays 78, other days 36), 114. Marriages, 2. Burials, 4. Sunday School teachers (m. 1, f. 1), 2. Scholars (m. 16, f. 13), 29. Total teachers, officers and scholars, 31.

Value of Church building, \$1,600. Rectory, \$225. Total, \$1,825.

Indebtedness—\$5.06.

Receipts from all sources—Communion alms, \$15.92. Subscriptions, \$2.50. Donations, \$145.53. Offerings, \$8.41. Salary of Missionaries, \$1,009.94. Total, \$1,182.30.

Expenditures—Parochial: Current expenses, \$4.00. Repairs, \$58.47. Church or Mission work in Parish, \$10. Salary of Missionaries, \$1,009.94. Gifts to Missionaries, \$80. Total, \$1,162.41. Diocesan: Council Fund, \$1.00. Bishop's salary, \$4.00. Diocesan Missionary Board Fund, \$9.00. Sheltering Arms.

\$1.02. Assistant Bishop's Special Needs Fund, \$4.87. Total, \$19.89. Grand total, \$1,182.30.

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

The above is the report of the present condition of the Mission at Red Lake Agency. Since my arrival here with my sister, September 11th, 1889, the work has been carried on by the Rev. Mark Hart and myself, in which we have supplemented one another to the best of our ability. Our rule is Sunday mornings and Friday evenings Chippewa service and on Sunday evenings English service which has been a great success owing to the kind assistance which the white ladies have given us in the singing. My work has been greatly handicapped through lack of an interpreter as I am only occasionally able to find any one willing to interpret. Our small debt is for painting and whitewashing the church, which the Christians are paying for themselves but need a little time.

Yours Respectfully,

FRANCIS WILLIS, Jr.

Old Chief's Village, Population 120, (Red Lake), Beltrami County.
S. ANTIPAS CHURCH; The Rev. FRANCIS WILLIS, Rector (Red Lake P. O.); The Rev. MARK HART, Assistant Minister.

Pews free. No. sittings, 75. No. families, 21. Individuals, 63. Baptisms (ad.) 2. Confirmations (m. 1, f. 1), 2. Confirmed persons last report, 50. Added by Confirmation, 2. Total, 52. Lost by death, 2. Lost by transfer and otherwise 10. Total lost, 12. Present No. (m. 14, f. 28), 42. Communicants (m. 14, f. 28), 42. Communicating during year (m. 12, f. 18), 30. Holy Communion administered (pub. 7, private 8), 15. Public services (Sundays 49, other days 6), 55. Burials, 4.

Value of Church building, \$400. Rectory, \$150. Total, \$550.

Receipts from all sources—Communion alms, \$9.33. Donations, \$18.97. Offerings, \$2.41. Total, \$30.71.

Expenditures—Parochial: Current expenses, \$5.00. Church or Mission work in Parish, \$10.00. Total, \$15. Diocesan: Council Fund, \$1.00. Bishop's salary, \$4.00. Diocesan Missionary Board Fund, \$8.00. Sheltering Arms, 35 cents. Assistant Bishop's Special Needs Fund, \$2.36. Total, \$15.71. Grand total, \$30.71.

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

The above is the report of the present condition of this Mission Station. We have given them regular afternoon service on Sundays and some other days. The people are faithful and true, but capable of greater things another year.

Respectfully Yours,

FRANCIS WILLIS, Jr.

White Earth, Population 500, Becker County. S. COLUMBA CHURCH; The Rev. GEO. B. MORGAN, Rector; The Rev. JOHN JOHNSON, Rector EMERITUS, (White Earth P. O.); JOHN SMITH, Treas.; Rev. J. A. GILLILLAN, Superintendent, salary \$500.

Pews free. No. sittings, 200. Rector's salary, \$365. Rector Emeritus' salary, \$500. No. families, 80. Individuals, 275. Baptisms (inf. 5, ad. 1), 6. Confirmations (m. 4, f. 5), 9. Confirmed persons last report, 140. Added by Confirmation, 9. Added by transfer and otherwise, 1. Total, 10. Lost by death, 6. Lost by transfer and otherwise, 11. Present No. (m. 57, f. 82), 139. Communicants (m. 57, f. 82), 139. Communicating during year (m. 33, f. 58), 91. Holy Communion administered (pub. 12, private 30), 42. Public services (Sundays 58, other days 3), 61. Marriages, 3. Burials, 10. Sunday School teachers (m. 1, f. 1), 2. Scholars (m. 4, f. 5), 9. Total teachers, officers and scholars, 11.

Value of Chapel, \$300. Two Rectories, \$4,000. Bishop Whipple Hospital, \$5,500. Total, \$9,800.

Receipts from all sources—Donations, \$302. Offerings, \$89. Domestic and Foreign Missionary Societies, salaries of Rector, Rector Emeritus and Superintendent, \$1,365. Domestic and Foreign Missionary Society for support of Hospital, \$700. Total, \$2,456.

Expenditures—Parochial: Current expenses, \$37. Sunday School expense, \$40. Poor (Charitable work), \$250. Domestic and Foreign Missionary Society for support of Hospital, \$700. Domestic and Foreign Missionary Society for salaries of Clergy (\$1), \$1,365. Total, \$2,392. Diocesan: Council Fund, \$5.00. Bishop's salary, \$20. Diocesan Missionary Board Fund, \$35. Total, \$60. General: Domestic Missions, \$4.00. Grand total, \$2,456.

DEAR BISHOP:

Now again a little I tell you. Accompanying is our report of our work which we have done. I again have been in danger of dying. But as much as I was able I have helped J. A. Gillilan and Enmegahbowh.

I Am That One,

GEORGE B. MORGAN.

Wild Rice River, Population 300, Norman County. EPIPHANY CHURCH; The Rev. FRED WILLIS SMITH, Rector (White Earth P. O.)

Pews free. No. sittings, 200. Rector's salary, \$365. No. families, 28. Individuals, 106. Baptisms (inf.) 6. Confirmations (m. 2, f. 7), 9. Confirmed persons last report, 33. Added by Confirmation, 9. Added by transfer and otherwise, 6. Total, 48. Lost by death, 1. Present No. (m. 17, f. 31), 48. Communicants (m. 17, f. 31), 48. Communicating during year (m. 12, f. 24), 36. Holy Communion administered (pub. 7, private 1), 8. Public services (Sundays 45, other days 6), 51. Marriages, 2. Burials, 1. Sunday School teachers (m. 1, f. 1), 2. Scholars (m. 10, f. 15), 25. Total teachers, officers and scholars, 27. Catechisings, 21. Value of Church building and Rectory, \$1,700. School or buildings, \$2,200. Total, \$3,900.

Receipts from all sources—Donations, \$105. Offerings, \$21. Domestic and Foreign Missionary Society, \$365. Total, \$491.

Expenditures—Parochial: Rector's salary paid, \$365. Sunday School expense, \$50. Poor (Charitable work), \$5.00. Box for Clergyman, \$50 (clothing etc.) Total, \$450. Diocesan: Council Fund, \$2.00. Bishop's salary, \$5.00. Diocesan Missionary Board Fund, \$9.00. Bishop Gilbert's Special Needs Fund, \$5.00. Total, \$21. Grand total, \$491.

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

Another year is past since I write to you. I thank the good Lord in taking care of me. I have been in Rice River taking charge the Mission, while my brother, Rev. Mr. Wright is away. Have held services on Sundays, and a Sunday School. The people are trying their best to be good Christian men and women. Of course I did not do much work as I ought to if I was well. I do pray that our Father in Heaven will give me health and strength to do His work.

This is all, Dear Bishop.

I Am Your Brother,

F. W. SMITH.

SEABURY HALL, FARIBAULT, Minn., May 24, 1890.

THE RT. REV. BISHOP GILBERT:

My Dear Brother.—After the last Council finished, I went back to my Mission at Wild Rice River, for three months. During that time I held fifteen services in the Church, besides baptizing four and marrying three and preparing nine for confirmation. Since October, I have been studying at Seabury Hall. I hope it will do me good, so that when I return to my people, I may be better prepared to teach them concerning God and his Church. And I thank Bishop Whipple and you for letting me stay among the Christian pale faces.

I was up at Leech Lake at Christmas. I preached five times, and married the Queen, Flat Mouth, the daughter of old Flat Mouth, the former head chief of the Leech Lake Indians. He was a great warrior and killed great many Sioux.

Queen Flat Mouth is a good Christian and one of the best members of our Church.

Your Brother in Christ,

CHARLES T. WRIGHT.

SHELTERING ARMS.

SIXTH ANNUAL REPORT.

STATEMENT OF THE FINANCES OF SHELTERING ARMS FOR THE YEAR END- JAN. 1, 1890.

CURRENT EXPENSES.

Resources.	
From Balance in Bank, Jan. 1, 1889.....	\$ 281.27
“ Income from Board.....	1,262.63
“ Donations.....	837.67
“ Donation Party.....	150.00
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	\$2,531.57
Disbursements.	
For Household Expenses.....	\$2,168.14
Balance in Bank, Jan. 1, 1890.....	363.43
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	\$2,531.57

DEBT FUND.

Sum due on Mortgage, Jan. 1, 1889.....	\$4,118.43
From collections through the year.....	3,010.88
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Balance due Jan. 1, 1890.....	\$1,107.55

This indebtedness has been reduced now, March 12, 1890, to \$1,000.

Mrs. S. B. MEADER, Treas.
Mrs. A. B. MURRAY, Auditor.

REPORT OF SECRETARY OF SHELTERING ARMS FOR THE YEAR ENDING JAN. 1, 1890.

Mrs. President and Ladies of the Board:

We have been lead by the Father's loving hand to the close of the sixth year of our incorporation, and as we come together on this added anniversary, to scan its retrospect and plan for future endeavor, let us bow in gratitude for the loving kindness which has granted unto us so comfortable a degree of health and strength with which to do His work, and for the abundant success which has crowned the year.

We are still under the shadow of the great sorrow, which fell so heavily over our hearts at the beginning of the year, in the removal by death of our devoted president, Mrs. Breed. We cherish her memory, striving to imitate her example, encouraged by the cheerful words and wise counsels of her successor, our beloved Mrs. Pitts, who, although residing in St. Paul, has rarely been absent from any of our regular meetings.

Our home, under its present efficient superintendent, Mrs. Bassett, has enjoyed a year of unusual good health and prosperity. Whenever our children have been observed in public, at church, entertainments, or on excursions, we have been proud of their appearance and demeanor.

Number of children in the Home at the last annual report, 20; since admitted, 39; removed, 18; died, 3; adopted, 1; removed and returned, 3; entire number for year, 59; boys, 41; girls, 28; ages from 14 years to 6 weeks; nationalities, Swedish, German, French, Irish, Scotch, Canadian, English and American; present number of inmates, 37.

Dr. Hall has continued to watch over the household with his usual efficient and valuable gratuitous services as medical attendant, for which we again return our heartfelt thanks.

Religious services and Sunday school, in consequence of unfitness of chapel, have, during the cold weather, been held in the parlor of the home.

Twenty-four of the children attend the nearest public school, where they have attained enviable rank for behavior and studious habits.

The annual Donation Party was most generously remembered by our citizens with liberal offerings of money to the amount of \$150, and stores for pantry and cellar equally valuable. Mr. Saunders, of St. Paul, with his customary generosity, gave us our winter's supply of coal. We are greatly indebted to Mr. Regan and others for the children's visit to the Exposition, which they greatly enjoyed, together with the generous lunch furnished. To Mrs. Lowry, who afforded them the pleasure of a ride to Minnehaha Falls; to Mr. Wilkinson and daughters, who assisted and instructed them in their entertainment of Nov. 16th; to Mr. Goodrich, for twenty dollars to be used in street car fares, and to the numerous kind friends, who, by their visits and benefactions have, during the year brightened the Orphan's Home.

The strenuous efforts of the gentlemen chosen to solicit contributions, both in St. Paul and Minneapolis, to relieve our debt on mortgage, resulted more favorably than we had dared to hope. As a result of collections from all sources, our debt, which at the beginning of 1889 was \$4,118.43 is now reduced to \$1,000.

In September, with regret, we accepted the temporary resignation of Miss Welles, as Recording Secretary, in consequence of ill health.

Our regular monthly meetings for business have been well attended, and to the efficiency of our corps of officers are we largely indebted for the harmony which has ever characterized our deliberations.

The quiet monotony of their routine has ever endeared these sessions to the few who have striven "in love's dear task to do what they could, each drawing near to other, all to God."

With so greatly improved financial basis, let us enter upon the work of 1890 with renewed courage and zeal, ever relying that "the end shall tell, the good Lord doeth all things well."

Respectfully Submitted,

A. B. MURRAY,
Secretary pro tem.

S. LUKE'S HOSPITAL.

DULUTH.

BOARD OF MANAGERS, 1889-90.

REV. WILLIAM M. BARKER	- - - - -	President.
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WRS. H. B. MOORE,		MRS. J. H. CROWLEY,
		MISS MARY E. SCOTT,
		Matron and Superintendent.

Number of patients admitted from Oct. 18, 1881 to May 1, 1889.....	1606
Died.....	204
Number of patients admitted from May 1, 1889, to May 1, 1890.....	220
Died.....	15
Births.....	13

STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS.

Balance May 1, 1889.....	\$ 555.16
Private patients.....	3,003.03
Donations.....	963.97
St. Louis County.....	758.16
Marine service.....	568.31
Lake County.....	33.44
	<u>\$5,882.07</u>

STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES.

Household expenses.....	\$1,837.06
Permanent improvements.....	874.48
Groceries.....	1,004.88
Fuel.....	397.25
Meat.....	303.23
Drugs.....	219.17
Sundries.....	924.49
Balance to new account.....	321.51
	<u>\$5,882.07</u>

Total number days care.....	5,612
Daily average number of patients.....	15.4
Average cost of each patient per day, exclusive of donations.....	.99

S. BARNABAS HOSPITAL.

MINNEAPOLIS.

BOARD OF TRUSTEES.

Rev. T. B. Wells, D. D.
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EYE AND EAR—Dr. Frank Allport,

Dr. J. C. Spratt.

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Dr. A. C. Fairbairn.

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Dr. K. Hoegh,
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CHIEF OF STAFF—Dr. Chas. Simpson.

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MEDICAL.

Dr. Geo. E. Ricker,
Dr. Geo. E. Dennis,
Dr. S. M. Spaulding,
Dr. H. C. Aldrich.

SPECIALISTS.

SURGEON—Dr. R. D. Matchan,
EYE AND EAR—Dr. J. F. Beaumont.

ACCOUNT CURRENT.

EARNINGS.

Hospital treatment.....	\$10,735.89	
Donations.....	136.03	\$10,871.92
Balance (deficiency).....		614.07
		<u>\$11,485.99</u>

EXPENDITURES.

Personal property.....	\$ 347.95	
Bookkeeper.....	200.00	
Expense (Miscellaneous).....	650.90	
Gas.....	135.40	
Repairs.....	485.01	
Service.....	3,550.22	
Drugs and medicines.....	730.66	
Surgical appliances.....	27.25	
Groceries.....	1,911.09	
Meat.....	1,073.86	
Milk.....	638.50	
Ice.....	81.79	
Insurance.....	6.50	
Fuel.....	1,284.82	
Interest.....	3.10	
Charity.....	358.94	\$11,485.99

PERMANENT FUND.

Total amount of Fund.....	\$1960.00
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PER CONTRA.

Invested in Mortgage notes.....	\$1650.00	
Certificate of Deposit.....	310.00	\$1960.00

TREASURER'S REPORT OF CASH RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS FOR
THE YEAR ENDING JUNE 1, 1890.

RECEIPTS.

Cash on hand last report.....	\$ 275.74	
Received from Superintendent of Hospital during the year.....	10,330.01	
Received on account of Ambulance Fund.....	110.00	
Annual Membership fee.....	5.00	
Interest on Permanent Fund.....	94.34	
Interest.....	4.60	\$10,819.69

DISBURSEMENTS.

Employees.....	\$3,386.00	
Bookkeeper.....	200.00	
Treasurer's expense.....	8.50	
Hans Stone (refunded overcharge).....	50.00	
Paid Sundry parties for supplies.....	7,169.82	
Balance on hand.....	5.37	\$10,819.69

CHARITY FUND.

RECEIPTS.

Cash on hand June 1st, 1889.....	\$171.00	
Gethsemane Church, Minneapolis.....	124.83	
Several Churches in Northern Minnesota.....	5.33	
All Saints' Church, Minneapolis.....	11.00	
Holy Trinity Church, Minneapolis.....	73.00	
S. Paul's Church, Minneapolis.....	75.00	
S. Mark's Church, Minneapolis.....	360.93	
Interest.....	17.96	\$839.05

DISBURSED ACCOUNT OF CHARITY.

S. Mark's Church.....	\$97.00	
S. Paul's Church.....	16.00	
Holy Trinity Church.....	43.00	\$156.00
Balance on deposit.....		683.05
		<u>\$839.05</u>

S. LUKE'S HOSPITAL.

105 E. EIGHTH ST., ST. PAUL.

OFFICERS FOR THE YEAR 1889.

PRESIDENT.....Mrs. O. Dalrymple.
VICE PRESIDENT.....Mrs. Reuben Warner.
SECRETARY.....Mrs. James Gilfillan.
TREASURER.....Mrs. H. Stevens.

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HON. HENRY HALE,....." "
A. H. WILDER, Esq....." "
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JOHN H. AMES, Esq.....S. John's Church.

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Dr. John Fulton.

CHAPLAIN.

Rev. Charles D. Andrews.

MATRON.

Mrs. M. A. Bradbury.

SECRETARY'S REPORT.

LIST OF PATIENTS.

mitted to S. Luke's Hospital for the year ending Feb. 28th, 1889...		329
Number of Pay Patients.....	272	
Charity Patients.....	56	
ported by Childrens' Cot of S. Paul's Church.....	1	
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Number of Male Patients.....	127	
Female Patients.....	202	
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Number of Baptisms.....	6	
Confirmations.....	1	
Surgical Operations.....	148	
Railroad Cases.....	7	
Percent of Charity Work by Hospital.....	35 1/2	
Physicians.....	38 1/2	
Number of days care given by Hospital to Pay Patients.....	3,441	
Physicians to Pay Patients.....	3,171	
To Free Patients.....	1,942	
Number of days care given by Hospital to entirely Free Patients.....	1,068	
To partly Free Patients.....	500	
Entirely Free Patients, by Clergymen.....	142	
Partly Free Patients, by Clergymen.....	196	
Total.....	<u>1,900</u>	
Number of days care given by Hospital to Railroad Cases, Pay.....	61	
Childrens' Cot of S. Paul's Church Sunday School.....	22	
Number of days care given by Hospital to Boarders, Pay.....	305	
To Boarders, Part Pay.....	17	
Entirely Free.....	17	

DISCHARGED FROM HOSPITAL.

Discharged Cured.....	200	
Incurable.....	2	
Improved.....	25	
Unimproved.....	8	
Not Treated.....	46	
Examined.....	3	
Died.....	24	
Births.....	6	
Remaining in Hospital March 1st, 1889.....	15	
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RELIGIOUS DENOMINATION.

Methodist.....	72	
Presbyterian.....	57	
Episcopal.....	51	
Roman Catholic.....	44	
Anglican.....	36	
Baptist.....	15	
Methodist.....	12	
Anglican.....	1	
Protestant.....	2	
Non-Professors.....	39	
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NATIONALITY.

Americans.....	142	
English.....	4	
Irish.....	9	
Scottish.....	4	
Swedish.....	32	
Norwegians.....	20	
Danes.....	9	
Indians.....	8	
Swiss.....	46	
Swiss.....	6	
Russians.....	4	
Finlanders.....	1	
Swedish.....	1	
Swiss.....	1	
Swiss.....	2	
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S. LUKE'S HOSPITAL.

TREASURER'S REPORT.

S. Luke's Hospital in Account with Laura C. Stevens, Treasurer: From February 29, 1888, to March 1, 1889.

	Dr.
To Cash paid for Groceries.....	\$ 1,167.53
Meat.....	717.95
Drugs and Liquors.....	485.23
Fuel.....	512.00
Miscellaneous.....	654.55
Salaries.....	2,108.10
Milk.....	293.15
Laundry.....	390.00
Scavenger.....	38.20
Insurance.....	180.00
Assessments.....	456.12
Interest.....	713.33
Expenses Charity Ball.....	488.00
towards New Hospital.....	82.50
To Cash in Sinking Fund, March 1, 1889.....	1,841.17
To Cash on Hand, March 1, 1889.....	69.92
	\$10,197.75

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By Cash on Hand, March 1, 1888.....	\$ 75.46
in Sinking Fund.....	1,866.39
from Board of Patients.....	4,912.46
Christ Church.....	637.84
S. Paul's Church.....	458.25
S. John's Church.....	131.50
Entertainments (Charity Ball).....	1,516.05
Automatic Scales.....	28.95
Rent of Barn.....	22.50
Sale of Barn.....	115.00
Sale of Drugs and Liquors to Patients.....	350.65
New Hospital Committee.....	82.50
	\$10,197.75

SUMMARY OF STATISTICS OF THE DIOCESE OF MINNESOTA.

JUNE 4-5, 1890.

Parishes and Misssions reporting.....	131
Churches with rented pews.....	8
Bishops.....	2
Priests.....	78
Deacons.....	15
Families.....	5,801
Whole No. Souls.....	21,798
Baptisms (infants 886, adults 342).....	1,276
Confirmations (parishes reported 777,) bishop's report.....	986
Communicants.....	9,904
Communicating during year.....	7,104
Marriages.....	281
Burials.....	393
Public Services.....	13,399
Holy Communion (times celebrated).....	2,022
Sunday School Teachers.....	779
Sunday School Scholars.....	6,044
VALUE CHURCH PROPERTY—	
Church Buildings.....	\$541,400.00
Rectories, Lots, College and School, etc.....	\$815,500.00
Indebtedness.....	\$ 93,550.26
Communion Alms.....	4,485.84
PAROCHIAL—	
Rector's Salaries, Current Expenses, Church Building, Sunday School Work, etc.....	\$167,613.30
DIOCESAN—	
Missions, Bishop's Salary, C. F., etc.....	\$ 16,609.52
EXTRA DIOCESAN—	
Domestic and Foreign Missions, and Miscellaneous.....	\$ 6,639.19
Total Receipts as reported.....	\$205,571.05

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STANDING RULES OF ORDER.

I. No motion shall be debated, or shall be considered as before the Council, unless seconded, and, if required, reduced to writing.

II. When a question is under consideration, no motion shall be received unless to lay it upon the table; to postpone it to a certain time; to postpone it indefinitely; to commit it; to amend it; or to divide it. And motions for any of these purposes shall have precedence in the order named.

III. The motion to lay upon the table, and to adjourn, shall always be in order, and shall be put without debate.

IV. A majority of each order of those who have been present at any time in the Council, shall be necessary to constitute a quorum; and no questions shall be considered as finally decided on which a quorum fails to vote.

V. The Council shall vote by orders whenever any two members shall require it.

VI. All Clergymen of the Protestant Episcopal Church, and of Churches in full communion with the same; candidates for Holy Orders in this Diocese; and the Vestry of the Church in which the Council is held, shall be admitted to the sittings of the Council, and their names entered on the Journal on reporting themselves to the Secretary.

ORDER OF PROCEDURE.

I. FIRST DAY.

1. The Secretary, under the direction of the Bishop, or in case of his absence, disability, or of a vacancy in the Episcopate, under the direction of the Standing Committee, shall call the names of the clergy entitled to seats.

2. The Secretary shall call the Parishes entitled to representation, when the Lay Delegates shall present their certificates, which shall be examined by a committee consisting of the Secretary and two members appointed by the chair. Irregular and defective certificates, and certificates and documents relating to contested seats, shall be temporarily laid aside. The names of the Lay Delegates, duly appointed, shall then be called; after which the certificates and documents laid aside shall be referred to the Standing Committee on Privileges.

3. A constitutional quorum being present, the President shall declare the Council organized for business, which shall proceed in the following order:

4. The Annual Address of the Bishop, unless he should prefer another time for its delivery, if so, it shall at any time be in order.

5. Reading the rules of order.

6. Election of a Secretary and Treasurer.

7. The announcement by the President of the following

STANDING COMMITTEES.

1. On the Organization and Incorporation of Parishes and their Admission into union with the Council—one clergyman and two laymen.

2. On Finance—to whom shall be referred the accounts of the Treasurers of the different funds—one clergyman and two laymen.

3. On Privilege—to whom shall be referred any doubtful or disputed claims to a seat in the Council—two clergymen and two laymen.

4. On Legislation—to whom shall be referred all proposed alterations and amendments of the Constitution and Canons—two clergymen and two laymen.

5. On the State of the Church—to whom shall be referred the subject of Missions, Education, Charities and other work of the Church, and Diocesan Statistics—two clergymen and three laymen.

6. On Unfinished Business.
7. On Assessments.
8. The receiving and referring, when necessary, of reports, other than those of special committees, which may have been handed to the Secretary.
9. The receiving and referring of applications of Parishes for admission into union with the Council.
10. Miscellaneous Business.

II. SECOND DAY.

1. Morning prayer.
2. Calling the roll.
3. Reading the minutes.
4. Report of Committees on Certificates of Lay Delegates not present before.
5. Reports of Standing Committees of the Council.
6. Report of Standing Committee of the Diocese.
7. Report of the Secretary when business has been committed to him.
8. Report of Select Committees.
9. Report of Treasurer of Missions.
10. Election of Deputies and Supplementary Deputies to the General Convention.
11. Miscellaneous Business.

III. EACH SUBSEQUENT DAY

1. Morning prayer.
 2. Calling the roll.
 3. Report of Committees on certificates of Lay Delegates.
 4. Calling the names of members not present before.
 5. Reports of Standing Committees of the Council.
 6. Miscellaneous Business.
- IV. If the prescribed order of business on any day shall not have been gone through with, the first business on the succeeding day shall be the matters which had not been reached on the previous day, and in the order prescribed for that day. This rule shall not apply to miscellaneous business.
- V. If the President *ex-officio* is not present at the opening of the Council, the Secretary shall call the Council to order, when the senior presbyter present, being entitled to a seat, shall take the chair; and in such case, immediately after the organization of the Council, a President shall be elected by ballot from among the clergy.
- VI. Before the rising of the Council, the minutes of the last day's meeting shall be read and approved.
- VII. This order of business may be suspended at any time by the vote of two-thirds of the members present.

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| 1. Foreign and Domestic Missions, | 2d Sunday in Advent |
| 2. Am. Church Building Fund, | 1st Sunday in March |
| 3. Bible and Prayer Book Society, | 1st Sunday in May |
| 4. Church Hospitals, | Whitsunday |
| 5. Sheltering Arms, | Thanksgiving Day |
| 6. Seabury Divinity School, | Last Sunday in September |

CANON XIII.

ASSESSMENTS AND OFFERINGS.

SEC. 1d.—It SHALL be the DUTY of every Rector of a Parish or Incumbent of a Mission station, to cause to be made annually an offering or contribution from his Parish or Congregation, for each of the following objects, viz.:

For COUNCIL FUND; for BISHOP'S SALARY; for DIOCESAN MISSIONS; for AGED and INFIRM CLERGY Fund.

and it is further RECOMMENDED that offerings be made for the above named objects upon the days designated.

NOTICE.

The Thirty-fourth Annual Council of the Diocese of Minnesota will meet in the Cathedral Church, Faribault, on the First Wednesday in June, 1891.

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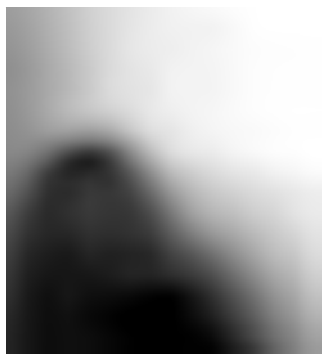
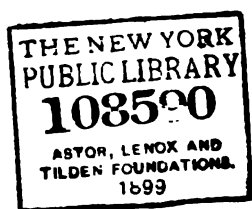
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Thursday, October 13, 1859.

ASSISTANT BISHOP.

†THE RT. REV. MAHLON NORRIS GILBERT, D. D., consecrated Sunday,
October 17, 1886.

PRIESTS.

*The Rev. John Johnson, (Enmegahbowh) ordained October 13, 1859.

*The Rev. Horace Hills, Jr., received June 5, 1865.

The Rev. William C. Pope, received November 13, 1866.

†The Rev. James Dobbin, D. D., ordained June 16, 1867.

*†The Rev. Charles H. Plummer, ordained June 16, 1867.

*The Rev. Charles J. Adams, M. D., received October 1, 1868.

*The Rev. Joseph A. Gilfillan, received October 16, 1870.

*The Rev. Joseph J. Hillmer, received June 21, 1871.

The Rev. J. Steinfort Kedney, D. D., received December 22, 1871.

*The Rev. Israel J. Townsend, received June 22, 1872.

*†The Rev. Daniel T. Booth, ordained June 22, 1873.

†The Rev. Edward C. Bill, D. D., ordained June 22, 1873.

The Rev. Robert Reed Goudy, received June 22, 1873.

The Rev. James Cornell, received June 20, 1875.

*The Rev. Herbert Root, received January 25, 1877.

†The Rev. Theodore C. Hudson, ordained June 17, 1877.

The Rev. E. Stuart Wilson, D. D., received October 11, 1877.

*The Rev. Charles Woodward, received May 28, 1878.

The Rev. Edward J. Purdy, received July 5, 1879.

†The Rev. Andrew D. Stowe, ordained June 13, 1880.

*The Rev. Thomas B. Wells, D. D., received January 18, 1881.

*The Rev. Samuel Currie, received March 15, 1881.

The Rev. J. McBride Sterrett, D. D., received November 15, 1882.

The Rev. Wm. Gardam, received December 2, 1882.

*The Rev. J. F. Hamilton, received January 18, 1883.

*†The Rev. Thomas E. Dickey, received January 18, 1883.

*The Rev. Treadwell Walden, received January 24, 1883.

†The Rev. Charles A. Poole, received October 15, 1883.

The Rev. T. H. M. V. Appleby, received October 15, 1883.

The Rev. John W. Prosser, received November 17, 1883.

†The Rev. Charles E. Hixon, ordained June 15, 1884.

†The Rev. Wm. B. Hamilton, ordained June 15, 1884.

†The Rev. Andrew J. Graham, received January 20, 1885.

The Rev. E. Steele Peake, received June 8, 1885.

- †The Rev. Edward H. Clark, ordained June 14, 1885.
 †The Rev. Frank R. Millspaugh, received February 1, 1886.
 The Rev. Edward Moyses, received April 2, 1886.
 The Rev. Samuel Mills, received February, 1886.
 †The Rev. Wm. H. Knowlton, received August 16, 1886.
 *The Rev. T. K. Allen, received December 6, 1886.
 The Rev. Charles D. Andrews, received April 14, 1887.
 †The Rev. Geo. H. Mueller, received 1887.
 *The Rev. Charles S. Ware, received May 21, 1887.
 The Rev. John Wright, D. D., received June 1, 1887.
 †The Rev. Geo. C. Tanner, received June 1, 1887.
 The Rev. Francis H. Potts, received July 12, 1887.
 *The Rev. William Wilkinson, ordained September 26, 1887.
 *The Rev. John Williamson, received October 29, 1887.
 The Rev. Charles L. Wells, received February 26, 1888.
 The Rev. Ivan C. Fortin, received May 25, 1888.
 The Rev. Alfred G. Pinkham, received June 8, 1888.
 The Rev. W. W. Fowler, received June 18, 1888.
 *The Rev. Henry Beer, received December 17, 1888.
 The Rev. Wm. M. Barker, received February 7, 1889.
 *The Rev. John H. White, received February 14, 1889.
 The Rev. Geo. H. Davis, received February 22, 1889.
 *The Rev. Clement H. Beaulieu, Jr., received March 16, 1889.
 *The Rev. Cyrus K. Capron, received May 25, 1889.
 *The Rev. Mark Jukes, received June 3, 1889.
 The Rev. W. McVettie, ordained June 30, 1889.
 *The Rev. A. J. D. Kuehn, ordained June 30, 1889.
 †The Rev. Chas. A. Sherman, ordained June 30, 1889.
 †The Rev. C. Edgar Haupt, ordained June 30, 1889.
 †*The Rev. Jas. Biddle Halsey, ordained June 30, 1889.
 †*The Rev. Francis Willis, Jr., ordained June 30, 1889.
 †The Rev. Arthur R. Taylor, ordained June 30, 1889.
 *The Rev. D. B. Lyon, received July 24, 1889.
 The Rev. A. A. Joss, received August 1, 1889.
 The Rev. W. H. H. Ross, received Dec. 19, 1889.
 †The Rev. S. B. Purves, ordained December 21, 1889.
 The Rev. J. J. Faudé, received February 16, 1890.
 The Rev. C. M. Pullen, received March 1, 1890.
 The Rev. M. N. Ray., ordained May 21, 1890.
 †The Rev. C. C. Rollit, ordained June 5, 1890.
 The Rev. Robert H. Cotton, received June 5, 1890.
 †The Rev. F. M. Weddell, received August 18, 1890.
 *The Rev. G. A. Harvey, received September 13, 1890.
 The Rev. A. N. Henshaw, received October 25, 1890.
 *The Rev. H. Gates, received Nov. 25, 1890.
 *The Rev. G. N. Higginson, received January 19, 1891.
 †The Rev. A. Alexander, received February 10, 1891.
 The Rev. B. F. Miller, received April 20, 1891.

DEACONS.

- *The Rev. Frederick Smith, ordained July 20, 1876.
 The Rev. Charles Wright, ordained July 15, 1877.
 *The Rev. Geo. Smith, ordained July 14, 1878.
 *The Rev. Mark Hart, ordained July 14, 1878.
 *The Rev. Geo. B. Morgan, ordained July 14, 1878.
 *The Rev. Joseph Wakazoo, ordained January 20, 1887.

- *The Rev. Wm. St. J. Crickmer, ordained February 4, 1889.
 The Rev. Wm. Tuson, ordained June 30, 1889.
 The Rev. C. B. Fosbroke, ordained March 13, 1890.
 †The Rev. A. M. Hilliker, ordained, June 8, 1890.
 The Rev. Johannes Salinger, ordained September 14, 1890.

Bishops	2
Priests.....	82
Deacons.....	11
Total Clergy	95

*Not present at Council.

†An Alumnus of Seabury Divinity School.

ALPHABETICAL LIST AND ADDRESS OF THE CLERGY

CANONICALLY CONNECTED WITH AND RESIDING IN THE DIOCESE,
 JUNE 3-4, 1891.

The RT. REV. HENRY BENJAMIN WHIPPLE, D. D., LL. D.,
 Bishop of the Diocese, Faribault.

The RT. REV. MAHLON NORRIS GILBERT, D. D.,
 Assistant Bishop, 18 Summit Court, St. Paul.

Adams, Rev. J. C., M. D., Lake City.
 Alexander, Rev. Abijah, Rector All Saints' Church, Minneapolis.
 Allen, Rev. T. K., Missionary, (P. O. La Crosse, Wis.)
 Andrews, Rev. C. D., Rector, Christ Church, St. Paul.
 Appleby, Rev. T. H. M. V., Archdeacon, 301 Laurel Ave., St. Paul.
 Barker, Rev. Wm. M., Rector, S. Paul's Church, Duluth.
 Beer, Rev. Henry, Rector, Christ Church, S. Vincent.
 Beaulieu, Jr., Rev. C. H., Rector, Calvary Church, St. James.
 Bill, Rev. Edward C., D. D., *Dean*, and Prof. Liturgics and Homilies Seabury Divinity School, Faribault.
 Booth, Rev. Daniel T., Rector, S. Luke's Church, Willmar.
 Capron, Rev. Cyrus K., Minneapolis.
 ‡Clapp, Rev. H. S., Rector, S. Stephen's Church, St. Paul.
 Clark, Rev. Edward H., Rector, Christ Church, Red Wing.
 Cornell, Rev. James, Rector, S. John's Church, Janesville.
 Cotton, Rev. Robt. H., Rector, Holy Communion Church, St. Peter.
 Crickmer, Rev. Wm. St. J., England.
 Currie, Rev. Samuel, Rector, Christ Church, Crookston.
 Dickey, Rev. Thomas E., Moorhead.
 Davis, Rev. Geo. H., *Dean* and Rector, S. Paul's Church, Brainerd.
 Dobbin, Rev. James, D. D., Rector, Shattuck School, Faribault.
 Faudé, Rev. J. J., Rector, Gethsemane Church, Minneapolis.
 Fosbroke, Rev. C. B., Rector, Ascension Church, Kenyon.
 Fortin, Rev. Ivan C., Rector, S. Mary's Church, Merriam Park.
 Fowler, Rev. W. W., Rector, Calvary Church, Rochester.
 Gardam, Rev. Wm., Rector, Cathedral of our Merciful Saviour, Faribault.
 Gates, Rev. Horatio, Rector, Church of Holy Apostles, West Duluth.
 Gilfillan, Rev. Joseph A., Superintendent Indian Missions, White Earth.

Goudy, Rev. Robert R., Rector, Good Shepherd Church, Blue Earth City.
 Graham, Rev. A. J., *Dean* and Rector Holy Trinity Church, Minneapolis.
 Halsey, Rev. J. B., Philadelphia.
 Hamilton, Rev. J. F., Rector, Church of the Good Samaritan, Sauk Center.
 Hamilton, Rev. Wm. B., Rector, S. Luke's Church, Minneapolis.
 Hart, Rev. Mark, Indian Missionary, charge Church of Good Shepherd, Leech Lake.
 Harvey, Rev. Geo. A., Rector S. John's Church, Moorhead.
 Henshaw, Rev. A. N., Professor, Seabury Divinity School, Faribault.
 Higginson, Rev. Geo. N., St. Anthony Park.
 Haupt, Rev. C. E., Rector, Church of the Messiah, St. Paul.
 Hilliker, Rev. Albert M., Instructor in Ethics and Apologetics, Seabury Divinity School, Faribault.
 Hillmer, Rev. Joseph J., charge Trinity Church, St. Charles, (P. O. Winona.)
 Hills, Rev. Horace J., Wabasha.
 Hixon, Rev. Charles E., Rector, Grace Church, Minneapolis.
 Hudson, Rev. Theodore C., Rector, S. Martin's Church, Fairmont.
 Johnson (Enmegahbowh), Rev. John, White Earth Reservation.
 Johnson, Rev. Edwin, Rector, S. Mark's Church, Lake City.
 Jukes, Rev. Mark, Rector, Trinity Church, Anoka.
 Joss, Rev. A. A., Rector, Church of Our Saviour, Little Falls.
 Kedney, Rev. J. S., D. D., Prof. Divinity, Seabury Divinity School, Faribault.
 Knowlton, Rev. Wm. H., Rector, S. Paul's Church, Winona.
 Kuehn, Rev. Alexander J. D., Missionary Brown's Valley.
 †Lockhart, Rev. R. C. E., Missionary Detroit.
 Lyon, Rev. D. B., Minneapolis.
 McVettie, Rev. Wellington, Rector, Christ Church, Austin.
 Miller, Rev. Bent F., Rector, S. Mary's Church, Tower.
 Millsbaugh, Rev. Frank R., Rector, S. Paul's Church, (1215 Hawthorn ave.,) Minneapolis.
 Mills, Rev. Samuel, Rector, S. Peter's Church, St. Paul.
 Morgan, Rev. George B., Indian Missionary, Church of the Holy Spirit, Pembina Settlement, (P. O. White Earth.)
 Moyses, Rev. Edward, Rector, S. Luke's Church, Hastings.
 Mueller, Rev. G. H., Rector, All Saints' Church, Northfield.
 Peake, Rev. E. S., Chaplain, S. Mary's Hall, Faribault.
 Pinkham, Rev. Alfred G., Rector, Trinity Church, Litchfield.
 Plummer, Rev. Charles H., Lake City.
 Pope, Rev. Wm. C., Rector, Church of the Good Shepherd, St. Paul.
 †Pritchard, Rev. J., Rector S. Matthew's Church, Chatfield.
 Purdy, Rev. E. J., Associate Priest, S. Paul's Church, Minneapolis.
 Poole, Rev. Charles A., Assistant Professor Divinity, Seabury Divinity School, Faribault.
 Potts, Rev. Francis H., Rector, Christ Church, Benson.
 Prosser, Rev. J. W., Editor Diocesan Paper 1922 S. E. Fourth street, Minneapolis, and Missionary.
 Pullen, Rev. C. M., Rector, S. Peter's Church, Shakopee.
 Purves, Rev. Stuart B., Rector, Church of the Holy Communion, Redwood Falls.
 Ray, Rev. M. N., Rector, Grace Church, Montevideo.
 Rollit, Rev. C. C., Rector, S. James' Church, Fergus Falls.
 Root, Rev. Herbert, Valley City, Dak.
 Ross, Rev. W. H. H., Rector, Gethsemane Church, Appleton.
 Salinger, Rev. Johannes, German Missionary, St. Paul.
 Sherman, Rev. C. A., Instructor in History and Science, Seabury Divinity School, Faribault.

Smith, Rev. Frederick W., Indian Missionary, Church S. John in the Wilderness, Red Lake.
 Smith, Rev. Geo., Indian Missionary, Church S. Antipas, Red Lake.
 Sterrett, Rev. J. McBride, D. D., Professor, Ethics and Apologetics, Seabury Divinity School, Faribault.
 Stowe, Rev. Andrew D., Rector, Ascension Church, Stillwater.
 Tanner, Rev. Geo. C., Chaplain, Shattuck School, Faribault.
 Taylor, Rev. Arthur R., Rector, S. John's Church, Mankato.
 Townsend, Rev. I. Jerome, Fairmont.
 Tuson, Jr., Rev. Wm., Rector, S. Andrew's Church, Waterville.
 Walden, Rev. Treadwell.
 Wakazoo, Rev. Joseph, Indian Missionary, S. Philip's Church, Lake, Winnebagoishish (P. O. Leech Lake.)
 Ware, Rev. Charles S., Missionary, Luverne.
 Weddell, Rev. Francis W., Rector, Church of the Nativity, Wells.
 Wells, Rev. Thomas B., D. D., Rector S. Mark's Church, (33 S. 6th,) Minneapolis.
 Wells, Rev. Charles L., Professor Ecclesiastical History, Seabury Divinity School, Faribault.
 White, Rev. John H., Rector, Church of S. John the Evangelist, St. Paul.
 Willis, Jr., Rev. Francis, Missionary, Red Lake.
 Williamson, Rev. John, Hastings.
 Wilkinson, Rev. Wm., Rector, S. Andrew's Church, Minneapolis.
 Wilson, Rev. E. Stuart, D. D., Professor O. and N. T. Exegesis and Hebrew, Seabury Divinity School, Faribault.
 Woodward, Rev. Charles, residing in Olmsted county. (P. O. Rochester.)
 Wright, Rev. Charles, Indian Missionary, Assistant S. Columba Church, White Earth Reservation.
 Wright, Rev. John, Rector, S. Paul's Church, (383 E. 9th, St. Paul.)

‡ Not Canonically connected with the Diocese.

DISTRICT PRESBYTERS.

NAMES OF DISTRICTS BY COUNTIES, AND THE DISTRICT PRESBYTER.

1. The Indian Country—Rev. J. A. Gilfillan, White Earth.
2. Kittson, Marshall, Polk and Norman—Rev. Henry Beer, St. Vincent.
3. Clay, Becker and Wilkin—Rev. Geo. A. Harvey, Moorhead.
4. Cass, (southern portion) Crow Wing, Aitkin and Itasca—Rev. Geo. H. Davis, Brainerd.
5. Carlton, St. Louis, Lake and Cook—Rev. W. M. Barker, Duluth.
6. Grant, Douglas, Pope, Stearns (northern) and Todd—Rev. J. F. Hamilton, Sauk Center.
7. Pine, Chisago, Kanabek, Isanti, Washington—Rev. Andrew D. Stowe, Stillwater.
8. Stearns, (southern portion) Benton and Sherburne—Rev. A. A. Joss, Little Falls.
9. Big Stone, Traverse, Stevens and Swift—Rev. F. H. Potts, Benson.
10. Kandiyohi and Meeker—Rev. D. T. Booth, Willmar.
11. Chippewa, Lac qui Parle, Yellow Medicine, Lyon, Lincoln and McLeod—Rev. M. N. Ray, Montevideo.
12. Wright, Anoka, Hennepin and Mille Lacs—Rev. F. R. Millsbaugh, Minneapolis.
13. Ramsey, Scott and Carver—Rev. John Wright, St. Paul.

14. Le Sueur, (western portion) Sibley, Nicollet, Blue Earth and Watonwan—Rev. R. H. Cotton, St. Peter.
15. Rock, Pipestone, Murray, Nobles, Jackson and Cottonwood—Rev. C. S. Ware, Luverne.
16. Martin, Faribault, Freeborn and Mower—Rev. R. R. Goudy, Blue Earth.
17. Fillmore, Houston, Dodge, Olmstead and Winona—Rev. W. H. Knowlton, Winona.
18. Wabasha, Goodhue and Dakota—Rev. Edward Moyses, Hastings.
19. Rice, Steele, Waseca and Le Sueur (eastern portion)—Rev. E. S. Wilson, D. D., Faribault.
20. Otter Tail, Wadena and Hubbard—Rev. C. C. Rollit, Fergus Falls.
21. Redwood, Renville and Brown—Rev. S. B. Purves, Redwood Falls.

CANDIDATES FOR HOLY ORDERS.

JUNE 3, 1891.

Wm. H. Dewart.....	Admitted	Jan. 21, 1889
R. M. Baker.....	"	May 6, 1889
Geo. M. Marshall.....	"	June 7, 1889
Frank H. Barton.....	"	Sept. 10, 1889
Laurence C. Miller.....	"	Dec. 2, 1889
Albert E. Fillmore.....	"	Dec. 2, 1889
J. M. Frost.....	"	Dec. 16, 1889
Chas. H. Remington.....	"	Dec. 16, 1889
G. F. G. Hoyt.....	"	Feby. 3, 1890
Arthur Chard.....	"	Feby. 3, 1890
H. F. Parshall.....	"	May 5, 1890
Jno. H. Griffith.....	"	June 20, 1890
Anthon T. Gesner.....	"	Sept. 2, 1890
John Johnson.....	"	Dec. 1, 1890
John Caldwell.....	"	Feby. 2, 1891
H. Ray Coleman.....	"	May 7, 1891

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POSTULANTS.

JUNE 3, 1891.

Thomas Payne Thurston,	Robert R. McVettie,
Charles Frederick Kite,	George N. Deyo,
George Robinson,	Harry Steele,
Ernest Dray,	Emery Elmer Lofstrom,
Eugene Rucker,	William Alfred Rimer,
Adelbert McGinniss,	Charles H. Young,
W. Edgar Cowper,	Wm. H. Eckly.—14

LAY READERS.

LICENSED DURING THE YEAR ENDING MAY 31, 1891.

F. W. Sturtevant.....	Montevideo.	Frank Durant.....	Faribault.
J. M. Severence.....	Montevideo.	G. F. G. Hoyt.....	Faribault.
W. H. Hance.....	St. Paul.	Wm. A. Rimer.....	Faribault.
Oswald Metcalf.....	St. Paul.	Arthur Churd.....	Faribault.
Luke Wilson.....	St. Paul.	Emery E. Lofstrom.....	Litchfield.
Geo. L. Keefer.....	St. Paul.	Geo. N. Deyo.....	Faribault.
N. F. Brand.....	Faribault.	Irving E. Baxter.....	Faribault.
Wm. M. Atkinson.....	Minneapolis.	Wm. C. Haire.....	Faribault.
Ernest Dray.....	Faribault.	Frank H. Barton.....	St. Paul.
G. A. I. Henry.....	Minneapolis.	R. R. McVettie.....	Austin.
J. M. Nye.....	Wells.	John Caldwell.....	Rush City.
J. H. Griffith.....	Faribault.	Harry E. Robbins.....	Faribault.
Anthon T. Gesner.....	Faribault.	John A. Williams.....	Faribault.
Edgar Cowper.....	Geneva, N. Y.	Chas. F. Kite.....	Faribault.
W. H. Dewart.....	Cambridge, Mass.	John C. Reno.....	Minneapolis.
C. H. Remington.....	Cambridge, Mass.	Geo. Robinson.....	Geneva, N. Y.
Geo. H. TenBroeck.....	La Crosse, Wis.	Jared W. Daniels, M. D.....	St. Peter.
Geo. Bell.....	St. Paul.	Hector Baxter.....	Minneapolis.
Chas. H. Evans.....	St. Paul.	Wm. W. Farrar.....	St. Paul.
A. E. Fillmore.....	Faribault.	John Soper.....	Minneapolis.
W. H. Eckley.....	West Duluth.	Geo. A. Coda.....	Minneapolis.
C. A. Everett.....	West Duluth.	Geo. S. Grimes.....	Minneapolis.
J. Allyn Scott.....	West Duluth.	Fred Farrington.....	Minneapolis.
J. A. Bromly.....	West Duluth.	John Turton.....	Minneapolis.
John Johnson.....	Faribault.	R. S. Danford.....	Minneapolis.
H. F. Parshall.....	Faribault.	C. H. Strobeck.....	Litchfield.
Frank Hamilton.....	Faribault.	F. M. Bacon.....	Faribault.
Harry Steele.....	Faribault.	Harry Franklin.....	St. Paul.
Dr. A. F. Kilbourne.....	Rochester.		

PARISHES AND MISSIONS.

ENTITLED TO REPRESENTATION IN COUNCIL, BUT NOT TO VOTE, JUNE 3-4, 1891.

(As per resolution on page 67 of the Journal of 1890.)

<i>Place.</i>	<i>County.</i>	<i>Name.</i>
Beaver Falls.....	Renville.....	
Belle Creek.....	Goodhue.....	S. Paul's
Belle Wood.....	Dakota.....	S. Barnabas'
Blue Earth City.....	Faribault.....	Good Shepherd
Corinna (P. O. Clearwater).....	Wright.....	S. Mark's
Cordova.....	Le Sueur.....	Christ
Detroit.....	Becker.....	S. Luke's
Delano.....	Wright.....	Holy Spirit
Dresbach.....	Winona.....	S. James'
Dakota.....	Winona.....	S. John's
Duluth.....	St. Louis.....	Holy Spirit
Excelsior.....	Hennepin.....	Trinity
Elysian.....	Le Sueur.....	Grace
Frontenac.....	Goodhue.....	Christ
Glencoe.....	McLeod.....	Christ
Glenwood.....	Pope.....	
Hallock.....	Kittson.....	
Island Lake.....		S. George's
Kasson.....	Dodge.....	S. Peter's
Lake Benton.....	Lincoln.....	S. John's Chapel
Le Sueur Center.....	Le Sueur.....	
Lake Crystal.....	Blue Earth.....	All Angels'
Lake Park.....	Becker.....	
Luverne.....	Rock.....	Holy Trinity
Mantorville.....	Dodge.....	S. John's
Marshall.....	Lyon.....	S. James'
Madison Lake.....	Blue Earth.....	Good Shepherd
Mentor.....	Polk.....	
Minneapolis.....	Hennepin.....	S. Matthew's
Minneapolis.....	Hennepin.....	S. John's
Morris.....	Stevens.....	All Saints'
Morristown.....	Rice.....	S. John's
Olivia.....		
Perham.....	Otter Tail.....	Epiphany
Pipe Stone.....	Pipe Stone.....	
Reno.....	Pope.....	Zion
Rockford.....	Wright.....	Breck Memorial
St. Paul.....	Ramsey.....	S. Stephen's
St. Paul.....	Ramsey.....	Church of the Messiah
St. James.....	Watsonwan.....	Calvary
Tower.....	St. Louis.....	S. Mary's
Wadena.....	Wadena.....	Grace
Warsaw.....	Rice.....	S. Thomas'
West Duluth.....	St. Louis.....	Holy Apostles'
Windom.....	Cottonwood.....	Good Shepherd
Worthington.....	Nobles.....	S. John's
Total.....		46

MISSIONS.

NOT ENTITLED TO REPRESENTATION OR VOTE IN COUNCIL, JUNE 3-4, 1891.

Place.	County.	Name.
Ashley.....	Stearns.....	S. John's in the Fields
Atwater.....	Kandiyohi.....	
Birch Cooley.....	Redwood.....	S. John's
Breckenridge.....	Wilkin.....	S. Luke's
Brownsville.....	Houston.....	Holy Comforter
Brownston.....	McLeod.....	S. Mary's
Buffalo.....	Wright.....	
Cannon City.....	Rice.....	Holy Innocents
Cass Lake (Indian).....	Beltrami.....	Prince of Peace
Dundas.....	Rice.....	Holy Cross
Faribault.....	Rice.....	Scandinavian Mission
Fridley Park.....	Anoka.....	Holy Trinity Chapel
Houston.....	Houston.....	Our Saviour
Howard Lake.....	Wright.....	All Saints'
Kirkhoven.....	Swift.....	
Long Prairie.....	Todd.....	
Leech Lake (Indian).....	Cass.....	Good Shepherd
Madelia.....	Watsonwan.....	Christ
Melrose.....	Stearns.....	Trinity
Minneiska.....	Wabasha.....	
Minnetonka.....	Hennepin.....	All Saints'
North Branch.....	Chisago.....	S. Thomas'
Oak Valley.....	Otter Tail.....	Holy Trinity
Olmsted.....	Olmsted.....	
Pembina (Indian).....	Norman.....	Holy Spirit
Richwood.....	Becker.....	Holy Apostles
Led Lake Agency (Indian).....	Beltrami.....	S. John's in the Wilderness
Red Lake (Indian).....	Beltrami.....	S. Antipas
Rice's.....	Benton.....	
Rush City.....	Chisago.....	Grace
Skyberg.....	Goodhue.....	
Spicer.....	Kandiyohi.....	
Spring Valley.....	Fillmore.....	
Stanton.....	Goodhue.....	
Stockton.....	Winona.....	Trinity
Slayton.....	Murray.....	S. Paul's
St. Paul.....	Ramsey.....	Resurrection
St. Paul Park.....	Washington.....	Trinity
Waseca.....	Waseca.....	Calvary
Wilder.....	Jackson.....	Redeemer
Winnibigoshish Lake (Indian).....	Itasca.....	S. Philip's
Wild Rice River (Indian).....	Norman.....	Epiphany

Total.....42

Parishes entitled to vote in Council.....78

Parishes and Missions entitled to representation but not to vote.....46

Missions.....42

Total.....166

ROLL OF LAY DELEGATES.

ENTITLED TO REPRESENTATION AND VOTE, AND THAT WERE PRESENT IN THE THIRTY-FOURTH ANNUAL COUNCIL OF THE DIOCESE, WEDNESDAY, JUNE 3-4, 1891.

<i>Appleton</i>	GETHSEMANE CHURCH: Mr. W. A. Countryman.*	
<i>Austin</i>	CHRIST CHURCH: Dr. O. W. Gibson,*	Mr. John Holden.*
<i>Basswood Grove</i> ...	S. MARY'S CHURCH: Mr. W. P. Hetherington,*	Mr. L. W. Orr.*
<i>Brainerd</i>	S. PAUL'S CHURCH: Mr. George N. Day, Mr. W. P. Spalding,*	Mr. L. P. White, Sr.,* Mr. Geo. Forsyth.*
<i>Benson</i>	CHRIST CHURCH: Mr. F. M. Thornton,*	Mr. S. H. Hudson.*
<i>Duluth</i>	S. PAUL'S CHURCH: Mr. Wm. M. Prindle.	
† <i>Excelsior</i>	TRINITY CHAPEL: Mr. John R. Purchase.	
<i>Faribault</i>	CATHEDRAL OF OUR MERCIFUL SAVIOUR: Mr. H. B. Hill, Mr. S. L. Crocker, Mr. Chas. Weston, Mr. C. L. Lowell,	Mr. A. E. Haven, Mr. H. E. Whitney, Mr. J. C. N. Cottrell, Dr. E. K. Clements.
<i>Fergus Falls</i>	S. JAMES' CHURCH: Mr. Jas. A. Brown,*	Dr. A. P. Williamson.*
<i>Farmington</i>	CHURCH OF THE ADVENT: Mr. G. F. G. Hoyt.	
<i>Fairmont</i>	S. MARTIN'S CHURCH: Mr. W. P. Wollaston,	Mr. J. A. Sinclair.*
<i>Granite Falls</i>	TRINITY CHURCH: Mr. Jacob Cook,*	Mr. John Winter.*
<i>Hastings</i>	S. LUKE'S CHURCH: Mr. J. R. Claggett,* Mr. A. J. W. Thompson.*	Mr. Denis Follett,*
<i>Janesville</i>	S. JOHN'S CHURCH: Mr. J. A. Willis,*	Mr. J. W. Teft.*
<i>Kenyon</i>	ASCENSION CHURCH: Mr. Alb. Bullis,	Mr. John Elcock.*

<i>Litchfield</i>	TRINITY CHURCH: Mr. C. H. Strobeck, Mr. H. S. Angell.*	Mr. W. H. Johns,*
<i>Little Falls</i>	CHURCH OF OUR SAVIOUR: Mr. Edward Rothnell,*	Mr. T. C. Gorden.*
<i>Mankato</i>	S. JOHN'S CHURCH: Mr. A. M. Smith,*	Mr. S. D. Parsons.
<i>Montevideo</i>	GRACE CHURCH: Mr. F. W. Sturtevant.	
<i>Minneapolis</i>	ALL SAINT'S CHURCH: Mr. Thomas Saegar.	Mr. Charles Reese.
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<i>Red Wing</i>	CHRIST CHURCH: Hon. E. T. Wilder, Mr. S. B. Foote, Mr. H. L. McKinstry,	Mr. J. C. Pierce,* Hon. W. C. Williston,* Mr. Jesse McIntire.*
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<i>Stillwater</i>	ASCENSION CHURCH: Hon. John McKusick,* Mr. Robt. Slaughter,* Dr. C. B. Marshall.*	Mr. W. E. Cooke,* Mr. I. E. Staples,*
<i>St. Cloud</i>	S. JOHN'S CHURCH: Mr. Wm. Powell,*	Mr. Frank Tolman.*
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<i>St. Paul</i>	S. PETER'S CHURCH: Mr. Frank F. Price,	Mr. F. B. Millard.*
<i>St. Peter</i>	CHURCH OF THE HOLY COMMUNION: Dr. J. W. Daniels,	Mr. F. M. Donahower.
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† <i>Warsaw</i>	S. THOMAS' CHURCH: Mr. Frank I. Hershey.*	
<i>Waterville</i>	S. ANDREW'S CHURCH: Mr. Lewis Stowe.	
<i>Wells</i>	CHURCH OF THE NATIVITY: Mr. F. W. Myers,*	Mr. Daniel Straw.*
<i>Willmar</i>	S. LUKE'S CHURCH: Mr. C. F. Hardy,*	Mr. N. M. Mosberg.*

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† Parishes entitled to Representation but not to Vote.

Number of Parishes entitled to representation and to vote.....	78
Number of Parishes entitled to representation but not to vote.....	46
Number of Parishes represented and voting.....	26
Number of Parishes represented.....	27
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FIRST DAY.

CATHEDRAL OF OUR MERCIFUL SAVIOUR, }
FARIBAULT, Wednesday, June 3d, 1891. }

This being the day by Canon appointed, for the meeting of the Thirty-fourth Annual Council of the Diocese, the Assistant Bishop, a large number of the Clergy and Lay Delegates of the Diocese assembled in the Cathedral Church, at 10:30 a.m., (Morning Prayer having been read at 9:30 a.m. by the Rt. Rev. the Assistant Bishop, assisted by Rev. B. F. Miller, Rev. C. E. Hixon, Rev. R. H. Cotton and Rev. C. M. Pullen.)

The Assistant Bishop took the Ante-Communion Service. Archdeacon Appleby read the Epistle. The Rev. Dean Bill read the Gospel. The Assistant Bishop acted as Celebrant, being assisted by the Rev. James Dobbin, D. D., Rev. Wm. Gardam, Rev. W. C. Pope and Rev. T. H. M. V. Appleby.

In the absence of the Diocesan, the Rev. W. C. Pope read the Bishop's Annual Greeting and Address, as follows :

BISHOP WHIPPLE'S ADDRESS.

MENTONE, FRANCE, Eastertide, 1891.

BELOVED BRETHREN:

You will miss me from the Diocesan Council. I shall miss the warm greetings of my children in the Lord. I have no tale of work to bring, and yet I must say a few words to those who are always in my heart.

Shortly after our last diocesan council, July 16th, my dear wife entered into rest. The end of fifty years of sweet fellowship has left me a lonely man. You who knew her will bear me witness that her highest joy was found in ministering unto others. Sorrow, sickness, suffering never came to your homes that her heart did not go out to you in all the tenderness of Christian love. She was followed to the grave by all classes and conditions of life; and those widely separated in religious creeds were one in a common sorrow. They who have finished their course in faith need no human praise, but you will bear with me if I tell you briefly how that wise and loving heart was my counsellor and helper in work for you and work for Christ.

She led me to the Saviour. She taught me to love His Church. She induced me to give up bright worldly hopes to become a minister of Christ. Through all of these more than forty years of priest's and bishop's life she melted her life into mine, and made my day dreams realities and my plans success. I am not saying too much when I tell you, I could not have laid foundations, and worked and waited until success came, without her self-sacrificing love. In the darkest hour of our Indian missions, when both of our missions were destroyed, when the most hopeful friends faltered, she always said, "It is yours to work, and in God's own time He will give the harvest."

It was the same in times of financial disaster, when brave helpers were called away; when burdened with debt and crushed with care, her woman's faith never failed. Our Seabury Divinity College would not be what it is to-day, had not Mrs. Breck, Mrs. Manney and my wife borne the burdens they did, when we were poor and had no buildings or revenues. St. Mary's Hall, which has well-nigh two thousand daughters, was her venture of faith. You will not blame me for telling you these things of one whom I believe has won by her self-sacrificing life, the Saviour's benediction, "She hath done what she could."

As we go on in life we older folk sadly miss those on whom we have leaned. Like Old Mortality we seem to be walking over graves. Gordon E. Cole was "the first citizen" of Faribault, and no child ever loved his home more than he loved our beautiful city. He came here when it was a small, scattered village, and for thirty-three years he labored for its welfare. He was the speaker for his neighbors when they came, thirty years ago, to invite me to make Faribault the see city of Minnesota. He won my confidence by his frank, manly speech, as he pledged his fellow citizens' help in all my ventures of faith. This confidence ripened into love, as I saw year by year how faithfully that promise was fulfilled. He was a trustee of St. Mary's Hall, of the Bishop Seabury Mission, of the Minnesota Church Foundation, of the Diocese of Minnesota, and was counsel for other corporations engaged in Christian work. The schools of Faribault had no better friend. One of the busiest men I ever knew, he always found time

for us when his help was needed. He never failed to share our work, and however cares might press, he shared our joys in the festivals of our schools. His name was a synonym for honor; he was always loyal to his convictions of right; he never faltered in his devotion to duty, and went to his rest respected and honored by all who knew him.

Hon. Henry Hale was one of the founders of St. Paul's parish, St. Paul, and often represented it in our Diocesan Councils. He was always loyal to his rector, and took honest pride in the success of the parish. He was generous of his substance, and dying left many legacies to public charities.

In the death of General Henry Hastings Sibley, Minnesota has lost her foremost citizen. No one man has so left his impress on the early history of our State. He was the devoted friend of the Indians, and lived for thirty years with the Sioux, when it was their boast that they had never taken the life of a white man. I often sought his advice, and he gave me a love unclouded by a doubt. When I was stricken down with sickness, he came to my relief and took upon his shoulders the care of Indians in Dakota whom the Government had placed in my charge. He did all this work without one dollar of compensation. Blameless in life, generous of his substance, always found on the side of righteousness, he went down to his grave respected and loved by all who knew him. He was a sincere believer in Jesus Christ, and died in the Communion of the Church.

J. P. Pond was one of the oldest members of Christ Church, St. Paul, and identified with all of its history. His death removes another old pioneer, and leaves only two laymen, Judge Wilder and Judge Atwater, who were members of the council which elected me your bishop. May these dear friends be long spared to be in the future all they have been in the past—my loyal, loving helpers.

This has been a year of private and national bereavement. The College of Bishops has lost two of its foremost men. Bishop Beckwith was a marvellous preacher, and his words found their way to every heart. The mantle of Bishop Elliot fell on his shoulders as he built up the waste places made desolate by the Civil War.

Bishop Paddock was the pastor, the shepherd and the father. Under his wise and loving hand a divided diocese was made one in their loving work for Christ and His Church.

The Assistant Bishop will make such recommendations as in his knowledge of the work seem wise. I have implicit confidence in his administration of the diocese, and there is hardly a day that I do not thank God for giving me such a staff to lean upon in my old age.

Do not forget that even such a shepherd and leader is pitifully helpless without the prayers, the alms and the hearty co-operation of his brethren. God has most wonderfully blessed our work. He has opened for us paths which seemed impassable. He has removed prejudices and broken down barriers, until the Church is everywhere respected. It is for you, to whom God has given such a blessed inheritance, to say whether the Church shall gather this harvest into the Lord's garner.

Our schools have won their way to the fore-front of public confidence. There never was a bishop and diocese who had so great reason for gratitude to God. The Assistant Bishop, the rector of Shattuck School, the late chaplain of St. Mary's Hall, three of the professors in Seabury, the three deans of convocation, and over one-third of the clergy of the Diocese, are sons of our Divinity School. The history of St. Mary's and Shattuck School has been a blessing to the Diocese and country. God only knows the toils and prayers of those brave souls, who for long years have in season and out of season labored for the welfare of these schools and crowned them with success. Will the work live when its founders are

gone? The only guarantee that they shall survive is in generous endowments. You cannot show me an instance of permanent, lasting success without endowment.

Pardon me for pleading so earnestly for work which God knows I have carried in my heart for thirty years. He who never forgets a deed of love will repay you all, and when you reach the other home, next to seeing the Saviour, next to having the old ties reunited, will be the comfort of meeting those you have helped home.

I am glad to tell you that my health is better, and that I believe it is our Father's will to permit me to finish the work which He gave me to do. I have been received everywhere with kindness, and shall bring to you many pleasant memories of the love of our brethren.

Eastertide has come, with its sweet story that they who have lived and loved and worked together here shall be reunited in the home where they see the King in His Beauty—and where sin, sickness and sorrow have forever passed away.

Always praying God for you that with one mind and one heart you may work for Christ and those for whom He died, I am, with love,

Always yours,

H. B. Cleeve

Bishop of Gloucester

The Assistant Bishop delivered his Annual Address, as follows:

ASSISTANT BISHOP GILBERT'S ADDRESS.

DEAR BRETHREN OF THE COUNCIL:

I greet you in the name of the Lord. This is the fifth time I have met you in annual Council. How swiftly the years sweep by! I cannot realize it was five years ago that you called me to be the Assistant Bishop of this Diocese. Busy years they have been, too busy to do well that which was to be done. The constant pressure of cares and duties incident to the work of this vast Diocese gives little time for the careful consideration of any one duty. Your patient forbearance and consideration of my shortcomings have been most helpful and comforting. During the past year I have missed, more than I can express, the counsel and personal intercourse with our beloved Diocesan. The heavy burden of family sorrow, and the necessary absence in foreign lands, have withdrawn him for the year from our midst. We know that his heart and thoughts have been ever with us, and we thank our Heavenly Father that he has been sustained in his affliction and recuperated in his physical energies. Warm is the welcome awaiting him from us all, as he returns. God grant that his precious life may be long spared to be a strength and support to the work of the Diocese which is so largely the outcome of his heart and brain.

No year has brought with it more losses by death among our clergy and laity than this. Hard, indeed, will it be to fill their places. Their works

do follow them, and the Diocese is made stronger by the influence of their examples, and honored by its heritage of their noble names.

The Rev. Francis Burdett Nash, Sr., departed this life near Tintah, Minnesota, October 6th, 1890. He was born at Springfield, Massachusetts, November 16th, 1812, and ordained by Bishop Smith, of Kentucky, in 1837. For fifty-one years his life was given unselfishly to the Master's work, largely as a missionary in Kentucky, West Virginia, Ohio, Illinois and Minnesota. The last eight years of his life were spent in this Diocese, the little Parish at Benson receiving the benefit of his care. He was simple and earnest in his faith. To preach Jesus Christ and Him crucified was the moving motive of his character. Of a guileless spirit, and great purity of heart and nobility of soul, he has left an influence for the holier life which will be ever held in precious remembrance. Full of years and the honors of Christian service, he has gone to reap the reward of those who are "faithful unto death."

Monday morning, May 23d, 1891, at his home near Lake Park, Minnesota, Rev. Fletcher J. Hawley, Doctor of Divinity, Honorary Dean, Rector and Missionary, passed into the light of Paradise. This announcement carries sadness to Bishops, clergy and laymen, for he was loved by all.

Dean Hawley came of that staunch and sturdy stock which is so representative of all that is strongest and best in the history of New England. He was born in Arlington, Vermont, November 22d, 1813. Union College was his Alma Mater, where he was graduated in 1840. Three years later he was graduated at the General Theological Seminary. Bishop Onderdonk ordained him Deacon in 1843, and Bishop Brownell to the Priesthood in 1845. His health, impaired by too close application to his studies, forced him to seek a more genial clime, and he went to the Island of Santa Cruz, in the West Indies, and took charge of the Church work in that Island. For fourteen years he remained in this interesting field. Three-quarters of the population of the Island were slaves. At the time of an universal uprising of these people against their masters, it was Dr. Hawley's personal influence, shown conspicuously in the courageous meeting of the turbulent mob on the highway, arrayed in the white robes of his office, that checked their progress and broke the fierceness of their designs. It was his wise statesmanship that brought about an adjustment of the difficulties, and secured for these black men virtual freedom from thralldom. His abilities were recognized by the King of Denmark, whose sovereignty extended over the Island of Santa Cruz, by appointing him president of the Colonial Council and special adviser to the Governor-General.

Few men in the ministry have ever been able to show such a record of successful labors as did he during his long pastorate in that tropical land.

* After his return to America, he became rector of Trinity church, New Orleans, where he remained until the second year of the War, when the occupation of the city by the Federal forces scattered his congregation. Returning to the North, he became successively rector of the churches at Danbury and Stafford Springs, Connecticut, where he did excellent work for the Church.

In September, 1880, he came to Minnesota, and became rector of St. Paul's church, Brainerd. Since then his life is well known to us all. At once he became a leading spirit in the Diocese, and was soon appointed Dean of the Northern Convocation, in which position he soon identified himself in a personal way with every clergyman in that portion of the Diocese. Those meetings of the Northern Convocation during Dr. Hawley's Deanship were events which one will always remember with peculiar

pleasure. His genial presence, his loving smile, his hearty hand grasp, his clear precision as a presiding officer, are well known.

After a successful rectorate of nearly eight years, the growing infirmities of old age began to tell him that he must rest. Resigning the Parish which he had brought to a marked condition of prosperity, he retired to "Conny-mende Farm," near Lake Park, where he passed the remainder of his days in quietness and peace and with calm, trustful resignation. His life was a triumph, his end peace, and his memory a benediction. The Diocese of Minnesota will always number him among her noblest sons.

The Diocesan has fittingly and tenderly mentioned in his address just read to you, the names of Gordon E. Cole, Henry Hale, James P. Pond and Henry Hastings Sibley. I can add nothing to his noble tributes, except to re-emphasize from my own personal knowledge all that he says of them. Their names are inwrought into the history of Church and State, and can never be forgotten. Others there are who have gone from our sight whom respect and affection prompt me to recall.

When last we met in Council, we gathered in spirit about the bedside of one whose life was very dear and precious to us all. Our prayers were offered up to God that He would spare her life or else bring her to the sweet land of rest beyond. The Heavenly Father, who doeth all things well, saw that her work here was done, and took her Home. You know I speak of Cornelia Whipple, the wife of our own venerated Diocesan. No words of mine can add aught to the tributes already so fittingly given. Her life was given to the Master's service. In His name she worked. In His name she entered into rest. Side by side and heart to heart with her distinguished husband, she gave her prayers, her energies, her love, to all the interests of the Church. Discouraged hearts were made stronger by her presence; every home she entered was made brighter by her loving interest. Each one of us of the clergy has in her death lost a personal friend. The largeness of her heart has found its fullness in the presence of the angels of God.

Dr. Glover Perin, surgeon and colonel United States Army (retired), fell gently asleep in December last at his home in St. Paul. Dr. Perin was a vestryman of St. Paul's church, and a devoted Churchman. I counted him among my warmest personal friends. He was like Nathaniel of old, a man without guile. His character was one of great nobility, his heart as tender as that of a child. His services of more than forty years in the Army were distinguished and without reproach. To those who knew him he was one to admire and love. Our Diocese has lost many noble men, but never one possessed of a loftier or purer soul.

Ascension church, Stillwater, mourns the loss of two of its staunchest members and supporters.

Mrs. C. W. Merry, a daughter of John McKusick, was a graduate of St. Mary's Hall, and a true child of the Church. She has gone to join a sainted mother in the Paradise of God.

Hon. W. M. McCluer was distinguished as a jurist. He was of singular uprightness of character, an exemplary and influential citizen, a vestryman of the Church, and always an unswerving friend and helper.

Mr. Cyrus B. Cobb, senior warden of St. John's in the Wilderness church, White Bear Lake, was my warm friend of many years. Nothing could ever swerve him from the path of duty. Upon him one could always implicitly rely. No matter what others might do, he would serve the Lord. He gave most generously of his time and means to the Church. For many years a delegate from his Parish to the Council, his name and face became familiar to the clergy and laity, although his quiet unobtrusiveness kept him back from prominence in our deliberations. He is missed

by all who knew him, but most of all by the little church he so faithfully served at White Bear.

The Church of the Holy Communion, Redwood Falls, has been bereaved in the death of its junior warden, Mr. James McMillan. Entering the Church only three years ago, he at once absorbed her spirit and life, and became an earnest and wise helper therein.

Mrs. Mary Wright, of Basswood Grove, was a veritable Mother in Israel. One of the earliest settlers in the State, she reared a family of sons and daughters, most of whom have remained faithful to the Church. One of them, Mr. Jno. Wright, has been for many years the senior warden of St. Mary's, Basswood Grove. Her last wish was for the services of the Church.

In the death of Mr. J. K. Hilyard, the Church has lost her leading representative among the colored people of the Diocese. He was a member of the Church of the Good Shepherd, St. Paul. An influential citizen of the city, a man of high standing not only among his own people but among all who knew him, he was followed to his grave by numbers irrespective of creed or color. His memory will be kindly cherished.

Among the staunch and true men of Christ church, Red Wing, none stood higher than the Hon. Christopher C. Graham. His recent demise has brought sorrow to many hearts. He was always identified with and deeply interested in the work of the Church. As an honored representative of that older constituency of the Diocese to whom the Church owes so much of her present prosperity, he has passed into our Diocesan history, where his name will always occupy a lofty niche.

Zion Mission, Reno, Pope County, has suffered a serious loss in the death of the chairman of its committee, Hon. Edwin Cox. He was a good man, and devoted to the Church.

Inspired by the example of those "who have departed hence in the true faith of His Holy Name," let us to the work before us, for "the night cometh in which no man can work."

There have been fewer changes among the clergy than usual; still we have lost some good men.

I suppose I can add nothing to what is so constantly being said by the older Bishops and others, about the serious evils to the Church resulting from frequent changes. I am conscious of it more and more. The ideal parish and the ideal rector cannot be found on this earth. Humanity is not yet perfected. May I simply, by way of proving negatively the serious evils of changing pastorates, call to your attention two illustrations of the good results of prolonged rectorships. Trinity church, Litchfield, in the twenty years of its existence has had but two rectors, Rev. T. G. Crump and the present incumbent, Rev. A. G. Pinkham. To-day the Church in Litchfield numbers one communicant in every fifteen of the population, and that, too, in a community not naturally of Churchly inclined tendencies.

St. Luke's church, Willmar, in its eighteen years of life has had but one rector, Rev. Daniel T. Booth. Here the population is overwhelmingly foreign, and yet the communicants number one in every sixteen of the population. Am I not correct in attributing this satisfactory condition very largely to the continuous pastorate?

The trying time in the relationship of pastor and people is usually at the end of the second year of the rectorship. If the people will bear with their clergyman, and the clergyman bear with the people, through that critical period, the result will almost surely be satisfactory. Had I the space, I could give what it seems to me is the explanation of this fact.

Permit me to call attention to another factor which will serve to make the mutual relationship of clergy and people more thoroughly congenial

and satisfactory. In every parish and mission there is either a vestry or Bishop's committee. I find in many instances that the rector or missionary has seldom or never convened these organizations during the year. The work entrusted to their hands and devolving upon them has been neglected or illy performed because the clergyman has not met with them, talked matters over, asked for reports, or stimulated them by his counsel to do their duty. It is a mistake. Regular quarterly meetings should be held. Let the clergyman call them, urge personally the attendance of the members thereof, preside at the meetings, and confer with them as a body about the interests of the work. It will be mutually helpful and profitable.

Fewer vacancies exist in the Diocese than at this time last year, and the work in the main has been prosperous. The classes for Confirmation have been smaller in the stronger city parishes and larger in the interior towns and villages than ordinary.

My visitations have given me much pleasure and satisfaction, noting as I do the deepening and broadening of interest in the work. Much of the worry connected with financial matters would disappear, were there more careful attention given to arranging and carrying forward some definite system therewith. Several of our weaker churches give more than the stronger ones because there is a regular system of giving adhered to. The Clergy should as far as possible insist upon this, and aid in carrying it on.

Parish Registers.—I notice with pain that in some instances there exists great carelessness and neglect in the keeping of the Parish Register. Instances have come to my knowledge where no entries have been made for a year. In a matter so simple and yet so important as this, no good excuse exists for such neglect. The true way is to make the entry in the Register on the very day the act is performed. A careful revision should be made of the Communicant list every year, and when a rector retires from a Parish it is his duty to see that the records are corrected up to date. If a Mission cannot afford to purchase a Register, I will gladly donate one on application.

Religious Work Among Young People.—It is evident on all sides that there is a strong and increasing demand for more personal religious work among the young people. The astonishing growth of certain organizations without the pale of the Church demonstrates how universal is the demand and how ready the acceptance. The Church must recognize this spirit and demand, or we shall lose much vantage ground.

Without discussing the question of the wisdom of incorporating into our own systems of work agencies which spring from other sources than the Church, I do think every rector has it in his power to set in motion some definite organization which will meet and stimulate the personal religious life of the young men and women in a very real and positive way. In Calvary church, Rochester, this want has been successfully met by the establishment of a society called the "Young People's Society of Spiritual Growth." It has now been in existence for a year, and has proven of great value in promoting the religious life of the Parish. I should be glad to know that branches of this society were established in many other Parishes, and I commend it to the attention of the brethren of the Clergy and laity.

Sunday School Institute.—A stimulating and successful session of the Sunday School Institute was held early in October last, in Gethsemane church, Minneapolis. Reports were received and read from many of the schools, and excellent addresses given. This Institute is a positive stimulus to Sunday School work, and special efforts should be made by the teachers throughout the Diocese to attend. They will be repaid for so doing.

Convocations.—The Convocational meetings have been for the most part very well attended, and productive of good. If the Clergy of the District would appreciate the help a Convocation largely attended and enthusiastically carried on is to the Rector and Parish, especially in the interior towns, they would make, if need be, a personal sacrifice to be present. Isolation tends to narrow and dispirit the life. The Clergy cannot afford to yield to the temptation to shut themselves up all the year within the confines of their Missions or Parishes. We are all members of one household. Let us get together from time to time and look each other in the eye, and talk over our common experiences, as well as to discuss questions of vital interest to the Church.

Missionary Addresses.—On my return from the East, in November, where I had numerous opportunities of telling the story of our Missionary work, I resolved to repeat the story at home. In accordance with this resolution, and through the ready courtesy of the rectors, I delivered Missionary addresses before the congregations at the Morning Services in the six largest Parishes of St. Paul and Minneapolis. The interest evinced in these addresses leads me to believe that they were of special, immediate and I trust of permanent benefit to the work of the Church.

Church Club.—In February a committee from the Clericus of Minneapolis and St. Paul met a number of representative laymen of the two cities and presented the matter of the formation of a Church Club, similar to clubs in Boston, New York and Chicago. The project was enthusiastically taken in hand by the laymen present, and the Church Club of the Diocese of Minnesota formed, with the venerable Hon. Isaac Atwater as president. Two very successful and inspiring meetings have been held, with social intercourse, banquet and speeches. Three meetings will be held each year. I feel that this Club will, in bringing the laymen of the Diocese in touch with each other, be of direct and permanent advantage to the Church. The Club now numbers about one hundred members.

Aged and Infirm Clergy.—The special attention given by the last Council to the needs of this fund for our aged and infirm Clergy has borne fruit. The Christmas offerings were large, and one gentleman of St. Paul handed me \$1,000 to add to the permanent fund. This amount is in the St. Paul Trust Company and invested by it. Let us not relax our efforts to increase the offerings and the permanent fund. Talk with each other about it and stimulate interest in it. If every layman of means in making his will would remember those worthy men who have worn themselves out in the service of the dear Lord, in a few years the income would be sufficient to give more than a mere pittance, as we are forced to do now.

The General Missionary.—The report which will be submitted by our General Missionary, now called Archdeacon, repeats the story of former years, and proves what an important and necessary adjunct to the thorough working of the Diocese such an officer is. As the business representative of the Bishop and the Diocese, he deals authoritatively with vestries and committees; as the Priest of the Church, he administers the food of life to the scattered sheep in the remote and neglected fields, and in the Missions where Deacons are laboring; and as an assistant to the Bishop, he aids me materially in detail work and correspondence.

Assessments and Apportionments.—It is very evident that the method so long prevailing of raising the money for Diocesan purposes by fixing the amount upon the Parishes according to their estimated ability or willingness to pay has been followed as long as it is wise. A more equitable

and permanent basis for assessments should be adopted. I recommend this matter to the special attention and action of the present Council.

The thanks of the Council are due to the faithful and indefatigable Treasurer of the Diocese, and also of the Episcopate Fund. These offices are no sinecures, but the duties are cheerfully performed by these gentlemen without charge.

Sunday School Lenten Offerings.—I have not as yet learned the amount given by the Sunday Schools during Lent toward general Missions, as requested by the Central Board and urged by myself. I hear that the response has been very general. I certainly trust so. Every consideration impels us to help forward the vast Missionary work of the Church in all lands. Minnesota has received bountifully at the hands of the Church. Every year still \$3,000 is given to our work. Remember this, dear brethren, and stir the hearts of the people to continued and deepening interest in this glorious work.

Clergymen's Retiring Fund.—This Society has commended itself to other Dioceses, and formal approval has been given to its work. Its object is an excellent one, and as far as I have studied them, its plan and methods are admirable. I would suggest the appointment of a committee to take the matter under advisement and report to the next Council.

I desire again to commend the interests of the work among the Colored people, the American Church Building and the Bible and Prayer Book Societies, and ask that you remember them in your offerings during the year.

Seabury Divinity School.—The effort to secure at least one offering a year from every Parish for our Divinity School did not fully succeed, but did result in an increase over all former years. Will you not endeavor to make this plan fully a success in the future? I know of no better day for this offering than Good Friday, when we explicitly pray for the conversion of all men for whom Christ died, and for which cause the Ministry is specially prepared.

The Woman's Auxiliary.—The last annual meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary was the most inspiring yet held. Their noble work goes steadily on. My heart goes out to those earnest Christian women in gratitude for the blessedness they are bestowing upon the hearts and homes of our Missionaries. Every Parish should have a branch of this Society. The more we do for others, the more we receive for ourselves.

Diocesan Schools.—Shattuck has been filled to overflowing. It needs no advertising. Its fame is as wide as our country. Its pupils and graduates take high rank wherever they go, in business, in community and in college.

St. Mary's Hall is unsurpassed for thoroughness, for reality, for high spiritual and moral atmosphere. The past year has been one of the most satisfactory in its history.

Seabury Divinity School has gone steadily and prosperously on in its high mission of fitting young men for the Ministry. Its graduates, with but few exceptions, prove most efficient as Parish Priests. The School numbers nearly thirty young men. The Professors have a world-wide reputation. The position of Warden, meritoriously supplied for three years by the services of one of the Professors, it is expected will soon be permanently filled by one of our ablest Clergymen.

In the southwestern portion of the Diocese, at Wilder, the Breck Farm School has been doing a remarkable work in the cause of an inexpensive vet

thorough education. Here the sons and daughters of farmers, mechanics and people of moderate means can secure an academic and business education for themselves.

Church Hospitals.—The three Church Hospitals in St. Paul, Minneapolis and Duluth have continued their Christly work. Great improvements have been made in the latter, and the means have at last been secured to go on with the immediate completion of St. Luke's Hospital, St. Paul.

Sheltering Arms.—The Sheltering Arms, our Diocesan Orphans' Home, has been freed this year from the indebtedness which limited its usefulness, and is filled with children, whose young lives are trained in the atmosphere of a true Christian home. It needs, as it merits, the continued financial aid of all its friends throughout the Diocese.

The Indian Work.—The visitations to our Indian Missions last autumn were very kindly made by the Missionary Bishop of the Platte. The work in the main is in a most satisfactory condition. The new St. Columba church will be completed this summer. The schools at Leech Lake, Cass Lake, Pine Point and Wild Rice River are unusually full. The two churches at Red Lake, under the devoted care of Rev. Francis Willis, Jr., are flourishing. Archdeacon Gilfillan has been, as always, busy and generous in the work under his care.

A new industry among the women on the Reservation has been started and is being carried on under the personal direction of competent teachers. This lace work owes its inception and sustentation to Miss Sybil Carter of New York. The Indians are most fortunate in having such a wise, warm-hearted and influential friend. My heart goes out to her in gratitude. Miss Carter and Miss Jay of New York have just returned from making visitations of our Indian Missions.

Official Record:

The record of my official work is as follows; Matters pertaining to meetings of boards, conferences on parochial and diocesan affairs, and duties of a kindred character, not of general interest, being excluded from mention in this connection:

Friday, June 6th, attended Commencement of Seabury Divinity School, in the Cathedral.

Sunday, June 8th, 10.30 a. m., assisted in the Ordinations at the Cathedral. 8 p. m., preached the Baccalaureate sermon for the Baldwin School, St. Paul.

Thursday, June 12th, addressed the encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic in Wadena.

Sunday, June 15th, 10.30 a. m., preached and celebrated Holy Communion in the Church of the Nativity, Wells. This Parish, during a protracted vacancy, was satisfactorily supplied by Mr. Laurence C. Miller, candidate for Holy Orders. 8 p. m., in the Church of the Good Shepherd, Blue Earth City, preached and confirmed three, presented by the Rector, Rev. R. R. Goudy.

Monday, June 16th, 7 p. m., in St. Martin's church, Fairmont, preached and confirmed 11, presented by Rev. A. S. H. Winsor.

From June 17th to 19th, in attendance at Commencement exercises of St. Mary's and Shattuck Schools.

Sunday, June 22d, 10.30 a. m., preached, confirmed eight and celebrated Holy Communion in St. James' mission, Marshall, Rev. Jas. B. Halsev. Missionary. 3.30 p. m., preached in St. George's mission, Island Lake, Lincoln Co., and confirmed two.

Monday, June 23d, celebrated Holy Communion, preached and confirmed three in St. John's mission, Lake Benton. The work carried on in this place under the personal direction of Mr. J. D. Greene, Lay Reader, is interesting and remarkable. A valuable property has been secured for the Church, and a successful Parish School maintained.

Tuesday, June 24th, 10.30 a.m., laid the corner stone of All Souls' church, Sleepy Eye, and made an address. This new Mission continues to flourish under the care of Rev. Stuart B. Purves. 7.30 p.m., preached in the Church of the Holy Communion, Redwood Falls.

Wednesday, June 25th, held service, preached and baptized two children at the Sioux Mission, Good Thunder's village. The beautiful stone church, named at the special request of the grateful Indians after the sainted wife of the Diocesan, has been fully completed since my visit. 8 p.m., preached and confirmed 12 persons in the Mission at Beaver Falls. All these stations are blessed with the oversight of Rev. Mr. Purves.

Thursday, at 10 a.m., confirmed one in Church of the Holy Communion, Redwood Falls.

Friday, June 27th, 8 p.m., confirmed 10 in St. Paul's church, St. Paul.

Sunday, June 29th, preached and celebrated Holy Communion in St. Peter's church, St. Paul.

Monday, June 30, preached and confirmed 10 in Church of the Holy Communion, St. Peter.

Sunday, July 6th, 10.30, preached, celebrated Holy Communion and baptized an infant in the Camp Memorial chapel, Minnetonka Beach. 3 p.m., preached in Trinity church, Excelsior, and organized the Mission. The Church is reviving at this point.

Sunday, July 13th, consecrated St. Mary's church, Tower, preached, celebrated Holy Communion and confirmed three. The Rev. R. H. Gesner, Rector.

Monday, July 14th, officiated at the funeral of Mr. C. B. Cobb, a staunch and true Churchman, and senior warden of St. John's in the Wilderness church, White Bear Lake.

Saturday, July 19th, celebrated Holy Communion, and officiated at the funeral in the Cathedral of the beloved and revered wife of the Bishop of the Diocese.

Sunday, August 17th, preached in Christ church, St. Paul.

Sunday, August 24th, preached in Christ church, St. Paul.

Tuesday, August 26th, baptized a child in Christ church, St. Paul, and married a couple.

Wednesday, August 27th, officiated at the funeral of a child in St. Paul.

Sunday, Sept. 7th, instituted Rev. A. Alexander as Rector of All Saints', Minneapolis. 3 p.m., dedicated the practically new Ascension church, St. Paul.

Sept. 10th, baptized an infant in Christ church, St. Paul.

Thursday, Sept. 11th, 4 p.m., baptized three children, preached and celebrated Holy Communion in St. Mark's Church, Longworth's. Mr. C. F. Kite, of Seabury, conducted the services in this Church during the summer.

Saturday, Sept. 13th, celebrated Holy Communion to a sick person in private, and baptized two adults and four children in Christ church, St. Paul.

Sunday, Sept. 14th, 10.30 a.m., in the Church of the Good Shepherd, St. Paul, celebrated Holy Communion, preached and ordained Rev. Johannes Salinger to the Diaconate. 8 p.m., preached in Trinity church, Anoka, and confirmed nine, presented by Mr. A. E. Fillmore, candidate for Orders, in charge.

Wednesday, Sept. 17th, in St. Columba church, White Earth, preached and confirmed seven Chippewas. My Rt. Rev. brother, the Missionary Bishop of the Platte, was present and made an address. Bishop Graves most kindly went on from there, and made the visitations of the Chippewa Missions at my request.

Friday, Sept. 19th, 8 p.m., preached and confirmed two in the Church of the Beloved Physician, Mentor, Polk Co. This Mission is cared for by Rev. Samuel Currie.

Sunday, Sept. 21st, 10.30 a.m., preached, celebrated Holy Communion and confirmed two, in Christ church, St. Vincent. 2.30 p.m., preached in Pembina, North Dakota. 8 p.m., preached, celebrated Holy Communion and confirmed one in St. John's Church, Hallock.

These stations are all under the charge of the indefatigable and self-denying Rev. H. Beer.

Sept. 22d, preached in Christ church, Crookston, Rev. F. M. Weddell, Rector. This Parish has suffered greatly by removals, and is considerably discouraged. There is, however, a good field for work here.

Thursday, Sept. 25th, preached in Christ church, Glencoe. This Mission during the vacancy has been well looked after by the Rev. F. R. Mills-paugh.

Friday, Sept. 26th, 8 p.m., preached and baptized two adults in St. Mary's mission, Brownton.

Sunday, Sept. 28th, 10.30 a.m., preached, celebrated Holy Communion and confirmed three in the pretty new Trinity church, Granite Falls. This Parish has suffered a severe loss during the year in the serious illness, necessitating removal, of its able young Rector, Rev. Jas. B. Halsey. 8 p.m., preached and confirmed six in Grace church, Montevideo, Rev. M. N. Ray, Rector.

Monday, Sept. 29th, 8 p.m., preached and confirmed four in Gethsemane church, Appleton, Rev. W. H. H. Ross, Rector.

Tuesday, Sept. 30th, presided at the meeting of the Minnesota Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary, in Christ church, St. Paul. An able address was given by Dean TenBroeck, of La Crosse. This meeting was the best yet held in the Diocese, and was full of inspiration.

Wednesday, Oct. 1st, attended meeting of the Diocesan Sunday School Institute in Gethsemane Church, Minneapolis, and made addresses.

Thursday, Oct. 2d, 8 p.m., in Grace church, Wadena, preached, celebrated Holy Communion and confirmed four, presented by Rev. C. C. Rollit.

Friday, October 3d, preached in the Church of the Redeemer, Perham.

Sunday, Oct. 5th, 10.30 a.m., preached and celebrated Holy Communion in St. Luke's church, Detroit. These Missions, vacant for some time, have been since November acceptably filled by Rev. R. C. E. Lockhart, of the Diocese of Ontario. 8 p.m., preached in the school house, Lake Park, and spent the night with the beloved and venerable Honorary Dean of the Northern Convocation, Rev. Dr. Hawley, who carried his continued infirmities with a calm and beautiful submission until the end.

Monday, Oct. 6th, 8 p.m., preached at the residence of Mrs. H. B. Smyser, near Glyndon.

Tuesday, Oct. 7th, in St. John's church, Moorhead, preached, the services being taken by Rev. G. A. Harvey, Rector.

Friday, Oct. 10th, 8 p.m., preached in St. John's church, Morris, Rev. F. H. Potts, in charge.

Sunday, Oct. 12th, in St. Luke's Church, Brown's Valley, celebrated Holy Communion, preached and confirmed seven, presented by Rev. A. J. D. Kuehn. 8 p.m., preached and confirmed eight in Graceville.

Tuesday, Oct. 14th, preached in Calvary church, St. James, Rev. C. H. Beaulieu, Rector.

Wednesday, Oct. 15th, preached in the Methodist church, Pipestone. A Clergyman is wanted for this point, and the outlook for the Church is encouraging.

Thursday, Oct. 16th, 8 p.m., preached in the Court House, Luverne, Rev. C. S. Ware, Missionary. This is an important point for the Church, and efforts are being made to erect a church the present year.

Friday, Oct. 17th, in St. John's church, Worthington, Rev. C. H. Beaulieu, in charge, preached and confirmed nine. The re-awakening of life in this moribund Mission is most marked and cheering.

Sunday, Oct. 19th, 3 p.m., preached in the Chapel of the Messiah, St. Paul, and baptized at 1 p. m. one child in Christ church, St. Paul.

From Oct. 21st to Nov. 31st, I was in the East, constantly engaged in presenting the claims of our work in public and private, as opportunities offered.

It was a pride and pleasure to note the high reputation our Diocese sustains in the East, and how deeply interested all were in our work, missionary and educational.

Saturday, Dec. 6th, in Calvary church, St. James, preached and confirmed six, presented by Rev. C. H. Beaulieu.

Sunday, Dec. 7th, 10.30 a.m., in the Church of the Good Shepherd, Windom, preached and celebrated the Holy Communion. The Church here is flourishing under the very satisfactory superintendence of Rev. C. S. Ware.

In the evening of the same day I preached and confirmed nine in the Chapel of the Breck School, Wilder.

An excellent religious atmosphere pervades the school, which is wisely stimulated by all the members of the faculty.

Monday evening, attended a reception in Minneapolis, given by the gentlemen's club of Gethsemane church to the Bishop of Indiana, and made an address.

Wednesday, Dec. 10th, officiated at the funeral of Hon. Henry Hale, in St. Paul's church, St. Paul, assisted by the Rector.

Thursday, Dec. 11th, in Duluth, on matters connected with Church work.

Friday, Dec. 12th, in Church of the Good Shepherd, St. Paul, preached and confirmed five.

Sunday, Dec. 14th, 11 a.m., preached the sermon at the re-opening of Holy Trinity church, Minneapolis. The indefatigable and able Rector of this Church has accomplished excellent results in the face of many obstacles. The Church, as enlarged, is beautiful, commodious and inviting. 3.30 p.m., preached in St. Andrew's, Minneapolis, a sermon commemorative of the clearing of the indebtedness on the Sheltering Arms. 7.30 p.m., preached and confirmed four in Chapel of the Messiah, St. Paul, Rev. C. E. Haupt, Pastor.

Wednesday, Dec. 17th, 10 a.m., in his own house I confirmed General Henry Hastings Sibley. 5 p.m., in Christ church, St. Paul, officiated at a marriage.

Thursday, Dec. 18th, 3 p.m., in Grace church, Elysian, preached. Rev. Mr. Cornell, who has for three years given faithful and unselfish services to this Church, has relinquished it to Rev. W. Tuson, of Waterville. 7.30 p.m., in the Church of the Good Shepherd, Madison Lake, preached and confirmed four, presented by Rev. Mr. Cornell.

Friday, Dec. 19th, preached in St. John's church, Janesville, Rev. James Cornell, Rector.

Christmas Day, preached and celebrated Holy Communion in Christ church, St. Paul.

Sunday, Dec. 28th, in St. John's church, Moorhead, Rev. G. A. Harvey, Rector, preached twice and confirmed 17. This Church has never attained a greater degree of prosperity than at present.

Sunday, Jan. 4th, 1891, 11 a.m., told the story of our Missionary work in Gethsemane church, Minneapolis. 7.30 p.m., in All Saints', Minneapolis, preached.

Tuesday, Jan. 6th, Epiphany, at the matriculation services in Seabury Divinity School, celebrated the Holy Communion and made an address.

Sunday, Jan. 11th, 11 a.m., told the story of our Missionary work in Christ church, St. Paul.

Monday, Jan. 12th, in the Church of the Advent, Farmington, preached and confirmed seven, presented by Rev. E. Moyses, District Presbyterian. The work of the Church is reviving at this point.

Tuesday, Jan. 13th, in Christ church, St. Paul, officiated at the funeral of Major J. P. Pond, and made an address.

Wednesday, Jan. 14th, presided at a meeting in Minneapolis, convened for the organization of a laymen's club.

Thursday, Jan. 15th, attended a meeting of gentlemen in Christ church, St. Paul, and made an address.

Friday, Jan. 16th, in St. Cloud, in conference with the vestry of St. John's church.

Sunday, Jan. 18th, 11 a.m., told the story of our Missionary work in St. John's church, St. Paul. 7.30 p.m., preached in Ascension church, St. Paul.

Sunday, Jan. 25th, in Faribault, services and addresses in the Cathedral, Shattuck and St. Mary's.

Tuesday and Wednesday, Jan. 27th and 28th, attended the sessions of the Central Convocation, in Holy Trinity church, Minneapolis, and made addresses.

Friday, Jan. 30th, 7.30 p.m., told the story of our Missionary work in St. Mary's church, Merriam Park.

Sunday, Feb. 1st, 11 a.m., told the story of our Missionary work in St. Paul's church, St. Paul, and celebrated Holy Communion. Preached in the evening in Christ church.

Tuesday, Feb. 3d, 7.30 p.m., preached in the Methodist church, Olivia, Renville Co., and confirmed nine. This work was started by Rev. Mr. Purves, District Presbyterian, and is being cared for by Rev. Mr. Ray, of Montevideo. I organized it into a Mission.

Feb. 4th, attended the auspicious opening of the Laymen's Club of the Diocese, in Minneapolis, and made an address.

Thursday, Feb. 5th, married a couple in St. Paul.

Sunday, Feb. 8th, 11 a.m., told the story of our Missionary work in St. Mark's church, Minneapolis, and repeated the address in St. Paul's church in the afternoon.

Monday and Tuesday, Feb. 9th and 10th, attended in Christ church, St. Paul, the Retreat conducted by the Bishop of Fond du Lac.

Ash Wednesday, Feb. 11th, preached in Christ church, St. Paul.

Sunday, Feb. 15th, 10.30 and 7.30, in St. John's church, Saint Cloud, preached, and at the morning service celebrated Holy Communion. This Parish during the vacancy has been fortunate in having the services of Rev. T. C. Hudson. 3.30 p.m., in Grace church, Sauk Rapids, preached and confirmed two.

Wednesday, Feb. 18th, preached and confirmed five in the Breck School chapel, Wilder.

Friday, Feb. 20th, officiated at the funeral of Gen. H. H. Sibley, in St. Paul's church, St. Paul.

Saturday, Feb. 21st, lectured before the students of Seabury Divinity School.

Sunday, Feb. 22d, preached and made addresses in the Cathedral, Shattuck and St. Mary's.

Monday, Feb. 23d, in Christ church, Austin, preached and confirmed 21. This Parish, under its present Rector, Rev. Mr. McVettie, is prospering.

Tuesday, Feb. 24th, preached in St. Paul's church, Owatonna. During the vacancy Rev. Mr. Poole and Mr. G. N. Deyo of Faribault have conducted the services. The new Rector, Rev. P. B. Peabody, will take charge in June.

Wednesday, Feb. 25th, preached and confirmed six in St. Peter's church, Kasson, presented by the Rev. A. M. Hilliker. Celebrated Holy Communion.

Thursday, Feb. 26th, preached, confirmed seven and celebrated Holy Communion in St. John's, Mantorville.

These two Parishes are progressing favorably under the care of Rev. A. M. Hilliker and Mr. Ernest Dray of Seabury.

Friday, Feb. 27th, 3.30 p.m., preached and confirmed two in the school house, Skyberg, Goodhue Co. 7.30 p.m., preached, celebrated Holy Communion and confirmed three in Ascension church, Kenyon. The Rev. C. B. Fosbroke has charge of these two places, and is doing well in a field of peculiar difficulty.

Sunday, March 1st, 11 a.m., preached, celebrated Holy Communion and confirmed ten in Holy Trinity church, Minneapolis. 3.30 p.m., preached and confirmed two in St. John's mission, Minneapolis. 7.30 p.m. preached and confirmed ten in St. Matthew's mission, Minneapolis. These two Missions are under the charge of Rev. C. K. Capron, City Missionary.

Monday, March 2d, 7.30 p.m., in St. Thomas' church, North Branch, preached, baptized three children and celebrated Holy Communion.

Tuesday, March 3d, 3.30 p.m., in the school house at Goose Creek, Chisago Co., baptized one, preached, confirmed 13, celebrated Holy Communion and organized the Mission and named it St. James'. 7.30 p.m., in Grace church, Rush City, preached, confirmed four and celebrated the Holy Communion. These points are under the charge of Mr. John Caldwell, candidate for Orders.

Wednesday, March 4th, in Christ church, St. Paul, in the presence of Rev. C. D. Andrews and Rev. H. S. Clapp, deposed from the Sacred Ministry Rev. John Coleman, Chippewa Deacon.

Thursday, March 5th, 7.30 p.m., preached and confirmed one in St. Mary's church, Basswood Grove.

Friday, March 6th, in St. Paul's church, Point Douglas, preached and confirmed ten, presented by Rev. J. W. Prosser.

Sunday, March 8th, 10.30 a.m., in St. Luke's church, Hastings, Rev. E. Moyses, Rector, preached, confirmed 11 and celebrated Holy Communion. 7.30 p.m., preached and confirmed 11 in Ascension church, St. Paul. The enlargement of this Church has added much to its effectiveness. Rev. J. A. Antrim, Rector, owing to ill health has resigned and left the Diocese.

Tuesday, March 10th, in Trinity church, Anoka, preached and confirmed one. Mr. A. E. Fillmore, of Seabury, has conducted services during the vacancy. Rev. M. Jukes will enter upon the charge the second Sunday in June.

Wednesday, March 11th, 8 p.m., in Grace church, Royalton, preached and confirmed 13, presented by Rev. A. A. Joss, in charge of this promising and flourishing little Parish.

Thursday, March 12th, in the Church of Our Saviour, Little Falls, preached and confirmed four. Rev. Mr. Joss is connecting the Church elements in this growing town, and putting the Parish on a firm basis.

Friday, March 13th, in St. Paul's church, Brainerd, preached and confirmed 27. The Rector, Rev. Geo. H. Davis, is a rare man, and has a thorough knowledge of how to work a Parish.

Sunday, March 15th, 10.30 a.m., in St. Paul's church, Duluth, preached and confirmed 14. The vigorous Rectorship of Rev. Mr. Barker is making this one of the leading Parishes in the Diocese. 3.30 p.m., preached in the Mission of the Holy Spirit, West End. 7.30 p.m., preached and confirmed three in the Mission of the Holy Apostles, West Duluth. This Mission is under the charge of Rev. H. Gates, and is full of promise. Lots have been secured, and a chapel is soon to be built.

Monday, March 16th, in S. Mary's church, Tower, preached and confirmed 11, prepared and presented by Archdeacon Appleby. The vacancy caused by the return to the East of Rev. Mr. Gesner has been acceptably filled by Rev. B. F. Miller, of the Diocese of Indiana.

Wednesday, March 18th, preached and confirmed one in Trinity church, Elk River. The new Church is approaching completion, and is a pleasing illustration of what weak hands can do, when there is unwavering faith in God.

Thursday, March 19th, preached and confirmed 11 in Trinity church, Becker, presented by Rev. J. W. Prosser. Mr. Prosser has successfully carried on this field, and very unselfishly relinquishes it for the combination to be made with Anoka and Elk River for the support of Rev. Mr. Jukes.

Sunday, March 22d, 10.30 a.m., preached and confirmed 33 in Gethsemane church, Minneapolis. This noble Parish has attained great prosperity under Rev. Mr. Faudé. 3.30 p.m., preached and confirmed 11 in All Saints', Minneapolis. Under Rev. Mr. Alexander, this Church is steadily recovering from its depression. 7.30 p.m., in Christ church, St. Paul, preached and confirmed 14.

Monday, March 23d, preached and confirmed ten in St. Matthew's church, St. Anthony Park. Rev. Howard S. Clapp. This Parish is the peer of any in the Diocese for vigorous and courageous work.

Tuesday, March 24th, preached in St. Stephen's church, St. Paul, Rev. Mr. Clapp in charge.

Wednesday, March 25th, preached and confirmed three in St. Mary's church, Merriam Park. Under Rev. Mr. Fortin, this Parish has so strengthened materially that it is now able to support its Rector and retain his services constantly. An attractive rectory has been erected during the year.

Thursday, March 26th, held services in Trinity church, St. Paul Park. Hereafter this mission will be in charge of Rev. C. E. Haupt.

Good Friday, March 27th, 4 p.m., made addresses and confirmed 14 in Holy Trinity church, Minneapolis. 7.30 p.m., in St. James' church, St. Paul, preached and confirmed 13, presented by the Rector, Rev. C. E. Haupt. The removal of this church to a new locality gave the work an impulse which, with the earnestness of Pastor and people, is rapidly increasing the strength of the Parish.

Saturday, March 28th, preached and confirmed nine in the Chapel of the Messiah, St. Paul, also under the charge of Rev. Mr. Haupt. The remarkable growth of this work has already filled the large addition made to the church building.

Easter Day. 11 a.m., preached and celebrated Holy Communion in Christ church, St. Paul. 3.30 p.m., preached in the State Prison, Stillwater. 7.30 p.m., preached and confirmed 23 in Ascension church, Stillwater. This Church still continues on the high way of prosperity in all lines.

Wednesday, April 1st, preached and confirmed 17 in St. Luke's church, Willmar, presented by the Rector, Rev. D. T. Booth, who is a model of faithfulness and persistence.

Thursday, April 2d, preached and confirmed eight in Trinity church, Litchfield, Rev. A. G. Pinkham, Rector. Mr. Pinkham has learned the Swedish tongue and has begun afternoon services for the benefit of the people of that nationality.

Sunday, April 5th, preached, celebrated Holy Communion and confirmed 29 in the Cathedral at Faribault, and at 3.30 p.m. confirmed 12 in Chapel of Shattuck School.

Tuesday, April 7th, preached and confirmed two in All Saints', Northfield, Rev. G. H. Mueller, Rector.

Wednesday, April 8th, preached in the Church of the Redeemer, Cannon Falls. Mr. Arthur Chard, of Seabury, has conducted the services here during the year.

Thursday, April 9th, preached in Trinity church, Zumbrota. This field is still vacant, but Rev. Mr. Fowler, of Rochester, will give occasional week day services.

Friday, April 10th, in Grace church, Pine Island, preached and confirmed 10. Rev. Mr. Pritchard is doing a successful work in this field, so long torpid.

Sunday, April 12th, 11 a.m., preached and confirmed 18 in St. John the Evangelist's church, St. Paul. A new and larger church is required for the continuous growth of this prosperous Parish. 3.30 p.m., preached in the Chapel of the Resurrection, St. Paul, a Mission under the charge of Rev. W. C. Pope. 7.30 p.m., preached and confirmed 14 in St. Paul's church, St. Paul, Rev. Dr. Wright, Rector. This Parish has lost heavily by deaths and removals. The Rector, with far-seeing wisdom, is pressing for an endowment.

Monday, April 13th, preached and confirmed 14 in Christ church, La Crosse, at the request of the Rector and the Bishop of Milwaukee.

Tuesday, April 14th, preached in Trinity church, St. Charles, under the charge of Rev. Mr. Pritchard.

Wednesday, at noon, married Rev. Chas. C. Rollit and Mary A. Manning in Holy Trinity church, Minneapolis. At 1 p.m. married a couple in St. Paul. 7.30 p.m., preached and confirmed four in Grace church, Wabasha, Rev. J. J. Hillmer, Rector.

Thursday, April 16th, preached in St. Mark's Church, Lake City, Rev. Edwin Johnson, Rector.

Friday, April 17th, at 3 p.m., preached in the school house, Dresbach, and at 7.30 p.m. preached and confirmed five in St. John's church, Dakota. Rev. T. K. Allen is in charge of these prosperous Missions.

Saturday, April 18th, 7.30 p.m., baptized two children and preached in Christ church, Frontenac. Rev. Mr. Johnson will conduct the work at this point.

Sunday, April 19th, 10.30 a.m., preached and confirmed 32 in Christ church, Red Wing. This model Parish is retaining its high standard under Rev. E. H. Clark. 7.30 p.m., preached and confirmed six in St. Paul's church, Winona, Rev. W. H. Knowlton.

Tuesday, April 21st, preached and baptized two children and celebrated Holy Communion in Christ church, Albert Lea. This Church has been va-

cant for some time, but it is expected a Clergyman will arrive and take charge early in July.

Wednesday, April 22d, preached and confirmed thirteen in the Church of the Nativity, Wells, Rev. F. M. Weddell, Rector. There is a delightful relationship existing here between Pastor and people, which causes the work to move on most pleasantly.

Thursday, April 23d, preached in St. Martin's church, Fairmont. Rev. T. C. Hudson enters upon the Rectorship the second Sunday in June.

Friday, April 24th, preached in the Church of the Good Shepherd, Blue Earth, Rev. R. R. Goudy, Rector.

Sunday, April 26th, 10.30 a.m., preached and confirmed 15 in St. Paul's church, Minneapolis, Rev. F. R. Millspaugh, Rector. This Church has made an excellent record in the reduction of its heavy indebtedness, and in other ways as well. 5 p.m., preached and confirmed eight in St. Mark's church, Minneapolis, Rev. T. B. Wells, D.D., Rector. 7.30 p.m., preached and confirmed 10 in Grace church, Minneapolis, Rev. C. E. Hixon, Rector. This Church shows the largest percentage of growth of any church in the Diocese during the decade.

Monday, April 27th, preached and confirmed three in St. Peter's church, Shakopee, Rev. C. M. Pullen, Rector.

Tuesday, April 28th, in St. John's in the Wilderness church, White Bear Lake, preached and confirmed two, presented by the Rector, Rev. S. Mills.

Wednesday, April 29th, married in St. Paul's church, St. Paul, Rev. Edwin Johnson and Miss Carrie Belote. 7.30 p.m., preached and confirmed five in St. Peter's church, St. Paul, Rev. S. Mills, Rector. This Parish is making heroic efforts, which deserve general encouragement, to pay its heavy indebtedness.

Friday, May 8th, preached and confirmed five in All Saints' Cathedral, Sioux Falls, at the request of the Rector and Bishop Hare.

Saturday, May 9th, in St. John's church, LeSueur, preached and confirmed one. Rev. C. M. Pullen in charge.

Sunday, May 10th, in St. John's church, Mankato, Rev. A. R. Taylor, Rector, preached, celebrated Holy Communion and confirmed 19. This Parish is in a most thriving condition. 7.30 p.m., preached and confirmed one in Church of the Transfiguration, Belle Plaine, one of Rev. Mr. Pullen's stations.

Monday, May 11th, attended the banquet of the Church Club in St. Paul, and made an address.

Tuesday, May 12th, preached and confirmed 11 in the Church of the Holy Communion, St. Peter, Rev. R. H. Cotton, Rector. No visit to St. Peter has ever given me greater pleasure. The Southern Convocation held its sessions on the 12th and 13th in St. Peter.

Wednesday, May 13th, preached and confirmed eight in St. Jude's church, Henderson, Rev. C. M. Pullen in charge. No better missionary work, I am sure, is done anywhere in the Church than that which is being done by Mr. Pullen in the Minnesota Valley.

Thursday, May 14th, preached in All Angels' church, Lake Crystal, now vacant.

Whitsunday, May 17th, 10.30 a.m., Emmanuel church, Alexandria, preached and confirmed three. 4 p.m., preached and confirmed five in Zion church, Reno, and at 8 p.m. preached in the Methodist church, Glenwood. Rev. Mr. Jukes has done a most self-denying and faithful work in this difficult field.

Monday, May 18th, preached and confirmed six in the Church of the Good Samaritan, Sauk Centre, Rev. J. F. Hamilton, Rector.

Tuesday, May 19th, 10.30 a.m., consecrated St. John's church, Ashley, Stearns County, a comfortable building in the midst of a thrifty farming community. Rev. Mr. Hamilton will have the work under his charge. I organized the Mission.

Tuesday, May 19th, 7.30 p.m., preached in Trinity church, Melrose, one of Mr. Hamilton's stations.

Friday, May 22d, held a delightful service, with Holy Communion, and confirmed nine in St. Paul's church, Belle Creek. This Church is always redolent of the memory of Father Chandler. Rev. Mr. Fosbroke now has charge.

Saturday, May 23d, addressed several Parish societies connected with Calvary Parish, Rochester.

Sunday, May 24th, 10.30 a.m., preached, confirmed 36 and celebrated Holy Communion in Calvary church, Rochester, Rev. W. W. Fowler, Rector. This is the largest class confirmed in the Diocese during the year, and shows how earnest is the new life which has come into this Parish. 7.30 p.m., preached and confirmed two in St. Matthew's church, Chatfield. Rev. Mr. Pritchard having resigned this work, Rev. Mr. Fowler will have it under his eye.

Tuesday, May 26th, preached, celebrated the Holy Communion and confirmed one in St. John's church, Hassan. 4 p.m., preached in the Breck Memorial Chapel, Rockford, and at 7.30 p.m. preached and confirmed three in Holy Spirit Mission, Delano. Rev. E. J. Purdy, with Rev. Mr. Mills-paugh, has looked after this field for the year past.

Thursday, May 28th, officiated at the funeral services of Rev. Fletcher J. Hawley, D.D., in Lake Park.

Friday, May 29th, 7.30 p.m., special confirmation of nine persons in St. Paul's church, Minneapolis.

Sunday, May 31st, 10.30 a.m., consecrated the new St. Paul's church, Lexington Township, Le Sueur County, preached and organized the Mission. 4 p.m., preached and confirmed two in Christ church, Cordova. 8 p.m., preached, confirmed four and celebrated Holy Communion in St. Andrew's church, Waterville. These three stations are in charge of Rev. Wm. Tuson.

To summarize and tabulate the above record of confirmations:

Blue Earth.....	3	Royalton.....	13
Fairmont.....	11	Little Falls.....	4
Marshall.....	8	Brainerd.....	27
Island Lake.....	2	Duluth, St. Paul's.....	14
Lake Benton.....	3	Duluth, Holy Apostles.....	3
Redwood Falls.....	1	Elk River.....	1
Beaver Falls.....	12	Becker.....	11
St. Paul, St. Paul's (2 vis.).....	25	Minneapolis, Gethsemane.....	33
St. Peter (2 visitations).....	18	Minneapolis, All Saints.....	11
Tower (2 visitations).....	14	St. Paul, Christ Church.....	15
Anoka (2 visitations).....	10	St. Paul, St. Matthew's.....	10
White Earth.....	7	St. Paul, St. Mary's.....	3
Mentor.....	2	St. Paul, St. James'.....	13
St. Vincent.....	2	Stillwater.....	23
Hallock.....	1	Willmar.....	17
Granite Falls.....	3	Litchfield.....	8
Montevideo.....	6	Faribault, Cathedral.....	29
Appleton.....	4	Faribault, Shattuck.....	12
Wadena.....	4	Northfield.....	2

Brown's Valley.....	7	Pine Island.....	10
Graceville.....	8	St. Paul, St. John Evangelist.....	18
Worthington.....	9	Wabasha.....	4
St. James.....	6	Dakota.....	5
Wilder (2 visitations).....	14	Red Wing.....	32
St. Paul, Good Shepherd.....	5	Winona.....	6
St. Paul, Messiah (2 vis.).....	13	Wells.....	13
Madison Lake.....	4	Minneapolis, St. Paul's (2 vis.)..	24
Moorhead.....	17	Minneapolis, Grace.....	10
Farmington.....	7	Shakopee.....	3
Minneapolis, St. Mark's (2 vis.)..	10	White Bear.....	2
Olivia.....	9	St. Paul, St. Peter's.....	5
Sauk Rapids.....	2	Le Sueur.....	1
Austin.....	21	Mankato.....	19
Kasson.....	6	Belle Plaine.....	1
Mantorville.....	7	Henderson.....	8
Skyberg.....	2	Alexandria.....	3
Kenyon.....	3	Reno.....	5
Minneapolis, Holy Trinity (2 vis)	24	Sauk Centre.....	6
Minneapolis, St. John's.....	2	Belle Creek.....	9
Minneapolis, St. Matthew's.....	10	Rochester.....	36
Goose Creek.....	13	Chatfield.....	2
Rush City.....	4	Hassan.....	1
Basswood Grove.....	1	Delano.....	3
Point Douglas.....	10	Cordova.....	2
Hastings.....	11	Waterville.....	4
St. Paul, Ascension.....	11		
Total.....			853
Confirmed by Bishop Whipple.....			13
Confirmed by Bishop Graves.....			24
Confirmed by Bishop Walker.....			11
Total Confirmed in the Diocese.....			901

I have granted licenses to the following gentlemen to become Lay Readers in the Diocese:

F. W. Sturtevant, J. M. Severance, Montevideo; W. H. Hance, Oswald Metcalfe, Luke Wilson, Geo. L. Keefer, St. Paul; N. F. Brand, Faribault; Wm. M. Atkinson, Minneapolis; Ernest Dray, Faribault; Geo. A. I. Henry, Minneapolis; J. M. Nye, Wells; J. H. Griffith, Anthon T. Gesner, Faribault; Edgar Cowper, Geneva, N. Y.; Wm. H. Dewart, C. H. Remington, Cambridge, Mass.; Herbert Ten Broeck, LaCrosse, Wis.; Geo. Bell, Chas. H. Evans, St. Paul; A. E. Fillmore, Faribault; W. H. Eckley, C. A. Everett, J. Allyn Scott, J. A. Bromly, West Duluth; John Johnson, H. F. Parshall, Frank Hamilton, Harry Steele, Frank Durant, G. F. G. Hoyt, Wm. A. Rimer, Arthur Chard, Faribault; Emery E. Lofstrom, Litchfield; George N. Deyo, Irving E. Baxter, Wm. C. Haire, Faribault; Frank H. Barton, St. Paul; R. R. McVettie, Austin; John Caldwell, Rush City; Harry E. Robbins, John A. Williams, Chas. F. Kite, Faribault; John C. Reno, Minneapolis; George Robinson, Geneva, N. Y.; Jared W. Daniels, M. D., St. Peter; Hector Baxter, Minneapolis; Wm. Montague Farrar, St. Paul; John Soper, Geo. A. Coda, Geo. S. Grimes, Fred Farrington, John Turton, R. S. Sanford, Minneapolis; C. H. Strobeck, Litchfield; F. M. Bacon, Faribault; Harry Franklin, St. Paul; Dr. A. F. Kilbourne, Rochester. —56.

I have admitted as Postulants:

John H. Griffith, N. F. Brand, Adelbert McGinness, W. Edgar Cowper
R. R. McVettie, George N. Deyo, Harry Steele, Emery E. Lofstrom, Wm. C.
Haire, H. Ray Coleman, Wm. A. Rimer, Chas. H. Young. —12.

I have admitted as candidates for Holy Orders:

John Caldwell, N. F. Brand, Wm. C. Haire, Harry Ray Coleman, An-
thon Temple Gesner, and have received George H. Ten Broeck from the
Diocese of Milwaukee.

The full list of Postulants and Candidates of the Diocese is as follows:

Postulants: Thomas Payne Thurston, Charles F. Kite, George Robin-
son, Ernest Dray, Eugene Rucker, Adelbert McGinniss, W. Edgar Cowper,
R. R. McVettie, George N. Deyo, Harry Steele, Emery E. Lofstrom, Wm. A.
Rimer, Charles H. Young, Wm. H. Eckley.

Candidates for Holy Orders:

Wm. H. Dewart.....	Admitted Jan. 21, 1889.
R. M. Baker.....	" May 6, 1889.
George M. Marshall.....	" June 7, 1889.
Frank H. Barton.....	" Sept. 10, 1889.
Laurence C. Miller.....	" Dec. 2, 1889.
Albert E. Fillmore.....	" Dec. 2, 1889.
J. M. Frost.....	" Dec. 16, 1889.
Charles H. Remington.....	" Dec. 16, 1889.
G. F. G. Hoyt.....	" Feb. 3, 1890.
Arthur Chard.....	" Feb. 3, 1890.
H. F. Parshall.....	" May 5, 1890.
Jno. H. Griffith.....	" June 20, 1890.
Anthon T. Gesner.....	" Sept. 2, 1890.
John Johnson.....	" Dec. 1, 1890.
John Caldwell.....	" Feb. 4, 1891.
H. Ray Coleman.....	" May 7, 1891.
George H. Ten Broeck.....	By transfer.

—17.

Wm. C. Haire has been dropped from the list of candidates at his own
request. I have transferred Newton F. Brand, candidate, to the Missionary
Jurisdiction of Montana.

I have ordained Johannes Salinger, formerly Lutheran minister, to the
Diaconate, in the church of the Good Shepherd, St. Paul, September 14th,
1890. Bishop Whipple, in the Cathedral, June 8th, 1890, ordained to the
Diaconate Albert Mayall Hilliker, and to the Priesthood at the same time,
Rev. Charles Edgar Haupt, Rev. Charles Azel Sherman, Rev. Francis Willis,
Jr., Rev. James Biddle Halsey, and Rev. Arthur R. Taylor. On June 5th,
1890, in Holy Trinity church, Minneapolis, I advanced to the Priesthood
Rev. Charles Carter Rollit.

I have granted letters dimissory as follows: Rev. Chas. A. Cummings to
the Diocese of Milwaukee; Rev. H. L. Cawthorne to the Diocese of Mil-
waukee; Rev. Wm. S. Sayres to the Missionary Jurisdiction of the Platte;
Rev. J. Wynne Jones to the Diocese of Chicago; Rev. Hubert M. Johnson,
Rev. J. A. Antrim and Rev. H. B. Collier to the Diocese of Indiana; Rev. R.
H. Gesner to the Diocese of Albany. 8.

I have received Rev. R. H. Gesner from the Diocese of New York; Rev.
Francis M. Weddell from the Missionary Jurisdiction of South Dakota;
Rev. George A. Harvey from the Diocese of Rupert's Land; Rev. A. N. Hen-
shaw from the Diocese of Nebraska; Rev. Horatio Gates from the Diocese

of Colorado; Rev. H. B. Collier from the Diocese of Fond du Lac; Rev. George N. Higginson from the Diocese of Ontario; Rev. Abijah Alexander from the Missionary Jurisdiction of North Dakota; Rev. Bent F. Miller from the Diocese of Indiana. 9.

I have given license to officiate in the Diocese to Rev. R. C. E. Lockhart of the Diocese of Montreal. The number of Clergy canonically connected with the Diocese is 97.

I have consecrated three Churches, viz., Christ Church, Tower, St. John's Church, Ashley, and St. Paul's, Lexington Township, Le Sueur Co., and have laid the corner stone of All Souls' Church, Sleepy Eye. Archdeacon Appleby laid the corner stones of the churches in Marshall and Beaver Falls.

I have given canonical consent to the consecration of Rev. E. R. Atwill, D. D., as Bishop of West Missouri; of Rev. H. Melville Jackson, D. D., as Assistant Bishop of Alabama; and Rev. David Sessums as Assistant Bishop of Louisiana.

I have received notice of the deposition of the following Clergy: Hubert E. Jephson, D. B. Drysdale, Jno. B. Garland, E. S. Middleton, Jas. H. Gray, Henry K. Boyer, Wm. L. Woodruff, J. H. Reedy, George H. Rice; and I have deposed from the sacred ministry, Rev. Jno. Coleman, Deacon.

I have given consent to the organization of All Souls' Parish, Sleepy Eye, St. Andrew's, Waterville, Holy Cross, Dundas, Holy Apostles, West Duluth, Messiah, St. Paul.

I have organized Missions as follows: St. James, Goose Creek, Beaver Falls, Olivia, St. John's and St. Matthew's, Minneapolis, St. John's Ashley, Holy Trinity, Oak Valley, St. Paul's, Le Sueur Center.

The following Churches have been completed during the year: All Souls', Sleepy Eye, St. Cornelia, Good Thunder's Village, St. John's, Ashley, Good Shepherd, Madison Lake, St. Paul's, Le Sueur Center.

Improvements have been made in the Church edifices of Ascension, Messiah, St. James' and St. John's, St. Paul; Holy Trinity, Minneapolis; St. John's, Hassan; St. Peter's, Shakopee; St. Jude's, Henderson; Calvary, St. James; St. Paul's, Winona.

Churches are in process of construction in Marshall, Elk River, Dresbach, Island Lake and White Earth. Rectories have been built in St. Andrew's Parish, Waterville, and in St. Mary's Parish, Merriam Park. Lots have been donated to the Church in Marshall, Sleepy Eye, Beaver Falls, Delano and Ashley.

The Offerings for my Special Needs Fund from the Diocese amount to \$1,073.02. I have married six couples, baptized five adults and seventeen children, and buried four persons, the record of which acts are to be found in Parish Registers.

I have made 162 visitations in 135 Parishes and Mission. I have delivered 363 sermons and addresses, and celebrated the Holy Communion 57 times.

A small number of Missions where there were no official duties to be performed, have not been visited during the year, and the pressure of duties has forced me to postpone certain other visitations until after the Council.

Without the Diocese I have preached and made addresses in Pittsburgh, Warren, Pa., New York City, Providence, New Milford, New London and Winsted, Connecticut, Boston, Cambridge, Providence, Philadelphia, Wilmington, Delaware, Newark, Brooklyn, Sherburne and New Berlin in Central New York, Geneva, Peoria, La Crosse, Sioux Falls and Pembina.

And now, dear brethren beloved, let us turn our eyes from the past, and fasten them upon the present with its needs, the future with its cares and responsibilities.

The past years have witnessed the founding and upbuilding of a large and gratifying work, in a Diocese of immense geographical extent. Into those years are interwoven the prayers and tears, the joys and troubles, the anxieties and the energies of many, who, having finished their course in faith, do now rest from their labors. Let us be mindful of all they have done for us, and prove by our own faith, devotion and courage that we will not abate one jot or one tittle from the standard set before us. The Church in Minnesota holds a commanding place in the religious life of the State. The trend is toward her. Her growth during the decade just closed has been fully forty per cent. greater than the growth in population. Short-sighted indeed, shall we be, if we do not take advantage of our opportunities by larger plans and loftier endeavors.

The demand upon us is for no narrowing or limiting of our generosity, for no shrinking from the burdens financial which the requirements of the hour lay upon us. Let ours, brethren of the Council, be the solution of the problem of how we can best increase our gifts to the Master's cause, and not how diminish them. Let us resolve, in the name of God, to do as much as we can for Him who has done so much for us.

Entering upon the work before us in this spirit, we shall find the difficulties lessened, the way for larger endeavors made plain. Faith scales all heights and pierces all perplexing mists. Have faith then in God. If we do our duty, God will care for the rest. Bethis then your hope and inspiration, and may the Holy Spirit of God, who is enthroned in the Church's great Head, be with us in our labors for the upbuilding of the Kingdom.

The offering taken was for Diocesan Missions.

The Assistant Bishop here received a cable message from Bishop Whipple, which he read as follows :

LIVERPOOL, June 3, 1891.

BISHOP GILBERT, *Faribault, Minn.*

Ephesians, sixth chapter, 23 and 24 verses. Just sailing, quite restored.

BISHOP WHIPPLE.

The verses are as follows :

"Peace be to the brethren, and love with faith, from God, the Father, and the Lord Jesus Christ."

"Grace be with all them that love our Lord Jesus Christ in sincerity. Amen."

Divine Service being ended, the Rt. Rev. The Assistant Bishop of the Diocese took the chair and called the Council to order, under whose direction the Secretary of the Diocese called the roll of the Clergy, provided by the Assistant Bishop, when fifty Priests and six Deacons, fifty-six in all, answered to their names, took seats, and a quorum of Clergy found present.

The list of Parishes entitled to representation was then called, and the credentials of Lay Delegates placed in the hands of the Secretary.

The Rt. Rev. the President appointed the Rev. A. G. Pinkham and Mr. Geo. S. Grimes to act with the Secretary as a Committee on Lay Credentials.

On motion the Council adjourned until 2:30 p. m.

CATHEDRAL OF OUR MERCIFUL SAVIOUR, }
 FARIBAULT, Wednesday, June 3d, 1891. }
 2:30 p. m. }

Council re-assembled and called to order by the Rt. Rev. The Assistant Bishop. The Committee on Lay Credentials reported to the Council as follows :

REPORT.

Your committee, to whom was referred the Credentials of Lay Delegates, beg to report that they find the persons named in the list herewith, and read by the Secretary, entitled to seats in this Council. (See list on page 21.)

REV. A. G. PINKHAM, }
 GEO. S. GRIMES, } Committee.
 ANDREW D. STOWE, }

The report being accepted, the roll was called of Lay Delegates, and a quorum found present, whereupon the Rt. Rev. the President declared the Council open for business.

On motion of the Rev. Frank R. Millspaugh, the Rev. Andrew D. Stowe was unanimously re-elected Secretary of the Diocese, who appointed the Rev. C. E. Haupt, of St. Paul, as Assistant Secretary.

On motion, Mr. E. H. Holbrook, Jr., was unanimously re-elected Treasurer of the Episcopate Fund.

On motion, Mr. H. P. Hoppin was unanimously re-elected Treasurer of the Diocese.

The Rt. Rev. the President announced the following *Standing Committees of the Council* :

ON INCORPORATION OF PARISHES—Rev. J. J. Faude, Hon. M. H. Sessions, Mr. W. H. Lightner.

ON FINANCE—Rev. Wm. M. Barker, Mr. Thos. Saegar, Mr. Percy Wollaston.

ON PRIVILEGE—Rev. Frank R. Millspaugh, Rev. W. W. Fowler, Dr. A. F. Kilbourne, Mr. S. D. Parsons.

ON LEGISLATION—Rev. J. S. Kedney, D. D., Rev. Geo. H. Davis, Judge E. T. Wilder, Judge I. Atwater.

ON STATE OF THE CHURCH—Rev. T. H. M. V. Appleby, Rev. C. D. Andrews, Rev. E. H. Clark, Mr. C. H. Strobeck, Mr. Hector Baxter, Mr. Lewis Stowe.

ON UNFINISHED BUSINESS—Rev. John Wright, Mr. A. H. Adams, Rev. Wm. C. Pope.

ON ASSESSMENTS—Rev. E. C. Bill, Rev. A. J. Graham, Rev. Geo. H. Davis, Mr. E. H. Holbrook, Jr., Mr. J. H. Ames, Mr. W. H. Lightner.

Mr. E. H. Holbrook, Jr., Treasurer of the Episcopate Fund, submitted his report, which was referred to the Finance committee. (See Appendix B.)

On motion of Mr. E. H. Holbrook, Jr., it was —

Resolved, That the balance of arrears of the Parish at Little Falls, \$14, be cancelled, and also the arrears of Appleton, \$4.00, and Rush City, \$3.00, both for 1888-89.

Mr. H. P. Hoppin, Treasurer of the Diocese, submitted his report, which was referred to the Finance committee. (See Appendix C.)

On motion of the Rev. Frank R. Millspaugh, of the committee on Privilege, it was —

Resolved, That in accordance with the standing rules of order, the Rev. W. P. Ten Broeck, of the Diocese of Milwaukee, the Rev. John Williams, of the Diocese of Nebraska, the Rev. Geo. Wallace, of the Diocese of South Dakota, the Rev. S. D. McConnell, D. D., of the Diocese of Pennsylvania, the Rev. W. J. Cordick, of the Diocese of Fond du Lac, the Rev. A. Harper, of the Diocese of Florida, the Rev. I. Houlgate, of Nebraska, the Rev. A. J. Wicks, of South Dakota, and the Seabury Divinity students, be invited to seats on the floor of this Council.

On motion of the Rev. A. J. Graham, it was —

Resolved, That the order of the day for this afternoon at four o'clock be the report of the Standing Committee, and the nomination and election of a Standing Committee.

The Rev. E. S. Wilson, D. D., submitted the following, which on motion was referred to the committee on Legislation —

REPORT.

The committee on the Fund for the Relief of Aged and Infirm Clergy has the honor to report:

During the year last past the funds of this benefaction have been increased by the liberal gift of Mr. John Wann, of one thousand dollars. The whole amount of the fund is now about \$2,800.

The committee issued a circular last December to all the Clergy and vacant Parishes, calling attention to the Assistant Bishop's recommendation that the offertory on Christmas Day be devoted to this object. Bishop Gilbert also issued a pastoral to the same effect. The offerings amounted to \$983.80.

The committee recommends that a corporation be created for the increase, care and administration of this fund, to be known as, "The Committee on the Fund for the Aged and Infirm Clergy, and for the Widows and Children of Deceased Clergymen."

The committee also recommends that the enabling act be so worded as to place this corporation forever under the joint control of the Church in the entire State of Minnesota.

The committee further recommends that the chairman and other members of this committee be chosen from among Churchmen resident in or near to the commercial center of the State.

The committee would also recommend to the Clergy, as affording additional aid and protection against the sorrows and the cares of declining age the "Clergymen's Retiring Fund Society," the cost of membership being but small, and the benefits substantial.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

E. S. WILSON, }
EDW. MOYSES, } Committee.
S. B. FOOT, }

On motion of the Rev. Wm. B. Hamilton, it was —

Resolved, That a committee be appointed to consider and report upon that portion of the Assistant Bishop's address which refers to the Clergymen's Retiring Fund.

The Rt. Rev. the President appointed as such committee, the Rev. Wm. B. Hamilton, the Rev. Wm. Gardam and Mr. S. B. Foot.

The Rev. E. H. Clark, chairman of the committee appointed at the last Council "to consider the Church's

relation to the Scandinavian race," submitted the following, which was referred to the committee on the State of the Church —

REPORT.

The committee appointed to consider the relations of the Church to the Scandinavian Lutherans would respectfully recommend that in view of the work being done among the Scandinavian population by their national Churches, it is inexpedient to take any official action with reference to the Church's work among them; but would further recommend that in localities where the Rector may deem it advantageous, the Bishop should authorize the use of the Swedish Liturgy or such portions thereof as he may think proper.

Meeting held in St. Paul, Oct. 21st, 1890.

EDWARD H. CLARK, Chairman.

The Rev. E. C. Bill, D. D., of the committee on Assessments and Apportionments, submitted the following, which was referred to the committee on the State of the Church —

REPORT.

Your committee respectfully report that they have given the whole matter of assessments upon the Parishes and Missions of the Diocese careful and serious attention.

They have endeavored to seek out and suggest to the Council some basis of assessment which would be just and equal to all parties, and yet would yield sufficient income for the proper maintenance of all our Diocesan activities.

While your committee think that the amount reported to Council for Parochial expenses proper is the most just and equal base for the levying of Diocesan assessments, they have not, for certain practical reasons, felt themselves justified in recommending its adoption at the present time. They have therefore revised the last scheme of assessments, and suggest the same to the Council for adoption.

It will be observed that an increase of about \$300 has been made in the total of assessments for the Bishop's salary. In making this addition, your committee have been moved by the following weighty consideration. At the close of the fiscal year, June 1st, 1889, the Treasurer of the Episcopate Fund held a cash balance of \$1,646.51, and available assets to the amount of \$110, making a total reserve fund of \$1,756.51. One year ago the Treasurer's balance in cash and assessments subsequently collected amounted to but \$914.11. At the present time the reserve has faded entirely away, and the treasury of our Episcopate Fund is practically empty. The causes of this shrinkage are not far to seek, but this committee do not deem it within their province to discuss them.

In the opinion of our committee it appears absolutely necessary that the amount contributed by the Parishes and Missions of the Diocese should be increased \$700, at the very least.

Therefore, as stated above, the sum of \$300 has been distributed in small sums among the Parishes and Missions, but the committee have received so many admonitions against the raising of assessments, that they felt that the limit had been reached. That the remaining \$400 may

be raised, and all chance of a deficit in the Episcopate Fund during the coming year be averted, your committee suggest as earnestly as they can the voluntary assuming by each of the Parishes represented in this Council a portion of the remaining \$400, and its addition to the amount already assessed upon that Parish.

In conclusion, your committee would urge upon the Council the necessity of making provision for the adoption in the near future of a definite basis upon which all apportionments for the general work of the Diocese shall be levied. An objectionless basis would be impossible. That for which the most can be said and against which the least urged, would appear, in the opinion of your committee, to be a certain per cent. upon the amount reported by each Parish for all current expenses.

Your committee have assessed upon the Parishes and Missions the sum of \$7,587. 55 per cent. of this is to the account of Diocesan Missions, \$4,164; 36 per cent. goes to the account of the Episcopate Fund, \$2,723; 9 per cent. to the account of Council Fund, \$700.

All of which is respectfully submitted to the thoughtful consideration of the Council.

EDWARD C. BILL, Chairman.

The Rev. Frank R. Millspaugh, secretary of the Diocesan Board of Missions, read the following, which was referred to the committee on the State of the Church —

REPORT.

The Board of Missions of the Diocese has held four regular meetings in August, November, February and May.

Thirty-six Missionaries have received appropriations for seventy-eight Parishes and Missions.

For this work, from all the Parishes and Missions had been received up to the last meeting ninety per cent. of the \$4,137 apportioned by the committee and \$3,000 from the General Board of Missions.

The Board has also received the payments on the voluntary pledges towards the salary of \$1,800 for the General Missionary, and paid the same.

The apportionments for the ensuing year were made at the May meeting, trusting to the deep interest of the Council.

One Missionary has withdrawn from the field, one transferred to another field, and one is absent from his work indefinitely on account of sickness, indicating an almost unprecedented stability.

Three Missionary centers, represented by Glencoe, Owatonna and Albert Lea, are now being supplied with resident Clergymen; then all the Parishes and Missions helped by the Board the past year will be filled.

A work among the Germans of St. Paul, under a German Presbyter, has been inaugurated. He is quite sanguine as to a growing interest.

It was the feeling at the last meeting of the Board that the arbitrary method of apportionment for Missions and assessment for Bishop's Salary and Council Fund might be improved upon, and also that an annual voluntary subscription was too uncertain for so valuable an adjunct as a General Missionary. It was therefore by the Board —

Resolved, that the amount of \$4,300 needed for Diocesan Missions, including the additional amount of \$2,000 for the General Missionary, the

Bishop's Salary of \$3,000, and the Council Fund of \$700, be raised by an apportionment on the necessary expenses of each Parish and Mission.

Carried.

The quarterly reports, which are expected from the Missionaries by a resolution of the Board, indicate that no Diocese in the Church can boast of a greater proportion of earnest and hard working men.

The Board is now distributing the one hundred and fortieth thousand of the little Missionary agent, "The Church and Her Ways." 10,000 copies have been sent to Pott & Co., and the secretary is mailing the last of the second 10,000 in his hands on orders of from five to five hundred. There is now no tract printed which seems so universally to commend itself to the Clergy of the Church in the United States and Canada.

Respectfully submitted.

FRANK R. MILLSPAUGH, Secretary.

The Rev. S. B. Purves submitted the papers and made application for the admission of "All Souls' Church" Parish, Sleepy Eye, Redwood County, into union with the Council, which were, on motion, referred to the committee on Incorporation of Parishes.

Mr. Hector Baxter offered an amendment to Canon VI., Section 1, which, on motion, was referred to the committee on Legislation, as follows:

Moved by Hector Baxter, seconded by John C. Reno, that the following amendment to Section number one (1) of Canon number six (6) of the Canons of this Diocese be adopted —

That the word "eight" in the sixth line of said Section be changed to the word "nine"; and that the following Section, to be numbered five (5), be added to Canon VI.:

"That the number of vestrymen in each Parish shall be either three (3), six (6) or nine (9); and that one-third of the number constituting the vestry of such Parish shall, in the order of priority of election, retire each year at the annual meeting of the Parish; and their successors shall be elected at said annual meeting."

Hon. Isaac Atwater submitted a proposed canon "On the Organization of Missions," to be known as Canon XVIII., which was, on motion, referred to the committee on Legislation, as follows —

CANON XVIII.

ON ORGANIZATION OF MISSIONS.

SEC. 1. Any number of persons, male or female, in any town or city in the Diocese of Minnesota, who may desire the services of the Church, may

address a letter to the Bishop stating such desire, asking for the establishment of a Mission, placing themselves under his pastoral care and subjecting themselves to his authority, and pledging themselves to contribute to the support of such clergyman as the Bishop may appoint for them.

SEC. 2. The Bishop, if he approves of the application, shall authorize the establishment of such Mission and give his written consent thereto.

SEC. 3. The Bishop shall organize a Mission by giving it a name and by appointing a committee of not less than three (3) or more than seven (7) members, who shall make all necessary arrangements for the holding of Divine services, shall collect the pledges, and shall do and perform such other things as the Bishop shall ask of them, or, in the exercise of his ecclesiastical authority, direct. Such committee shall continue during the pleasure of the Bishop, be subject to his supervision, and shall be called the Bishop's Committee. The chairman of the committee shall be known as the warden of the Mission. The Bishop shall have full power and authority to change or discharge any such committee, heretofore or hereafter appointed, and, unless another committee shall be at once named, the discharge of any Bishop's Committee shall work a dissolution of the Mission for which it acted.

SEC. 4. Whenever any vacancy in a Bishop's Committee has occurred or shall occur, through any cause, the Bishop shall have power to fill the same, and shall do so at the earliest practicable time.

SEC. 5. Missions in towns or cities embracing any organized Parish or Parishes shall only be established with the consent of the Rector or Rectors of such Parish or Parishes, or a majority of said Parish.

SEC. 6. All property given or required for the use of the Church in any Mission shall be conveyed to, and held by, trustees approved by the Bishop, until such time as such Mission shall be organized and incorporated as a Parish, or until the said property is conveyed to the Diocese of Minnesota, in accordance with the Constitution and Canons of the Diocese.

SEC. 7. A certified copy of all certificates of consent to the establishment of a Mission as herein provided for, and all appointments of original committees, and to fill vacancies, shall be filed by the Bishop with the Secretary of the Board of Missions, and shall be by him entered upon the records of the Board.

SEC. 8. All Missions heretofore actually or nominally organized, and acting as such in this Diocese are hereby declared Canonical Missions and shall be subject to the provisions of this Canon so far as the same are applicable.

The Rev. E. H. Clark submitted a proposed canon, which was, on motion, referred to the committee on Legislation, as follows —

CANON.

For the more effectual supervision of the general Mission work within the Diocese of Minnesota, be it enacted that there be two Archdeacons appointed by the Bishop: one for white work, to be known as the Archdeacon of Minnesota; and the other for Indian work, to be known as the Archdeacon of White Earth Reservation.

The duties of these officials of the Diocese shall consist principally in the general superintendency, under the Bishops, of the Mission work within their several Archdeaconries, together with the spiritual oversight of vacant Parishes and Missions.

The Rev. C. E. Haupt offered an amendment to Canon VI., section 3, which, on motion, was referred to the committee on Legislation, as follows —

Resolved, That section 3 of Canon VI. be and the same is hereby amended so as to read: "The wardens and vestrymen must be communicants of the Church and qualified electors of the Parish.

The Rev. Andrew J. Graham offered an amendment to the Constitution, which, on motion, was referred to the committee on Legislation, as follows —

Resolved, That Article VII. of the Constitution be amended so as to read as follows:

ARTICLE VII.

At each Annual Council a Secretary shall be elected, who shall be Secretary of the Diocese, and hold his office until a successor be appointed. It shall be his duty to record the proceedings of the Council, to attest its public acts, to issue such notices to the Diocese as the Bishop from time to time may require; to preserve the Journals, Books, Papers and Documents, of a public nature, entrusted to him, and faithfully deliver the same into the hands of his successor; and for such services rendered to the Diocese the Secretary shall receive the sum of two hundred dollars (\$200) per year.

The Rev. S. B. Purves offered an amendment to Canon VII., section 1, which, on motion, was referred to the committee on Legislation, as follows —

Resolved, That section 1 of Canon VII. of the Constitution and Canons of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the Diocese of Minnesota be amended to read as follows:

CANON VII.

OF THE QUALIFICATIONS OF VOTERS.

SEC. 1. All adults, members of the Church by baptism or confirmation, and connected with the Parish for at least three months before any Parish meeting (and all adults who have for at least six months prior to any Parish meeting rented pews in the Church or contributed to the expenses of the Parish in the manner adopted and practiced by such Parish) shall be electors at such Parish meeting.

The hour of 4 o'clock p. m. having arrived, which had been made the special order for the report of the Standing Committee of the Diocese and the election of the Standing Committee, Capt. J. C. Reno, secretary, read the following —

REPORT.

The Standing Committee organized Monday, September 1st, 1890, at 3 o'clock p. m. Rev. T. B. Wells, D. D., was elected President, and John C. Reno, Secretary.

The following persons were recommended as candidates for "preparation for the Holy Ministry," namely:

Antho Temple Gesner, Norton F. Brand, Wm. C. Haire, John Caldwell, Harvey Ray Coleman.

Recommended for Deacon's Orders:

Johannes Salinger, Albert Ernest Fillmore, Wm. Herbert Dewart, George Frederick Gladding Hoyt, George Herbert Ten Broeck.

Recommended for Priest's Orders:

Rev. William Tuson, Rev. Albert Maxwell Hilliker, Rev. Martin Nicolas Ray.

The Committee have given consent to the consecration of the following Bishops:

Sept. 1, 1890, Rev. Edward R. Atwill, D. D., of the Diocese of Ohio, as Bishop of the Diocese of West Missouri.

Dec. 1, 1890, Rev. Henry Melville Jackson, of the Diocese of Georgia, as Assistant Bishop of the Diocese of Alabama.

May 7, 1891, Rev. David Sessums, of the Diocese of Louisiana, as Assistant Bishop of the Diocese of Louisiana.

May 25, 1891, Rev. Phillips Brooks, of the Diocese of Massachusetts, as Bishop of the Diocese of Massachusetts.

The following appropriations were made from the fund for "Aged and Infirm Clergymen."

June 5, 1890, Rev. T. C. Hudson, (Special Donation).....	\$ 50.00
Sept. 1, 1890, Rev. I. J. Townsend, for the quarter ending September 30, 1890.....	125.00
Sept. 1, 1890, Rev. Chas. Woodward, for the quarter ending September 30, 1890.....	25.00
Sept. 1, 1890, Rev. F. B. Nash, for the quarter ending September 30, 1890.....	25.00
Sept. 1, 1890, Rev. J. G. St. Lawrence, for the quarter ending September 30, 1890.....	25.00
Sept. 1, 1890, Rev. I. J. Townsend, (Special Donation).....	50.00
Jan. 1, 1891, Rev. T. C. Hudson, (Special).....	23.08
For the Quarter ending December 31, 1890.	
Dec. 1, 1890, Rev. I. J. Townsend,.....	\$125.00
Dec. 1, 1890, Rev. Chas. Woodward,.....	25.00
Dec. 1, 1890, Rev. F. B. Nash, Special.....	25.00
Dec. 1, 1890, Rev. J. G. St. Lawrence,.....	25.00
	<u>\$200.00</u>
For the Quarter ending March 31, 1891.	
March 7, 1891, Rev. I. J. Townsend,.....	\$125.00
March 7, 1891, Rev. Chas. Woodward,.....	25.00
March 7, 1891, Rev. J. G. St. Lawrence,.....	25.00
March 7, 1891, Rev. Theodore Hudson, (Special Donation).....	100.00
	<u>\$275.00</u>
For the Quarter ending June 30, 1891.	
May 25, 1891, Rev. I. J. Townsend,.....	\$125.00
May 25, 1891, Rev. Chas. Woodward,.....	25.00
May 25, 1891, Rev. J. G. St. Lawrence,.....	25.00
	<u>\$175.00</u>
Total Appropriations, ending June 30th, 1891.....	\$973.08

Consent was given the Mission of the Messiah, to organize as the Parish of the Messiah, St. Paul, Minn.

Sept. 1, 1890, Resolution offered by Rev. W. C. Pope, defining the boundaries of the Parish of the Ascension, St. Paul, and the Parish of the Good Shepherd, St. Paul.

Resolved, by the Standing Committee that the metes and bounds of the Parish of the Ascension, St. Paul, as agreed upon by the said Parish and the Parish of the Good Shepherd, of which it formerly formed a part, be and are hereby to wit: the Mississippi River to the city boundaries; and that the Parish of the Ascension shall consist of the sixth ward of the city of St. Paul, and the cities of South St. Paul and West St. Paul, Minnesota.

The Standing Committee held five (5) meetings during the year, for the transaction of business.

Respectfully Submitted,

Faribault, June 3, 1891.

JOHN C. RENO, Secretary.

At the conclusion of the above report nominations were made. The Rt. Rev. the President appointed as tellers, the Rev. A. G. Pinkham to receive the lay vote, and Mr. C. H. Evans to receive the Clerical vote, and a vote by ballot was taken.

Pending the count of the ballot and the report of the tellers, the following business was transacted:

On motion of the Rev. Geo. C. Tanner, it was —

Resolved, That the following list of Missions and Parishes be stricken from the Journal list, as services are no more held, the towns and places being abandoned entirely, viz.:

Aitkin, Bellwood, Glyndon, Heron Lake, New Hartford, New London, New York Mills, Ortonville, Preston, Red Lake Falls, South Kenyon, Nativity (St. Paul), Wells (Rice Co.), Wilton, and Eden Prairie.

The Rev. Wm. M. Barker extended an invitation to the Council to hold its next annual meeting in S. Paul's Church, Duluth. The Rev. J. J. Faude extended a like invitation to meet in Gethsemane Church, Minneapolis. The Rev. John Wright, D. D., extended a like invitation to meet in S. Paul's Church, St. Paul. Upon a vote being taken, the Rev. Mr. Barker's invitation to meet in S. Paul's, Duluth, was accepted.

On motion of Hon. E. T. Wilder, it was —

Resolved, That immediately after the report of the tellers upon the ballot for a Standing Committee, the Council adjourn until 9 o'clock tomorrow morning.



On motion of the Rev. John Wright, D. D., it was —

Resolved, That the special order for to-morrow at 10:30 a. m., be the reading of the Archdeacon's report, and the consideration thereof.

The Rev. Frank R. Millspaugh read the following, the Registrar's —

REPORT.

To the Rt. Rev. M. N. Gilbert, D. D., and to the Council:

The Registrar begs leave to report that during the past year he has continued his labors as historian of the Diocese. A small part of his work has appeared in the Minnesota Missionary in the sketches of the life and labors of the Rev. E. G. Gear, D. D., the Rev. Timothy Wilcoxson and the Rev. Solon W. Manney, D. D. He has also written out the history of our Church work in the Minnesota Valley from Shakopee to St. Peter, and thence west on the line of the Winona and St. Peter R. R., including the Missionary work of the Rev. Edward Livermore for nearly a quarter of a century, also along the line of the Omaha R. R., beyond Mankato, including the history of the Breck Farm School at Wilder; up the Blue Earth Valley and along the Southern Minnesota R. R., including Fairmont, Blue Earth City, Wells, Albert Lea, Austin, Rushford and other stations adjacent; Winona, with the early labors of the Rev. Benjamin Evans at Stockton and vicinity; Chatfield, St. Charles, Rochester with the Missions contiguous, including the abundant labors of the Rev. Charles Woodward; Kasson, Mantorville, Pine Island and Zumbrota; Northfield and Dundas; Wabasha and Lake City, with adjacent stations on the Mississippi. To these should be added the early labors of the Rev. J. S. Chamberlaine from the Fall of 1852 in the district of country known as the St. Anthony Falls Mission, including the region extending from St. Anthony to Sauk Rapids. He has collected a considerable amount of interesting and valuable material relating to the early labors of the clergy in the northern part of the Diocese from Duluth to Moorhead, of the Rev. Mr. Appleby in the extreme northern part of the Diocese. He has also original manuscripts of the work among the Chippewas. He hopes during the coming year to prepare a full account of the work of the Rev. J. Lloyd Breck, D. D., in Minnesota, to arrange the material collected, and to write out the history of the Church in St. Paul, Minneapolis, Red Wing, Stillwater, and of the parishes and missions north and west of Minneapolis and St. Paul. The Registrar has had access to some valuable private diaries and files of local papers, in some instances making special journeys for this purpose, and he has gained much interesting information by an extensive correspondence.

He desires at this time to express his obligations to a large number of correspondents whose names cannot be mentioned here, and especially to the Rev. E. Steele Peake, for his assistance and information in this work.

GEO. C. TANNER,

Registrar of the Diocese.

On motion of the Rev. Frank R. Millspaugh, it was —

Resolved, That the Council hereby expresses its appreciation of the great work done for the Church in Minnesota, by the Registrar, the Rev. Geo. C. Tanner, A. M., B. D., and hereby extends to him a vote of thanks.

The Reverend Deans of the Diocese, Geo. H. Davis of the Northern, A. J. Graham of the Central, and Dr. E. C. Bill of the Southern Convocations, submitted their Reports, which see in Appendix F.

The Rt. Rev. the President appointed the District Presbyters as follows : (see pages 14-15.)

The tellers returned and read their report of the ballot taken for a Standing Committee, when it was found that the Rev. W. C. Pope, the Rev. E. C. Bill, D. D., the Rev. John Wright, D. D., Hon. I. Atwater, and Hon. Jas. Gilfillan had received a majority of the votes cast, and were declared, by the Rt. Rev. the President, elected as members of the Standing Committee for the ensuing year, and one layman yet to be elected.

As per resolution previously adopted, the Council adjourned until 9 a. m. to-morrow.

SECOND DAY.

CATHEDRAL OF OUR MERCIFUL SAVIOUR,)
 FARIBAULT, Thursday, June 4th, 1891.)
 9:00 a. m.)

Morning Prayer having been read by the Rev. S. B. Purves and the Rev. M. N. Ray, the Rt. Rev. the Assistant Bishop took the chair and called the Council to order. The roll of Clergy and lay delegates was called, the minutes of the previous session read, corrected, approved, and the Council declared open for business.

On motion of the Rev. J. J. Faude, the following was adopted —

REPORT.

The committee on the Organization and Incorporation of Parishes and their admission into union with the Council, beg leave to report that, having examined the papers submitted to them in the case of All Souls' Parish, Sleepy Eye, they find that all the necessary steps have been taken by said Parish, that it is duly and legally organized, and therefore this committee recommends the following:

Resolved, That All Souls' Parish, Sleepy Eye, be and the same is hereby admitted into union with this Council.

J. J. FAUDE,
M. H. SESSIONS,
W. H. LIGHTNER, } Committee.

The Rev. J. Steinfort Kedney, D. D., of the committee on Legislation, submitted the following, which, on motion, was adopted, together with the proposed canon, to be known as Canon XVIII., "On the Organization of Missions" —

REPORT.

The committee on Legislation have examined the proposed canon on the organization of Missions, and report thereon as follows:

1. They are unable to find from an examination of the present canons that there is a canon now in force on that subject.

2. That for several important reasons, a canon on this subject is urgently needed.

3. That your committee recommend the passage of the proposed canon as amended by the committee and herewith submitted.

Respectfully submitted,

J. STEINFORT KEDNEY, Chairman.

See page 54 for Canon XVIII. as recommended and adopted.

The Rev. J. Steinfort Kedney, D. D., of the committee on Legislation, submitted the following, which, on motion, was adopted —

REPORT.

The committee on Legislation, to whom was referred a proposed amendment to Canon VI., section 1, of the canons of this Diocese, respectfully report: That the passage of such an amendment would be nugatory, for the reason that it would be found in conflict with the existing law of the Church, as contained in the act of the Legislature approved January 31st, 1877. And however desirable in itself the change may be, it is not, in the opinion of this committee, of sufficient importance to warrant the endeavor to obtain a new legislative enactment.

All which is respectfully submitted.

J. STEINFORT KEDNEY, Chairman.

June 4, 1891.

Hon. E. T. Wilder, of the committee on Legislation, submitted the following, which, on motion was adopted—

REPORT.

The committee on Legislation, to whom was referred the report of the special committee upon the Fund for the Relief of the Aged and Infirm Clergy, beg leave to report that they have given the same all the consideration

that time and the nature of other important matters committed to them, will permit; and, that while disposed to look favorably upon the proposed measure, they think there are phases of the question that demand further investigation, and as it is quite impossible during the sitting of the Council to draft articles of incorporation, your committee beg leave to suggest that the subject be re-committed to them with instructions to report formulated articles of incorporation to the next annual Council, should their final conclusions favor such action.

Your committee beg leave to suggest that their labors and the legislation of the Council will be greatly facilitated if gentlemen who propose legislative action of any sort, and who have, of course, devoted more or less thought to their several measures, will (as in some instances has been done) formulate, instead of simply suggest, their proposed legislation.

Your committee therefore offer the following resolution:

Resolved, That the report of the special committee upon the Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund be re-committed to the committee on Legislation, with instructions to draft and submit to the next annual Council articles of incorporation in the premises, should their conclusion upon full consideration favor that measure.

By order of the committee,

J. STEINFORT KEDNEY, Chairman.

The Rev. J. Steinfort Kedney, D. D., of the committee on Legislation, submitted the following, which, on motion, was adopted—

REPORT.

The committee on Legislation, to whom was referred the resolution to amend Article VII. of the Constitution, beg leave to report that they have given the same careful consideration and concur in the opinion that it is inexpedient to adopt the proposed amendment. They therefore ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

By order of the Committee.

J. STEINFORT KEDNEY, Chairman.

The Rev. J. Steinfort Kedney, D. D., of the committee on Legislation, submitted the following—

REPORT.

The committee on Legislation, to which was referred a proposed amendment to section 1 of Canon VII. of the Constitution and Canons of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the Diocese of Minnesota, respectfully report that in their opinion it is inexpedient at the present time to authorize such an amendment; and they beg to be discharged from further consideration of the matter.

J. STEINFORT KEDNEY, Chairman.

The Rev. J. J. Faude offered the following amendment to the proposed amendment referred to in the above report, which, on motion, with the above report and its proposed amendment, were re-committed to the committee on Legislation for further consideration—

Resolved, That Canon VI., section 3, be amended by inserting the word "male" before the word "communicant," and the word "male" before "electors."

Resolved, That Article IV., section 2, of the Constitution be amended by inserting the word "male" before the word "delegates" wherever it occurs.

The Rev. J. Steinfort Kedney, D. D., of the committee on Legislation, submitted the following report, which, together with the proposed amendment, on motion of the Rev. W. C. Pope, was referred to a committee of three, to be appointed by the Chair, to report at the next Annual Council—

REPORT.

The committee on Legislation, to which was referred the accompanying resolution to amend section 3 of Canon VII. so as to provide that all vestrymen shall be communicants, beg leave to report that in their judgment such change in the canon is inexpedient. They therefore ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

By order of the Committee.

J. STEINFORT KEDNEY, Chairman.

The Rt. Rev. the President appointed the following as such committee: Rev. C. E. Haupt, Rev. A. D. Stowe and Dr. A. F. Kilbourne.

The Rev. J. Steinfort Kedney, D. D., of the committee on Legislation, submitted the following, which, on motion, was adopted—

REPORT.

The committee on Legislation, to which was referred a proposed canon, directing the appointment of two Archdeacons within the Diocese of Minnesota, respectfully report that in their opinion, until the need of and the demand for such a canon is expressed by the Bishop or Assistant Bishop of the Diocese, it is not expedient for the Council at this time to pass such a canon.

All which is respectfully submitted.

J. STEINFORT KEDNEY, Chairman.

The Rev. Wm. M. Barker, chairman of the Finance committee, submitted the following reports, which were, on motion, adopted—

REPORT.

The committee on Finance have examined the accounts of E. H. Holbrook, Jr., Treasurer of the Episcopate Fund, and find them to be correct.

They have also examined the accounts of the Treasurer of the Episcopate Endowment Fund, and find them to be correct.

WILLIAM M. BARKER,
PERCY WOLLASTON,
THOS. SÆGER, } Committee.

REPORT.

The committee on Finance have examined the account of H. P. Hoppin, Diocesan Treasurer, including the Diocesan Missions Fund, the Council Fund, the Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund, the General Diocesan Missionary Subscription Account, the Receipts for Church Hospitals, and the Sunday School Lenten Offerings for the General Board of Missions, and find them to be correct.

WILLIAM M. BARKER,
PERCY WOLLASTON,
THOS. SAEGER, } Committee.

The Rev. Wm. M. Barker submitted the following, which, on motion, was adopted—

REPORT.

The committee on the Mission work of the Diocese, appointed at the last Annual Council (Journal of 1890, page 67), beg leave to report progress, and ask to be continued.

M. N. GILBERT, Chairman.

Resolved, That the committee on the Mission work of the Diocese be continued, to report at the next Annual Council.

The Rev. T. H. M. V. Appleby, of the committee on the state of the Church, submitted their report, which was received for discussion by sections, as follows:—

REPORT.

Section I.

Your committee would respectfully say that they have based their report from a careful review of the whole work throughout the Diocese.

1. That never in the history of our Diocese have there been so few vacancies.

2. The number of Confirmations is above the average, and especially large in the Country districts.

3. Your committee would earnestly recommend that the excellency of our several Schools, viz: Seabury Divinity School, Shattuck, S. Mary's and Breck Farm School at Wilder, be brought prominently by the different Rectors and Missionaries before their several congregations in the Diocese.

Section II. "On Minnesota Church Club," was approved as follows:—

Your committee recognize the great benefits which must certainly follow the Association of the laymen of this Diocese into a Church Club. The interest already taken in this Club is an evidence that the laymen of our Church are thoroughly in earnest in their efforts to advance the Church and her cause.

Section III. As follows, was approved—

The eleemosynary work of the Diocese has had a steadily increasing field of usefulness. Some large bequests have been made which will materially sustain the work in the future and place it upon sure foundations.

Your committee are impressed with the growing necessity to which the Bishop adverted in his Address, of some definite Spiritual work among the young people of our Parishes. We fully concur with him that the Church has a vast opportunity before her, through wise organization of her young people upon Churchly lines and fully realize that we must meet the demands of the hour.

Section IV. "On Assessments." On motion of the Rev. Frank R. Millspaugh, it was —

Resolved, That the part of the report of the committee on the state of the Church in regard to Assessments, be taken up for discussion at the time of, and together with, the report of the committee on Assessments.

Your committee have carefully considered the reports of the committee on Assessments, submitted by the Rev. Dr. Bill and the Secretary of the Board of Diocesan Missions, and fully recognize the great difficulty of formulating any plan which will be just and equitable and at the same time not prove seriously objectionable.

We have examined and considered various methods of assessments made upon the basis of the number of Communicants and the amounts raised by each Church during the year, and we find each of them objectionable and inexpedient.

We have therefore agreed, as a final conclusion, to recommend to this Council for its action the following plan:

That all assessments made for general Church purposes, to wit: Diocesan Missions, Bishop's salary, Council Fund and salary of the Archdeacon be based upon a percentage of the valuation of all Church property in the Diocese, as returned and reported to the present Council and that an assessment of $7\frac{1}{2}$ mills on the dollar be levied upon the valuation of each Church property, (which includes Churches, Parsonages and Schools) in the Diocese, which levy will raise the sum of a little more than ten thousand (\$10,000.) the amount required for the current year as per the reports of the committees aforesaid.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

Section V. "On Work among Scandinavians."

This section was submitted by Mr. C. H. Strobeck, of the committee, which, after much discussion, was, on motion, adopted, together with the Resolution—

Your committee have had under consideration the report of the special committee appointed to consider the Church's relation to the Scandinavian races, and do not coincide with such report, and cannot, therefore, recommend its adoption. In lieu thereof, this committee believe that the Church in this Diocese has work to do among "all sorts and conditions of men," natives and immigrants, black and white, bond and free, and that wherever and whenever the fields are already "ripe for the harvest," that the Church should take OFFICIAL action and send laborers into the work.

In a State so largely populated with Scandinavians as ours—a people whose religious training in their own country was so nearly identical with our own liturgy, it ought to be a living question in the Church of the ways and means of providing them with our service, which they, in so many instances, ardently desire.

Your committee have been informed that the Mission Service has already been translated into the Swedish language and printed in book form; and we earnestly recommend that in localities where the necessities of these people require it, that its use be authorized, and that they be provided with a service which they will quickly appreciate and learn to love.

Resolved, That, after being first duly approved by the Assistant Bishop, the Mission Service, which has been translated into the Swedish language and printed in book form, be recommended and its use authorized in this Diocese in localities where the necessities of the people require it, and that they be provided with a service which they quickly appreciate and learn to love.

The hour for the special order for the day, 10:30 a.m., having arrived, the Reverend Archdeacon of the Diocese read his Report, which was referred to the committee on the State of the Church, which committee made the following, which was adopted —

REPORT.

Your committee, to whom has been referred the Report of the Archdeacon, recommend the acceptance of said report and its adoption by the Council; and that the several recommendations therein contained be commended to the careful consideration of the members of this Council, and that said report be incorporated in the Journal of this Convention.

THE ARCHDEACON'S REPORT.

By the abundant blessing of God, I have been enabled to perform the following work during the past year throughout the Diocese:

After the last Annual Council I remained at home with my darling child, who entered into the rest of Paradise on the early morning of the 17th of June.

June 21st, visited in Two Harbors.

June 22d, held morning and evening services, with celebration, in Two Harbors.

June 23d, visited in Two Harbors, and tried to secure two lots there for church building.

June 24th, visited in Tower, met the candidates for confirmation there, also the Church committee.

June 28th, visited in Glencoe.

June 29th, held morning service in Christ church, Glencoe, with a celebration; drove over to Brownton for afternoon service and celebration there, and returned to Glencoe and held evening service.

June 30th, conferred with the members in regard to church work in Glencoe, and visited in the Parish.

July 1st, arranged with the church people in Brownton for an occasional service there.

July 5th, went to Crookston in regard to calling a Rector.

July 6th, assisted by Mr. Durant, held morning and evening services in Christ church, Crookston. I also celebrated the Holy Communion, and catechised and addressed the Sunday school.

July 7th, visited in Crookston; held a vestry meeting in the afternoon, and a meeting of the Ladies' Guild in the evening. \$600 was guaranteed towards the salary of a resident clergyman.

July 8th, visited in Fisher's Landing.

July 9th, found Church prospects in the town of Ada in a very depressed condition.

July 11th, met the confirmation class in Tower.

July 12th, visited in Tower and held confirmation class in the evening.

July 13th, took part in the consecration and other services in S. Mary's church, Tower, and presented the candidates for confirmation. Bishop Gilbert's sermon and address were listened to with rapt attention. The names of Mrs. Bacon and Mrs. Barrett will always be household words in this already strong Parish.

July 14th, canvassed on behalf of Rector's salary and secured \$1000.

July 15th, visited in West Duluth.

July 16th, visited in West End, Duluth.

July 20th, held morning and evening services in S. Luke's church, Detroit, and celebrated the Holy Communion.

July 21st, visited in Detroit and saw about raising a resident clergyman's salary.

July 22d, visited in Moorhead.

July 23d, found in Barnesville that most of the Church people had removed to other places.

July 27th, held Divine service in the Camp Memorial chapel in the morning and in the afternoon in Trinity church, Excelsior.

July 29th and 30th, looked after Church interests in West End and West Duluth.

In the month of August, in lieu of a vacation, took charge of Christ church, St. Paul.

Aug. 22d, held Divine service in Rush City and baptized one adult and two children.

Aug. 25th to 29th, went as far north as St. Vincent and arranged some important Church matters in regard to Moorhead, Crookston and St. Vincent.

Sept. 2d, 3d and 4th, by wish of Bishop Gilbert, canvassed in St. Paul and Minneapolis *in re* Breck Memorial Farm School, Wilder, without local encouragement.

Sept. 6th, visited in West End, Duluth.

Sept. 7th, held Divine service with celebration in the Mission of the Holy Spirit and in the evening went to West Duluth, but the key of the hall could not be found, consequently we were not able to hold the proposed service.

Sept. 8th to 12th inclusive, canvassed in West End and West Duluth with great success towards salary for a clergyman for this important Mission.

Sept. 9th, held Divine service in West Duluth with very good attendance.

Sept. 14th, assisted by Rev. M. N. Ray, held morning and evening services in Grace church, Montevideo, with a celebration of the Holy Communion.

Sept. 15th, visited several families in Montevideo with Mr. Ray, who is doing an excellent work.

Sept. 16th, held Divine service in Gethsemane church, Appleton, assisted by Rev. W. H. H. Ross.

Sept. 17th, arranged the salary for the Rev. W. H. H. Ross satisfactorily with the Ladies' Guild, Appleton.

Sept. 19th, by request of the Rev. J. B. Halsey, visited the Parish of Granite Falls,

Sept. 20th, visited in Marshall.

Sept. 21st, held morning and evening services in S. James' mission, Marshall, with the celebration of the Holy Communion.

Sept. 22d, visited in Marshall, and was much gratified by the hard and self-denying work of the Rev. J. B. Halsey here.

Sept. 24th and 25th, visited in Graceville, and met the Church committee in Ortonville.

Sept. 27th, visited in Island Lake and Coon Creek.

Sept. 28th, held Divine service in Island Lake, with celebration of the Holy Communion, and drove over to Lake Benton and held a hearty service there in the evening.

Sept. 29th, held Divine service, with celebration of the Holy Communion, on S. Michael and All Angels' Day, in S. John's chapel, Lake Benton, and visited in the afternoon.

Oct. 4th, accepted Rev. A. G. E. Jenner's final resignation, and took charge of the Missions of West End and West Duluth.

Oct. 5th, held Divine services, assisted by Rev. A. G. E. Jenner.

Oct. 7th, assisted by the Rev. J. B. Halsey and Rev. Stuart B. Purves, laid the corner stone of S. James' church, Marshall. There was a large and enthusiastic attendance.

Oct. 11th, conferred on Church work in Paynesville.

Oct. 12th, held Divine service in S. Stephen's church, Paynesville, with a celebration of the Holy Communion. Mr. Angus Haines, the lay reader in charge, read the lessons at both services.

Oct. 13th, visited in Paynesville.

Oct. 17th, went to Duluth to arrange for the coming of the Rev. Horatio Gates, preparatory to his taking charge of the Missions of West End and West Duluth.

Oct. 18th, visited several families in West End, Duluth.

Oct. 19th, held Divine services in West End and West Duluth, with celebrations.

Oct. 20th, arranged Church matters satisfactorily in the Mission of West Duluth.

Oct. 21st and 22d, visited in Tower, and arranged with the Rev. R. H. Gesner to remain in Tower, which he seemed most anxious to do till June, if Mrs. Gesner's health improved.

Oct. 24th, arranged for a service in Albert Lea, and went on to Fairmont.

Oct. 25th, visited in Fairmont.

Oct. 26th, held Divine services morning and evening in S. Martin's church, Fairmont, and celebrated the Holy Communion.

Oct. 27th, drove into the country, and visited and took pledges towards the salary in the morning, and visited and canvassed in Fairmont in the afternoon.

Oct. 28th, canvassed for salary of clergyman in town and country. My visit was most pleasant and successful here.

Oct. 29th, visited in Albert Lea, and held a most hearty service there.

Oct. 30th, held an early celebration in Christ church, Albert Lea, at which fifteen Communicants were present, and visited there in the afternoon.

Oct. 31st, visited in Waseca, and held Divine service there in the evening in Calvary church.

Nov. 2d, held Divine service, with celebration, in the Church of the Epiphany, Perham, in the morning, and in S. Luke's church, Detroit, in the evening.

Nov. 3d, held an early celebration in S. Luke's, visited in Detroit, and went on to Moorhead to visit Rev. G. A. Harvey.

Nov. 4th, visited my old Parish, and was the guest of my hard working successor.

Nov. 5th, visited in Pembina, and collected some arrears on subscription list.

Nov. 6th, visited and held Divine service in S. John's church, Hallock.

Nov. 7th, took pledges for Rev. H. Beer's salary in Hallock.

Nov. 9th, held Divine service in S. Mary's, Merriam Park, in the morning, and in S. Peter's in the evening.

Nov. 12th, 13th, 14th, canvassed without success, owing to local opposition, for the Breck Memorial School, Wilder.

Nov. 15th, on the train all night, going to North Branch, caused by a car going off the track.

Nov. 16th, held morning service, with celebrations, in S. Thomas' church, North Branch, and also in Grace church, Rush City, in the evening, assisted by Mr. Caldwell.

Nov. 17th, baptized several children in Rush City.

Nov. 18th, united in holy matrimony at the residence of the bride's parents, George R. Butler and Mary Alice Brown, both of Brownton.

Nov. 20th, did some Church work in Minneapolis, by wish of Bishop Gilbert.

Nov. 23d, assisted by Rev. Wm. Tuson, held Divine service in S. Andrew's church, Waterville, and celebrated the Holy Communion.

Nov. 23d, drove with Mr. Tuson twelve miles in the afternoon, and held Divine service at Cordova, with celebration.

Nov. 24th, 25th, visited in Waterville, and took pledges for the clergyman's salary there.

Nov. 26th, went to Faribault to arrange about some Mission work.

Nov. 30th, catechised Sunday school in S. Paul's church, Owatonna, and held Divine service there.

Dec. 1st and 2d, visited in Owatonna.

Dec. 3d, attended the Southern Convocation in Northfield, and addressed in the evening.

Dec. 4th, celebrated the Holy Communion and attended Convocation.

Dec. 6th, arranged some Church matters in Paynesville.

Dec. 7th, catechised and addressed the Sunday school; also held morning service, with celebration of the Holy Communion, in S. Stephen's church, Paynesville. Held evening service, assisted by Mr. Angus Haines, the lay reader in charge, who read the lessons very impressively.

Dec. 10th, arranged some Church matters in connection with West End and West Duluth with Rev. Horatio Gates at Duluth.

Dec. 11th, drove with Mr. Caldwell to Goose Creek, held Divine service, baptized an adult, and celebrated Holy Communion.

Dec. 12th, walked with Mr. Caldwell to Harris, a distance of seven miles, addressed, and baptized four children. Mr. Caldwell, the lay Missionary in charge of six stations, continues to do hard and painstaking work, frequently walking from seven to eighteen miles in discharge of his duties.

Dec. 14th, took part in the service and preached for the hard working rector of S. Peter's in the morning, and assisted by Rev. C. B. Fosbroke, held Divine service in the evening in Ascension church, Kenyon.

Dec. 15th, early celebration in Ascension church, Kenyon.

Dec. 17th, met some members of S. Stephen's church, in Paynesville.

Dec. 18th, visited all day in Paynesville, baptized the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Watson, and attended vestry meeting in the evening, at which we satisfactorily arranged the matter of the Church debt.

Dec. 20th, visited several families in Montevideo with Rev. M. N. Ray.

Dec. 21st, assisted by Rev. M. N. Ray, held Divine service in Grace church, with celebration of the Holy Communion in the morning. Cate-

chised and addressed the Sunday school, and held Divine service in the evening.

Dec. 22d, visited in Montevideo with Rev. M. N. Ray.

Dec. 25th, Christmas Day, officiated, preached and celebrated the Holy Communion in Holy Trinity church, Minneapolis, on account of severe sickness in Rev. Dean Graham's family.

Dec. 27th, visited in Albert Lea.

Dec. 28th, held Divine service in the beautiful Arey Christ Memorial church in the morning, celebrated the Holy Communion, and catechised and addressed the Sunday school; also held evening service.

Dec. 29th, visited all day in Albert Lea.

Dec. 30th, visited in Waseca, and enquired into Church matters there.

Jan. 4th, held Divine service in Christ church, Glencoe, with celebration of the Holy Communion; also held evening service. Mr. Adams, of Minneapolis, is doing acceptable work here.

Jan. 5th, visited in Glencoe, and held evening service in Brownton, with celebration.

Jan. 6th, visited in Brownton.

Jan. 8th, visited the Sheltering Arms, Minneapolis.

Jan. 11th, held Divine service, with celebration of the Holy Communion, in the morning, in the pretty new Church at Sleepy Eye. Catechised and addressed the large Sunday school there, and also held Divine service in the evening.

Jan. 12th, visited in Sleepy Eye, and in the evening took part and preached at a most hearty service in the Church of the Holy Communion, Redwood Falls. The Church was full of earnest worshipers, and at a vestry meeting after the service the clergyman's stipend was pledged in full, and all arrears paid.

Jan. 13th, held Divine service by means of an interpreter, at the beautiful new stone church with brick trimmings in the interior, at Good Thunder's village, and preached, or rather talked, to a most attentive congregation of Indians. Drove with Rev. S. B. Purves to Beaver Falls, and assisted by him, held a very hearty service in the town hall there.

Jan. 14th, visited several families with Mr Purves in Redwood Falls.

Jan. 15th, met with Rev. F. R. Millsbaugh as a committee and drafted a form for some new mission blanks, which was afterwards lost.

Jan. 16th, administered Holy Communion to a sick person.

Jan. 18th, held Divine service in the morning in S. John's church, St. Cloud, with a celebration of the Holy Communion. I also catechised and addressed the Sunday school. In the afternoon I drove with the Rev. T. C. Hudson to Sauk Rapids, and assisted by him, held Divine service in the pretty Grace Cyclone Memorial church there. In the evening held Divine service, assisted by Rev. T. C. Hudson, in S. John's church, and preached and addressed.

Jan. 19th, went to Rice's, fourteen miles west of St. Cloud. Visited there.

Jan. 20th, held Divine service in the town hall in the evening.

Jan. 24th, held Divine service in Tower, and addressed on the subject of S. Paul.

Jan. 25th, held Divine service in the beautiful church of S. Mary's, Tower, and administered the Holy Communion. Addressed the Sunday school and catechised the same; also held evening service.

Jan. 26th, visited all day in Tower and Soudan, and held Divine service in the evening.

Jan. 27th, counseled with the Rev. Horatio Gates, with regard to the work in West Duluth.

Jan. 28th, attended the Central Convocation, and addressed briefly on Church property as the basis of Church assessments.

Jan. 31st, went to Farmington and met some of the parishioners at the choir practice. Much interest in Church matters seems to be apparent in this Mission, and the services of Mr. Hoyt are much appreciated.

Feb. 1st, held Divine service, assisted by Mr. Hoyt, and celebrated the Holy Communion to fifteen Communicants.

Feb. 1st, held Divine service in the evening in the Church of the Holy Cross, which was well filled notwithstanding the very stormy night.

Feb. 2d, went on to Faribault, to arrange for Church services in two Missions.

Feb. 7th, visited and took pledges towards the salary of the Rev. C. B. Fosbroke, in Kenyon.

Feb. 8th, held Divine service in Ascension church, Kenyon, assisted by Rev. C. B. Fosbroke, and celebrated the Holy Communion. At 20 minutes past 12, started with Mr. Fosbroke for Belle Creek, one of his out-stations, a distance of eighteen miles. A snow storm came on and we missed our way and were out for six hours.

Feb. 9th and 10th, attended the Retreat in Christ church, St. Paul.

Feb. 11th, Ash Wednesday, officiated with Rev. I. C. Fortin, and preached in S. Mary's church, Merriam Park.

Feb. 12th, drove with the Rev. C. B. Fosbroke to Belle Creek, and assisted by him, held Divine service and celebrated the Holy Communion to a very hearty congregation.

Feb. 13th, visited with Mr. Fosbroke in Belle Creek, and held Divine service in Christ church, Kenyon, in the evening. Rev. C. B. Fosbroke is doing most excellent work in his extended field.

Feb. 15th, by some mistake no notice was given of the service to be held in Marshall. I drove out, therefore, to Island Lake with Mr. Acton, and held a hearty service there, with celebration of the Holy Communion, at the house of Mr. Anson Grieve.

Feb. 16th, Mr. Grieve drove me round both settlements of Island Lake and Coon Creek, and I held a cottage service at Mr. Hurt's in the evening.

Feb. 17th, was driven to Tyler by kindness of Mr. Hurt; thence, by Mr. Green, to Lake Benton, where I held evening service in the pretty and attractive Chapel of S. John.

Feb. 18th, held a morning celebration of the Holy Communion, and also an evening service, in the Chapel, Lake Benton.

Feb. 19th, visited Luverne and conferred with Rev. C. S. Ware with regard to Church building there and other Church matters.

Feb. 20th, assisted by the Rector, held a hearty service at Luverne.

Feb. 21st, visited in Pipestone.

Feb. 22d, held Divine service, with celebration of the Holy Communion, in the Opera House, Pipestone. The day was so cold and stormy that many had to leave in the middle of the service. In the evening I held a hearty service in the dining room of the hotel. A Church is greatly needed in this thriving town.

Feb. 23d, visited all day in Pipestone, and took pledges towards the salary of a clergyman. In the evening held an enthusiastic meeting, when, inclusive of the pledges given in the morning, a guarantee of \$300 was unanimously made.

Feb. 25th, 26th, 27th, 28th, held Mission services morning and evening, with a celebration each morning, also addresses and confirmation instruction each day, in S. Mary's, Tower.

March 1st, morning service and celebration, confirmation class and instruction, also evening service, in S. Mary's.

March 2d, Mission services and celebration.

March 5th, to 11th, conducted a Mission in Grace church, Montevideo. The congregations kept increasing, and intense interest was manifested. I administered the Holy Communion during the Mission to ninety-six (96) Communicants, and addressed and preached twice daily and Sunday three times.

March 11th, held evening service in Trinity church, Granite Falls, assisted by Rev. M. N. Ray. The service was very solemn and touching. Special prayers were offered for the sick Rector, and there did not seem to be a dry eye in the congregation.

March 13th, visited the Sheltering Arms and baptized two children.

March 14th, held evening service in S. Mary's church, Tower, and administered the holy sacrament of baptism to two adults, and held a confirmation class.

March 15th, held Divine service in S. Mary's church, Tower, with celebration of the Holy Communion, also evening service, at which I baptized two children, and after the service instructed the confirmation class.

March 16th, held early celebration of the Holy Communion. Visited the candidates for confirmation at their homes. Held the confirmation class at seven o'clock, and Divine service at eight o'clock, when eleven were confirmed. Bishop Gilbert's practical and impressive sermon went home to many hearts, and the listeners were visibly stirred by his earnest words.

March 17th, proceeded with Bishop Gilbert to Duluth, where we were hospitably entertained by Rev. Wm. Barker, who has brought his Parish up to the front rank in our Diocese.

March 18th to 24th, laid up with very severe influenza or La Grippe.

March 25th to 28th, held a Mission in S. Paul's church, Owatonna, with a three hours' service on Good Friday, and four addresses, also daily celebration.

March 29th, Easter Sunday, early celebration of the Holy Communion; morning service, celebration and sermon; afternoon children's service and addresses; evening service, sermon and address. The Church was tastefully decorated, and the services, in which I was assisted by Mr. Hair, were most hearty.

March 30th, held an early celebration and address in S. Paul's church, visited during the day and presided at a very enthusiastic vestry meeting in the evening.

March 31st, went to Faribault in the interests of Church mission work.

April 4th, visited in Albert Lea.

April 5th, held Divine service in Christ church, Albert Lea, and celebrated the Holy Communion in the morning; catechised and addressed the Sunday school, and also held evening service.

April 6th, held an early celebration and addressed, also visited in Albert Lea.

April 7th, by wish of Bishop Gilbert, attended a special meeting of the Standing Committee, in Minneapolis.

April 9th, drew up and drafted a form of quarterly reports for our missionaries.

April 12th, held most hearty services in Christ church, Crookston, with a celebration of the Holy Communion, in the morning; at the evening service I addressed on the importance of securing the services of a resident clergyman as soon as possible.

April 13th, held a morning celebration with an address; visited in Crookston during the day, and presided at a vestry meeting in the evening, at which the members were unanimously in favor of securing a Rector for the Parish.

April 14th and 16th, visited in St. Vincent and Pembina old parishioners' and conferred with the Rev. H. Beer with regard to Church work in this field. Mr. Beer is highly esteemed, and is doing hard and most excellent work amid the discouragement of constant removals.

April 19th, held Divine service in S. James', Fergus Falls, with celebration of the Holy Communion; baptized an infant, catechised and addressed the Sunday school; and held evening service. The Rev. C. C. Rollit is deservedly highly esteemed by his flock.

April 20th, visited Alexandria on Church work.

April 21st, visited and held service in Wadena.

April 25th, met some members of S. Andrew's church at Waterville.

April 26th, assisted by Rev. Wm. Tuson, held morning service with celebration four miles beyond Le Sueur Center; afternoon at Cordova, with celebration of the Holy Communion; and in the evening in S. Andrew's church, Waterville, with celebration. We drove 42 miles in order to hold these three services. Mr. Tuson is doing hard and persevering work in these scattered mission stations.

April 27th, visited in Waseca. The people there are very much cast down over Church prospects there, and I tried to encourage them.

April 28th, visited all day in St. Charles, and was successful in getting pledges towards the salary of the Rev. S. Pritchard, and, assisted by him, held a very hearty service in Trinity church in the evening.

April 30th, visited several families with Rev. M. Jukes in Alexandria, and, assisted by him, held evening service in Emmanuel church.

May 1st, visited some families with Rev. M. Jukes. Mr. Jukes has done hard, trying, and successful work in an extensive field. In the evening went on to Moorhead and visited the successful Rector there, the Rev. G. A. Harvey.

May 2d, visited with Rev. R. C. E. Lockhart in Detroit in the morning, and in Perham in the afternoon and evening.

May 3d, held Divine service, with celebration of the Holy Communion, in Epiphany church, Perham, in the morning, and assisted by the Rev. R. C. E. Lockhart, held Divine service, with celebration, in S. Luke's, Detroit, in the evening. Mr. Lockhart has done some excellent work in Detroit.

May 6th, with the assistance of the hard working and successful Rector of Redwood Falls, laid the corner stone of Christ church, Beaver Falls, in the presence of a large and enthusiastic gathering of people from far and near.

May 7th, Ascension Day, assisted by Rev. M. N. Ray, held Divine service and celebration in Grace church, Montevideo. Visited in the afternoon, and held service in the evening.

May 8th, by wish of Bishop Gilbert, cancelled all my appointments in the western part of the State, and returned to take charge of S. Matthew's, New Boston, Minneapolis, but on my arrival in the city found that the Rev. A. J. Graham had taken charge of the work.

May 9th, visited in Rush City with Mr. Caldwell, lay reader in charge of the Mission.

May 10th, assisted by Mr. Caldwell, held Divine service in Grace church, Rush City, and I also celebrated the Holy Communion. Drove to S. James' Mission, Goose Creek, and held service with celebration there in the afternoon, and baptized an infant. We then proceeded to Harris and held a 4.30 p.m. service; and thence to North Branch, where we held an evening service and I celebrated the Holy Communion. We drove seventeen miles and held four services, which is a sample of the hard and earnest work of Mr. John Caldwell, now candidate for Deacon's orders.

May 11th, celebrated the Holy Communion in S. Mary's, Merriam Park, and attended and took part in the meeting of the Central Convocation.

May 2th and 13th, attended, as one of the examining chaplains, the examination of the Rev. M. N. Ray for the holy order of Priest, in which he was successful.

May 15th and 16th, partially wrote my report for the Annual Council of the Diocese.

May 17th, held Divine service, with celebration of the Holy Communion, in Christ church, Crookston, and opened the Sunday school; also held evening service.

May 18th, held morning celebration in Christ church, Crookston, with an address. Met some members of the vestry, and visited the remainder of the day.

May 19th, had the great privilege of visiting the Rev. Dr. Hawley, who was very sick, but hopeful, peaceful and blessedly resigned, and administered the Holy Communion to him and his family. When I said goodbye and gave him my Priestly blessing, he told me all was well, and it seemed as if his mind pondered much on the blessed rest of Paradise.

May 20th, visited in Perham, after conferring with Rev. R. C. E. Lockhart, and held evening service there; also met and addressed the congregation after the service, and made arrangements for services in Perham every alternate Sunday morning.

May 23d, visited all day in Marshall.

May 24th, held an early celebration in S. John's chapel, Lake Benton: Divine service at 11, when I addressed the members of the Grand Army. The Chapel was full to overflowing, and many could not gain an entrance. In the afternoon I baptized an adult and addressed on Holy Baptism, and in the evening held evening service. Mr. J. D. Green assisted in the morning and evening services, and his work at Lake Benton is one of the most remarkable in the Diocese. They have now their tower and spire completed, a very fine 515 lb. Meneely bell in place therein, and a solid silver Communion service presented by Trinity chapel, New York, and used by me for the first time on Trinity Sunday.

May 25th, held an early celebration in S. John's chapel, Lake Benton, and visited all day in the town there.

May 26th, visited in Coon Creek and Island Lake, and held Divine service in Mr. Hurt's house in the evening.

May 27th, held Divine service, with celebration of the Holy Communion, at Mr. Grieve's house, Island Lake. The Church here will be completed by the 27th of June, and will be entirely free from debt, the gift of Messrs. Acton and Hurt's friends in England and other good friends in the colony. The Church will be consecrated on Sunday, June the 28th.

May 28th, was driven over by Mr. Grieve to Marshall, and visited there in the afternoon, and held Divine service in S. James' chapel in the evening, after which I met the members of the building committee and it was unanimously resolved to go on with the building of a stone Church there.

May 30th, attended the annual meeting of the Mission Board.

May 31st, held Divine service in Christ church, Albert Lea, with a celebration of the Holy Communion in the morning, catechised the Sunday school and held evening service. The Parish is entirely out of debt, the subscriptions duly raised towards a resident clergyman's salary, and the outlook is most hopeful and very prosperous.

During the past year I have preached and addressed 275 times, and administered the Holy Communion ninety-three times to 1,155 Communicants. I have administered the holy sacrament of Baptism to nine adults

and seventeen children, making a total of twenty-six in all. I have laid two corner stones, viz., S. James', Marshall, and Christ church, Beaver Falls. I have married one couple, and have traveled in the State 17,467 miles, and thus spent seventy-three days of twelve hours long on the cars. I have assisted thirteen Parishes or Missions to raise the salary towards a Rector or Missionary to the extent of \$6,517. I have disbursed for Church building and for part of the salary of the Rector of West Duluth, out of funds collected last, \$1,032.31. My offertories have amounted to \$240.87; my expenses to \$199.96; thus leaving a balance on hand of \$40.91. My offertories, in proportion to the first year, were not as large, owing to the fact that the good Parishes have all been supplied with resident clergymen, and in some cases where I have officiated and the stipends were small, I have returned the offertories to the one in charge of the Mission.

The work throughout the Diocese has the manifest and abundant blessing of God resting upon it, and the Clergy generally are alive to the importance and deep responsibility of their holy work, and they and their flocks are much encouraged and stimulated to greater perseverance by the regular, systematic and helpful visits of Bishop Gilbert to every field; and he proves himself more and more to be a loving father in God, and is ever willing to spend and be spent in the service of Christ's Holy Church in this vast Diocese of Minnesota.

In the different Missions I visit it is quite touching to hear the most affectionate enquiries after "the dear old Bishop's health," and the earnest hope expressed that they will yet again see him among them, as in the days of old.

The experience of another year would lead me again to ask the Council to enact a canon placing in the hands of the Bishops all nominations to vacant Parishes or Missions, assisted by a grant from the Mission Board of the Diocese, as I am sure such a canon would lead many Missions to strive more earnestly to become self supporting Parishes.

I would respectfully recommend to my brethren of the Clergy a long and careful preparation of candidates for the holy rite of confirmation, and where practical, would advise them to hold a communicants' class after confirmation, in order that our young people may be more thoroughly grounded in the distinctive teaching and doctrine of our beloved Church.

I would also suggest the advisability of holding a Sunday school teachers' instruction meeting every week in each Parish.

After considerable discussion upon the report of the committee on Assessments and Apportionments, and the report of the committee on the State of the Church on the same, the Hon. Isaac Atwater offered the following resolution —

Resolved, That the report of the committee on Assessments and Apportionments be adopted for the ensuing year.

The Rev. C. A. Poole offered the following —

Resolved, That the resolution of Judge Atwater be and the same is hereby amended so that the committee on Assessments and Apportionments include in their report the salary of the Archdeacon for the ensuing year.

After much discussion the amendment was adopted.

On motion, the Council proceeded to the election of the third lay member of the Standing Committee.

Nominations were made. The Rt. Rev. the President appointed the Rev. A. G. Pinkham and Mr. F. M. Donahower tellers for the Clerical vote, and the Rev. J. W. Prosser and Mr. F. B. Stoneman tellers for the lay vote, and a ballot was taken.

Pending the report of the tellers, the Rt. Rev. the President made the following appointments :

The Rev. Geo. H. Davis, Rector of S. Paul's church, Brainerd, Dean of the Northern Convocation ;

The Rev. Andrew J. Graham, Rector of Holy Trinity church, East Minneapolis, Dean of the Central Convocation ;

The Rev. Edward C. Bill, D. D., of Faribault, Dean of the Southern Convocation.

Also as a COMMITTEE ON ASSESSMENTS AND APPORTIONMENTS for the ensuing year :

The Reverend Deans and Mr. E. H. Holbrook, Jr., Mr. J. H. Ames and Mr. W. H. Lightner.

Also on the ECCLESIASTICAL COURT, the Rev. E. Stuart Wilson, D. D., and on the

APPELLATE COURT, the Rev. Charles H. Plummer.

Mr. E. H. Holbrook, Jr., read the report of the Minnesota Church Foundation, (which see in Appendix D.)

The tellers returned and read their report of the ballot taken for the third lay member of the Standing Committee, when it was found that Capt. J. C. Reno had received a majority of the votes cast, and was, by the Rt. Rev. the President, declared elected a member of the Standing Committee for the ensuing year.

On motion, adjourned until 2:30 p.m.

CATHEDRAL OF OUR MERCIFUL SAVIOUR, }
 FARIBAULT, Thursday, June 4th, 1891. }
 2:30 p. m. }

Council re-assembled and called to order by the Rt. Rev. the President, who read the report of the Minnesota Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary to the Board of Missions. (See Appendix E.)

On motion of the Rev. W. C. Pope, it was—

Resolved, That the *Minnesota Missionary and Church Record* be subsidized to the amount of \$100, and that the editor of the paper is hereby directed to publish all matter of Missionary interest, including the report of the Woman's Auxiliary, the report of the Archdeacon, and such other matter from the Journal, as a committee to be appointed by the Bishop, shall think best, in the interest of Diocesan Missions; and distribute the same in such quantities and to such persons, as the Rectors of the several Parishes in the Diocese shall direct; and the Rectors are, at once, to notify the editor, how many and to whom they wish papers sent.

The Rt. Rev. the President appointed as such committee, to act with himself as chairman, the Rev. J. W. Prosser and the Rev. Andrew D. Stowe.

On motion of Mr. E. H. Holbrook, Jr., it was—

Resolved, That the President appoint a committee of three to nominate a "Diocesan Board of Missions."

The Rt. Rev. the President appointed as such committee, the Rev. John Wright, D. D., the Rev. Wm. B. Hamilton, and Mr. G. O. Eddy.

On motion of Mr. E. H. Holbrook, Jr., it was—

Resolved, That the resolution of the Rev. C. A. Poole, including the salary of the Archdeacon with the assessments and apportionments on the Parishes, be reconsidered.

After some discussion, on motion of Mr. W. H. Lightner, it was—

Resolved, That the whole matter of assessments and apportionments be laid on the table.

On motion of the Rev. C. A. Poole, it was—

Resolved, That the resolution of Hon. I. Atwater be and the same is hereby taken from the table and passed.

On motion of the Rev. Dean Graham, it was —

Resolved, That the committee on Assessments and Apportionments add to the amount heretofore reported as assessed, the sum of four hundred dollars, and apportion the same in their list before the said list is printed in the Journal.

On motion of Mr. E. H. Holbrook, Jr., it was —

Resolved, That the committee on Assessments shall add to their list, and make proper assessments on the same, any Parishes or Missions not now on such list, before the same is printed in the Journal.

For report of committee on Assessments, as revised and completed, see Appendix A.

On motion of the Rev. Dean Graham, it was —

Resolved, That the Council proceed to take subscriptions for the Archdeacon's salary at once.

Pursuant to such resolution, subscriptions were taken, as follows —

SUBSCRIPTIONS FOR ARCHDEACON'S SALARY.

Bishop Whipple.....	\$ 100	Minneapolis,	
Bishop Gilbert.....	100	Rev. A. J. Graham.....	\$ 25
St. Paul, Christ church.....	100	Holy Trinity S. S.....	10
S. Paul's church.....	100	Grace church.....	25
S. John's church.....	100	S. Mark's S. S.....	25
Christ church S. S.....	50	All Saints' church.....	10
Rev. C. D. Andrews.....	25	Rev. A. Alexander.....	10
Rev. John Wright.....	25	I. Atwater.....	75
Church of Good Shepherd...	25	J. C. Reno.....	25
H. J. Brainerd (M. P.).....	45	M. H. Sessions.....	25
J. H. Ames.....	25	Faribault, Rev. Dr. Bill.....	100
W. H. Lightner.....	20	Cathedral church.....	50
J. H. White.....	10	Rev. Dr. Sterrett.....	25
E. E. Davidson.....	10	Rev. Dr. Wilson.....	10
S. Mary's church (M. P.)....	10	Rev. Dr. Kedney.....	10
Rev. I. C. Fortin (M. P.)....	10	Rev. C. A. Poole.....	10
S. James' church S. S.....	10	Rev. A. M. Hilliker.....	5
Church of Messiah.....	10	Chas. Weston.....	5
Mrs. Footner.....	10	J. C. N. Cottrell.....	10
Rev. J. Salinger.....	5	Geo. Cottrell.....	10
Rev. J. Salinger's Missions..	10	Rev. E. S. Peake.....	10
St. Peter, Holy Com. church..	15	Rev. Dr. Dobbin.....	25
S. S.....	5	Rochester, Calvary church....	15
Rev. R. H. Cotton.....	5	Dr. A. F. Kilbourne.....	25
Brainerd, S. Paul's church....	20	Red Wing, E. T. Wilder.....	50
Rev. G. H. Davis.....	5	Rev. E. H. Clark.....	10
G. N. Day.....	5	Stillwater, Ascension church..	25

Austin, Christ church.....	10	Stillwater,	
Rev. W. McVettie.....	10	Mrs. R. Slaughter.....	5
Owatonna, S. Paul's church..	10	Tower, S. Mary's church.....	5
Mrs. Eddy.....	5	S. Mary's S. S.	5
Excelsior, Trinity church S. S.	10	Wells, Church of Nativity.....	10
Kenyon, Ascension church.....	10	Church of Nativity S. S.....	15
J. R. Purchase.....	5	Winona, S. Paul's church S. S.	25
S. A. Bullis.....	5	Rev. W. H. Knowlton	20
Redwood Falls,		Duluth, S. Paul's church.....	50
Holy Com. church S. S.....	5	Rush City, John Caldwell.....	10
Rev. S. B. Purves.....	10	Sleepy Eye S. S.....	5
Montevideo, Gracechurch S.S.	15	Fergus Falls,	
Rev. M. N. Ray.....	5	Rev. C. C. Rollit's 3 Missions	40
Northfield,		Little Falls, Rev. A. A. Joss....	15
Mrs. J. M. Thompson.....	5	Lake City, S. Mark's church..	15
Beaver Falls, Christ church...	10	Rev. J. W. Prosser's Missions	10
Cannon Falls, A. Chard.....	10	Belle Creek, S. Paul's church..	5
Olivia Mission.....	5	Waterville, Rev. W. Tuson.....	5
Kasson, S. Peter's church S.S.	5	Mantorville,	
Hastings, Rev. E. Moyses.....	5	S. John's church S. S.....	5
		Total.....	\$1.865

On motion of the Rev. Dean Graham, it was—

Resolved, That a committee of three be appointed to present the matter to former subscribers and others, to secure further subscriptions to the support of the Archdeacon and general Missionary work.

The Rt. Rev. the President appointed as such committee, the Rev. Dean Graham, the Rev. R. H. Cotton of St. Peter, and Mr. E. E. Davidson of St. Paul.

On motion of Hon. E. T. Wilder, it was—

Resolved, That the Secretary is hereby authorized to cause to be printed eight hundred (800) copies of the Journal of this Council.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Council be paid for his services for the ensuing year the sum of one hundred and fifty (\$150) dollars.

The Rev. J. J. Faude, of the committee on Incorporation of Parishes, submitted the following, which, on motion, was adopted—

REPORT.

Your committee on Incorporation of Parishes, to whom was referred the application of S. Stephen's Parish, of Paynesville, have had the same under consideration and examination, and beg leave to report that from such examination we find that said application is correct, legal and in due form. We would therefore recommend that said Parish be admitted into union with this Council.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

J. J. FAUDE,	} Committee.
M. H. SESSIONS,	
W. H. LIGHTNER,	

Mr. W. H. Lightner, Secretary of the Board of Trustees of the Diocese of Minnesota, read the following—

REPORT.

The Board of Trustees of the Diocese of Minnesota held during the past year three meetings.

They have conveyed Lot 6, Block 6, of Brackenridge First Addition to Village of Sleepy Eye Lake, Brown County, to "All Souls's Parish of Sleepy Eye."

They have received a conveyance from Bishop Whipple of Lots 17, 18, 19 and 20, Block 5, Village of Lake Benton, Lincoln County, and a conveyance from D. J. Aldrich and wife of Lot 6, Block 21, Village of Beaver Falls, Renville Co.

The Board have elected John C. Reno a trustee in place of Wm. B. Folds, resigned, and have elected Wm. H. Lightner a trustee and Secretary of the Board in place of Gordon E. Cole, deceased.

W. H. LIGHTNER, Secretary.

On motion of Mr. W. H. Lightner, the Hon. James Gilfillan, whose term of office on the Board of Trustees of "The Diocese of Minnesota" expired at the date of this Council, was re-elected for the term of six years.

On motion of Mr. W. H. Lightner, it was—

Resolved, That the date for taking an annual offering for the American Church Building Fund Commission be changed from the first Sunday in March to the second Sunday in November. And be it further

Resolved, That the Rectors of those Parishes which have not taken an offering for such object during this year be requested to have such offering taken on the second Sunday in November of this year.

The Rev. Geo. H. Davis, of the committee on Legislation, submitted the following, which, on motion of the Rev. C. A. Poole, was laid on the table—

REPORT.

The committee on Legislation, to whom was referred back the resolution to amend section 1 of Canon VII. of the Constitution and Canons of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the Diocese of Minnesota, the resolution as originally introduced being amended by the insertion of the word "male" before the word "communicants," and the word "male" before the word "electors," in section 3, Canon VI., and by the insertion of the word "male" before the word "delegate," wherever it occurs in Article IV., section 2, respectfully report that they are somewhat divided in their opinion as to the expediency of the proposed amendments, and therefore return the same to the Council without recommendation.

GEO. H. DAVIS, for the Committee.

On motion of the Rev. S. B. Purves, it was—



Resolved, That the thanks of this Council be extended to the Rector and members of the Cathedral church Parish for their cordial entertainment of the Clergy and delegates of this Council, and also the same thanks are extended to the railway companies for their usual courtesies extended to delegates.

The Rev. Andrew D. Stowe offered an amendment to Canon III., which, on motion, was referred to the committee on Legislation, to report at the next Annual Council, as follows—

PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO CANON III.

Resolved, That Canon III., "On Parochial Registers and Reports," be and the same is hereby amended as follows:

First: The present divisions of the Canon are hereby numbered sections 1, 3 and 4.

Second: That the present section 1 read as follows:

SEC. 1. In every Parish there shall be provided, at its expense, a Parish Register, in which the Rector or Minister in charge shall record the names of all persons baptized, confirmed, married, and who have died within his cure; also the names of all communicants, heads of families, children, and adult persons belonging to it, with the date of each event.

It shall further be the duty of the Rector or Minister in charge to issue to each and every member of the Church a "Membership Certificate," certifying that they are members of the said Parish, which "Membership Certificate" must be held by the person until membership is sought in another Parish, at which time the "Membership Certificate" must be surrendered to the Rector or Minister in charge of the Parish or congregation issuing the same, and a "Certificate Commendatory" taken. No person shall hold a "Certificate of Membership in more than one Parish at the same time. The names of persons removing from one Parish or congregation to another Parish or congregation within the Diocese shall not be entered upon said Parish list of members until a "Certificate Commendatory" shall have been presented to the proper person by the persons so removing, nor shall their names be stricken from the list of members of the Parish or congregation from which they have removed, until a duly executed certificate be received from the Parish or congregation to which said person or persons have removed, that the said names have been entered upon the Register of said Parish or congregation, and *then* their names shall be stricken from the list, and such certificate shall be returned within thirty days after such entry, by the proper person.

In the case of a vacancy in the Rectorship, the Senior Warden or Clerk of the Vestry shall perform the duties required above.

Third: That section 2 read as follows:

SEC. 2. There shall also be provided, at the expense of the Diocese, for use in each and all Parishes, the same to be supplied on application to the Secretary of the Diocese, Baptismal, Confirmation, First Communion, Membership and Commendatory Certificates, and such other blanks as may be required in Church work and authorized by the Diocesan Council.

SEC. 3. There shall also be provided, at the expense of the Diocese, a Diocesan Register, in which shall be recorded by the Secretary of the Diocese, all baptisms, confirmations, marriages and funerals, performed by the Bishop and other clergymen, beyond the limits of any organized Parish or

at any military station within the Diocese, in the form and manner provided for Parish Registers. And it shall be the duty of such clergymen to furnish to the Secretary of the Diocese, annually or oftener, the names of all persons baptized, confirmed, married or buried by them with necessary dates.

SEC. 4. On or before the day of the Annual Meeting of the Council, each Clergyman belonging to the Diocese shall present to the Bishop or the President of the Council, a full and statistical report of his Parish, or such ecclesiastical acts as he may have performed for the past year.

The Rev. Andrew D. Stowe presented for the approval of the Council, a series of Parochial Blanks to be used in all the Parishes of the Diocese, and offered the following resolution, which, together with the proposed blanks, was, on motion of the Rev. Wm. M. Barker, referred to the committee on Legislation, with instructions to report on the same at the next Council.

Resolved, That the series of blanks presented herewith be known as, and become the "Diocesan Blanks," and they are hereby approved and recommended to the use of the Clergy and Parishes of the Diocese.

On motion of the Rev. Andrew D. Stowe, amended by the Rev. Dr. Dobbin, it was —

Resolved, That a committee of three clergymen and two laymen be appointed by the President, to revise and amend the Constitution and Canons of the Diocese of Minnesota, if in their judgment it is necessary, and to report the same to the next Council; and that such committee be instructed to send out notices to the Clergy and such laymen as in their judgment is desirable, to suggest any changes they may desire made, such suggestions to be sent in to this committee, not later than Jan. 1st, 1892.

The Rt. Rev. the President appointed as such committee: the Rev. Andrew D. Stowe, chairman; the Rev. John H. White, the Rev. J. J. Faude, Mr. Hector Baxter, Minneapolis, Mr. John W. White, St. Paul.

The Rev. Wm. B. Hamilton, of the committee appointed to nominate a "Diocesan Board of Missions," made the following —

REPORT.

Your committee appointed to nominate members of the Diocesan Board of Missions nominate the following gentlemen:

Rev. F. R. Millsbaugh, Rev. C. D. Andrews, Rev. John H. White, Rev. J. J. Faude, Mr. F. O. Osborne, Mr. J. H. Ames, Mr. R. Warner, Mr. J. I. Black.

REV. JOHN WRIGHT,	} Committee.
REV. WM. B. HAMILTON,	
G. O. EDDY,	

On motion, it was —

Resolved, That the Secretary of the Council cast the ballot of the Council for the "Diocesan Missions Board" as nominated by the committee.

The Secretary complied with the instructions of the Resolution, and the Board thus nominated was declared, by the Rt. Rev. the President, elected.

On motion of the Rev. E. Stuart Wilson, D. D., it was —

Resolved, That a committee of three be appointed by the President, "On the increase of the Fund for the honorable relief of Aged and Infirm Clergy, and of their widows and orphans."

The Rt. Rev. the President appointed as such committee : the Rev. Wm. Gardam, Mr. S. B. Foote and Mr. Reuben Warner.

On invitation of the Rt. Rev. the Assistant Bishop, the Rev. W. P. Ten Broeck, of the Diocese of Milwaukee, addressed the Council on the subject of "The Christian Social Union in the United States."

On motion, it was —

Resolved, That after the reading of the minutes, and the usual devotional exercises, the Council adjourn *sine die*.

The minutes were read, corrected and approved.

The Rt. Rev. the Assistant Bishop and President of the Council, in a feeling and earnestly eloquent manner, briefly addressed the Council, said prayers, pronounced the benediction, and the thirty-fourth Annual Council of the Church in the Diocese of Minnesota adjourned *sine die*.

Michael N. Giblin
Assistant Bishop of Minnesota

and President of the Council.

Andrew H. Howe

Secretary.

APPENDICES.

APPENDIX A.

ASSESSMENTS AND APPORTIONMENTS, 1891-1892.

PARISHES.	Diocesan Missions.	Episcopate Fund.	Council Fund.	PARISHES.	Diocesan Missions.	Episcopate Fund.	Council Fund.
Aitken.....	\$ 12	\$ 2	\$ 1	Mentor.....	3	2	2
Albert Lea.....	12	2	2	Minnetonka Beach.....	10	5	5
Alexandria.....	6	4	1	Montevideo.....	9	6	6
Anoka.....	9	6	2	Moorhead.....	26	12	12
Appleton.....	7	4	2	Morristown.....	10	2	2
Ashley.....	3	2	1	North Branch.....	5	3	3
Atwater.....	3	2	1	Northfield.....	26	20	20
Austin.....	12	12	3	Oak Valley.....	3	2	2
Basewood Grove.....	9	6	2	Olivia.....	3	2	2
Beaver Falls.....	3	2	1	Owatonna.....	26	20	20
Becker.....	6	4	1	Paynesville.....	5	3	3
Belle Creek.....	9	6	2	Perham.....	3	2	2
Belle Plains.....	6	4	2	Pine Island.....	6	4	4
Benson.....	10	6	2	Point Douglass.....	5	3	3
Blue Earth.....	7	4	2	Red Wing.....	150	110	110
Brainerd.....	60	45	10	Redwood Falls.....	2	6	6
Brownton.....	3	2	1	Reno.....	5	3	3
Brown's Valley.....	3	2	1	Rochester.....	30	24	24
Brownsville.....	3	2	1	Rockford.....	3	2	2
Caledonia.....	9	6	2	Royalton.....	5	3	3
Cannon City.....	6	4	1	Rush City.....	5	3	3
Cannon Falls.....	15	10	3	Rushford.....	12	12	12
Chatfield.....	10	7	2	Sauk Center.....	20	16	16
Cordova.....	3	2	1	Sauk Rapids.....	6	4	4
Crookston.....	20	16	4	Shakopee.....	10	2	2
Dakota.....	3	2	1	Slayton.....	3	2	2
Delano.....	6	4	1	Sleepy Eye.....	6	4	4
Detroit.....	9	6	2	Stillwater.....	115	90	90
Dreshbach.....	3	2	1	St. Charles.....	7	5	5
Duluth.....	150	125	25	St. Cloud.....	34	24	24

APPENDIX B.

DIOCESE OF MINNESOTA.

H. HOLBROOK, Jr., Treasurer, in account with THE EPISCOPATE FUND.

1. Balance as per account.....	\$714.11
2. From Trustees Minn. Church Foundation:	
October 28th, 1890.....	\$1,022.52
December 13th, 1890.....	597.59
*May 22d, 1891.....	250.00
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From Endowment Fund—Interest.....	\$1,870.11
From Arrears.....	159.00
From Assessment.....	244.50
From Assessment, 1891-2, prepaid.....	2,182.37
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Receipts.....	\$4,460.73
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*Balance due Treasurer.....	5,174.84
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	1,161.28
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	6,336.12
CREDIT.	
Bishop Whipple.....	3,000.00
Assistant Bishop Gilbert.....	3,000.00
Assistant Bishop Gilbert for Expenses:	
July 7th, 1890.....	\$ 105.62
October 28th, 1890.....	115.20
January 3d, 1891.....	39.77
April 17th, 1891.....	53.10
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Circulars for Committee on Assessments.....	313.69
Postage.....	2.50
Interest—on Loans.....	8.26
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Payments.....	11.67
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	6,336.12

& O. E.

Minneapolis, June 2d, 1891.

E. H. HOLBROOK, JR., Treas.

ASSETS.

Arrears, current year.....	\$ 187.63	
Arrears, former years, (rebated at Council, \$21.).....	\$ 64.00	\$ 251.63

LIABILITIES.

Due Trustees Minn. Church Foundation	\$ 300.00	
Due Bank of Minnesota, St. Paul	200.00	
Due Citizens National Bank, Faribault.....	250.00	
Due Bishop Whipple.....	250.00	
Due Assistant Bishop Gilbert.....	161.28	
	<u>\$1,161.28</u>	

*NOTE:—Report of Board of Trustees Minnesota Church Foundation shows an additional payment June 2d, not included in above report, \$330.60 reducing balance due Treasurer to \$830.68.

E. H. HOLBROOK, Jr., Treasurer, in account with THE EPISCOPATE ENDOWMENT FUND.

1890,		
June 2, Balance as per account.....	\$ 280.00	
July 5, Sauk Rapids, per J. B. Hoit, Bal. Subscriptions.....	\$ 20.00	
Sauk Rapids, per J. B. Hoit, interest	24.00	
1891,		
May 14, Duluth, S. Paul's, interest.....	14.00	
May 21, Minneapolis, Gethsemane, interest.....	105.00	
St. Paul, S. John's, interest.....	16.00	
Receipts.....		179.00
		<u>459.00</u>

CREDITS.

June 2, Paid Treasurer Episcopate Fund—		
on account income.....	\$159.00	
Balance due Trustees Minnesota Church Foundation		
on account subscriptions.....	300.00	
		<u>\$459.00</u>

SUBSCRIPTIONS TO EPISCOPATE ENDOWMENT FUND.

Collected and remitted to Trustees M. C. F.....	\$11,850.00	
Collected and held to credit of Trustees M. C. F.....	300.00	\$12,150.00
Collected and held in Notes and Bonds—		
Minneapolis, Gethsemane, interest paid to May 1, 1891.....	1,500.00	
Duluth, S. Paul's, interest paid to May 1, 1891.....	200.00	
St. Paul, S. John's, interest paid to March 1, 1891.....	200.00	
Winona, S. Paul's, interest paid to October 10, 1889.....	100.00	
Brainerd, S. Paul's, interest paid to October 11, 1890.....	100.00	2,100.00
Balance uncollected—		
Moorhead, interest due from October 10, 1886.....	50.00	
Sauk Center, interest due from October 10, 1886.....	25.00	
		<u>75.00</u>
		14,325.00
Original subscriptions, June, 1886.....	15,025.00	
Alexandria, rebated at last Council.....	\$ 50.00	
*Minneapolis, S. Mark's, rebated at last Council.....	650.00	
	<u>700.00</u>	14,325.00

E. & O. E.
Minneapolis, June 2d, 1891.

E. H. HOLBROOK, Jr., Treas.

*Subscriptions reported in Council Journal 1886, as \$1,350.00; should be \$700.00

MEMORANDUM:

In report of Trustees Minnesota Church Foundation is stated as due from the Episcopate Endowment Fund.....	\$ 3,414.45	
I have as assets amount still unpaid on subscriptions \$2,175.00 and Cash on hand \$300.00.....	2,475.00	
Reducing this indebtedness to.....		\$ 939.45
This arises from the fact that the buildings in which this fund was invested, (see report of Trustees in Journal 1889, fol. 76,) are stated to have cost.....		
while the total subscriptions as reported in Journal 1886 was.....	15,264.45	
	15,025.00	
Leaving a balance of.....	239.45	
to which add amount of rebates made at Council 1890,	700.00	
showing a net deficiency		939.45

EPISCOPATE FUND.
TREASURER'S STATEMENT IN DETAIL.
MINNEAPOLIS, JUNE 2d, 1891.

PARISH.	Current Year.			Arrears.		
	Assess- ment 1890-91.	Paid.	Due.	Am't.	Paid.	Due.
Appleton.....	4.00	4.00		4.00		4.00
Albert Lea.....	7.00	3.50	3.50			
Alexandria.....	3.00	3.00				
Anoka.....	5.00	5.00				
Austin.....	10.00	10.00				
Basewood Grove.....	5.00	5.00				
Belle Creek.....	9.00	9.00				
Belle Plain.....	3.00		3.00			
Benson.....	6.00	6.00				
Blue Earth.....	3.00	3.00				
Brainerd.....	20.00	20.00				
Brownsville.....	1.00	1.00				
Becker.....	4.00	4.00				
Brownston.....	1.00	1.00				
Brown's Valley.....	2.00	1.00	1.00			
Caledonia.....	5.00	5.00				
Cannon Falls.....	20.00	20.00				
Chatfield.....	8.00	8.00		8.00		8.00
Cannon City.....	5.00		5.00			
Crookston.....	10.00	5.00	5.00			
Detroit.....	2.00	2.00		2.00	2.00	
Duluth.....	60.00	60.00				
Dakota.....	1.00	1.00				
Dreshbach.....	2.00		2.00			
Elk River.....	5.00		5.00			
Elysian.....	1.00	1.00				
Excelsior.....	3.00	3.00				
FARIBAULT—						
Cathedral.....	125.00	125.00				
Shattuck School.....	75.00	75.00				
S. Mary's Hall.....	40.00	40.00				
Farmington.....	3.00		*3.00			
Fergus Falls.....	10.00	10.00				
Fairmont.....	8.00	8.00				
Frontenac.....	2.00	2.00				
Glencoe.....	2.00	2.00		2.50		2.50
Glenwood.....	2.00	2.00				
Granite Falls.....	5.00	2.50	2.50			
Hassan.....	5.00		5.00	5.00	5.00	
Hastings.....	26.00	26.00				
Houston.....	1.00	1.00				
Hallock.....	2.00	2.00				
Henderson.....	7.00		7.00			
Janesville.....	8.00	8.00				
Kasson.....	3.00	1.50	*1.50			
Kenyon.....	3.00	3.00				
Lake City.....	30.00	30.00				
Le Sueur.....	3.00	3.00				
Little Falls.....	8.00	8.00		32.00	18.00	14.00
Longworth's.....	5.00	5.00				
Litchfield.....	15.00	15.00				
Lake Crystal.....	3.00	3.00		1.50	1.50	
Lake Park.....	2.00	2.00				
Luverne.....	2.00	2.00				
Madelia.....	2.00		2.00			
Madison Lake.....	5.00	2.50	2.50			
Mankato.....	20.00	20.00				
Melrose.....	1.00	1.00				
Minnetonka Beach.....	5.00		5.00	5.00	5.00	
Montevideo.....	3.00	3.00				
Moorhead.....	20.00		20.00	20.00		20.00
Morristown.....	10.00	7.50	2.50		*2.50	

EPISCOPATE FUND.—Continued.

PARISH.	Current Year.			Arrears.		
	Assessment 1890-91.	Paid.	Due.	Am't.	Paid.	Due.
MINNEAPOLIS—						
All Saints'.....	7.00	7.00				
Gethsemane.....	200.00	200.00				
Holy Trinity.....	35.00	35.00				
S. Andrew's.....	8.00		8.00			
S. Mark's.....	250.00	250.00				
S. Paul's.....	50.00	50.00				
Grace.....	8.00	8.00				
S. Luke's.....	8.00		*8.00			
Northfield.....	20.00	20.00				
North Branch.....	3.00		*3.00	3.00	3.00	
Owatonna.....	15.00	15.00				
Paynesville.....	2.00	2.00				
Perham.....	2.00	2.00				
Point Douglas.....	3.00	3.00				
Pine Island.....	3.00	3.00		3.00	3.00	
Red Wing.....	100.00	100.00				
Rochester.....	15.00	15.00				
Rushford.....	10.00	10.00				
Rush City.....	3.00		*3.00	3.00		†3.00
Redwood Falls.....	3.00	3.00				
Keno.....	2.00	2.00				
Royalton.....	3.00	3.00				
Shakopee.....	7.00	7.00				
St. Charles.....	5.00		5.00			
St. Cloud.....	22.00		22.00			
Slayton.....	2.00	2.00		2.00	2.00	
St. James.....	2.00	2.00				
St. Vincent.....	2.00	2.00				
St. Peter.....	15.00	15.00				
Stillwater.....	60.00	60.00				
Sauk Rapids.....	3.00	3.00				
Sauk Center.....	12.00	12.00				
ST. PAUL—						
Christ.....	300.00	300.00				
Good Shepherd.....	20.00	20.00				
S. Paul's.....	160.00	160.00				
S. John's.....	100.00	100.00				
Ascension.....	10.00	10.00		10.00		*10.00
Messiah.....	5.00	5.00				
S. James.....	7.00	7.00				
S. Mary's.....	10.00	10.00				
S. Mathew's.....	2.00		*2.00			
S. Peter's.....	7.00	7.00		2.50		*2.50
S. Stephen's.....	5.00	2.50	*2.50			
Tower.....	2.00	2.00				
Waterville.....	5.00	5.00				
Wabasha.....	15.00	15.00				
Waseca.....	7.00		7.00			
Wells.....	8.00	8.00				
White Bear Lake.....	7.00	7.00				
Willmar.....	12.00	12.00				
Winona.....	80.00	50.00	30.00			
Wadena.....	2.00	2.00				
Warsaw.....	5.00	5.00				
Wilder.....	2.00		2.00			
Windom.....	3.00	3.00				
Worthington.....	3.00	3.00				
Zumbrota.....	3.00		3.00			
INDIAN STATIONS—						
Cass Lake.....	1.00	1.00				
Leach Lake.....	10.00	10.00				
Red Lake S. Antipas.....	4.00	4.00				
S. John's.....	4.00	4.00				
White Earth.....	20.00	3.37	16.63			
Wild Rice River.....	5.00	5.00				
	\$2370.00	\$2182.37	\$187.63	\$103.50	\$ 42.00	\$64.00

*Paid at and since Council.....\$38.00
†Rebated at Council.....21.00

APPENDIX C.

DIOCESE OF MINNESOTA.

Diocesan Treasurer's Report and Account for the year ending June 1st, 1891.

H. P. HOPPIN, Treasurer, in account with Sundry Funds.

DIOCESAN MISSIONS FUND.

		Dr.	Cr.
1890.			
June 4th,	To Balance from last account,.....	\$1,552.72	
1891.			
June 1st,	To receipts, last year's assessment.....	167.45	
	this year's assessment.....	3,295.16	
	from sales of tract.....	102.25	
	from Bishop Whipple.....	7.50	
	To offering at Council, 1890.....	35.75	
1891.			
June 1st,	By stipends paid.....		\$3,318.11
	By expense of printing tract.....		70.00
	of printing circulars.....		1.25
	Balance to next account.....		1,771.47
		5,160.83	5,160.83

COUNCIL FUND.

1890.			
June 4th,	To balance from last account.....	\$ 63.96	
1891.			
June 1st,	To receipts, last year's assessment.....	54.50	
	this year's assessment.....	661.00	
1891.			
June 1st,	By payment to Secretary, per order of Council.....		100.00
	to Rev. J. W. Prosser, per order of		
	Council.....		100.00
	for printing Journal of Council.....		321.60
	for printing Assessment List.....		1.50
	Secretary's expense account.....		86.55
	Treasurer's expense account.....		19.19
	Balance to next account.....		150.62
		779.46	779.46

AGED AND INFIRM CLERGY FUND.

1890.			
June 4th,	To Balance from last account.....	\$1,016.16	
1891.			
June 1st,	Offerings as per 1889-90.....	81.12	
	Offerings of this year.....	983.80	
	Gifts: "A friend".....	1.00	
	"Anonymous".....	25.00	
	H. Haupt Jr., Chicago.....	25.00	
	Mrs. A. Hewitt, St. Paul.....	10.00	
	Rev. H. Beer, St. Vincent.....	.50	
1891.			
June 1st,	By stipends paid since last Council.....		973.08
	Balance to next account.....		1,169.50
		2,142.58	2,142.58

ARCHDEACON'S SALARY SUBSCRIPTIONS.

1890.			
June 4th.	To balances from last account.....	\$ 452.50	
1891.		\$ 45.50	
June 1st.	To receipts during the year.....	1,300.00	1,345.00
1891.			
June 1st.	By payments during the year.....		1,750.00
	Balance to next account.....		47.50
		1,797.50	1,797.50

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H. P. HOPPIN, Diocesan Treasurer.

TREASURER'S STATEMENT SHOWING ARREARS PAID IN TO SUNDRY FUNDS SINCE JUNE 4TH, 1890. AND PERTAINING TO THE DIOCESAN YEAR 1889-90.

PARISHES.	Diocesan Mission Fund.	Council Fund.	A. & I. C. Fund.
Appleton.....			1.40
Anoka.....			2.10
Austin.....			1.00
Basswood Grove.....			2.00
Becker.....			1.50
Brainerd.....	50.45		
Brown's Valley.....	3.00	1.00	2.90
Cannon Falls.....			5.05
Chatfield.....			.70
Clearwater.....	7.00	2.00	
Detroit.....	5.00		
Elk River.....	1.25	2.00	1.00
FARIBAULT—			
Shattuck School.....	25.00		5.41
Glenwood.....	2.00	1.00	
Hallock.....			1.00
Henderson.....			2.58
Kenyon.....	2.25		8.58
Le Sueur.....			.77
Litchfield.....			4.70
MINNEAPOLIS—			
S. Andrew's.....		4.00	
S. Paul's.....		12.50	
North Branch.....	5.00	1.00	
Northfield.....		10.00	3.70
Owatonna.....			4.00
Pine Island.....	5.00	3.00	.80
Point Douglas.....			1.00
Reno.....	1.50		
Rush City.....	5.00		
Shakopee.....			3.85
ST. PAUL—			
Ascension.....		5.00	
Good Shepherd.....	28.00		
S. John's.....			10.37
S. Peter's.....	7.00	3.00	
St. Vincent.....			1.00
Wabasha.....			6.61
White Bear Lake.....	20.00	10.00	
Wilder.....			2.00
Windom.....			3.10
Worthington.....			4.00
Total Arrears paid Diocesan Missions.....	\$ 167.45		
" " " Council Fund.....		\$ 54.50	
" " " A. & I. Clergy Fund.....			\$ 81.12

TREASURER'S STATEMENT SHOWING AMOUNTS PAID IN TO SUNDRY FUNDS, SINCE JUNE 4TH, 1890, AND PERTAINING TO THE DIOCESAN YEAR 1890-91.

PARISHES.	Diocesan Missions		Council Fund.		A. & I. C Offer- ings.
	Assessed	Paid.	Assessed	Paid.	
Albert Lea.....	12.00		1.50		
Alexandria.....	5.00	5.00	2.00	2.00	1.11
Anoka.....	8.00	8.00	2.00	2.00	
Appleton.....	6.00	6.00	1.50	1.50	7.25
Austin.....	15.00	15.00	5.00	5.00	4.00
Basswood Grove.....	8.00	8.00	3.00	3.00	
Becker.....	5.00	5.00	2.00	2.00	
Belle Creek.....	12.00	12.00	3.00	3.00	2.00
Belle Plain.....	5.00		2.00		
Benson.....	8.00	8.00	3.00	3.00	4.64
Blue Earth.....	8.00	8.00	1.00	1.00	1.25
Brainerd.....	65.00	65.00	15.00	15.00	12.70
Brownston.....	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	
Brown's Valley.....	3.00		1.00		2.00
Brownsville.....	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00
Caledonia.....	7.00	7.00	2.00	2.00	
Cannon City.....	6.00		1.00		
Cannon Falls.....	20.00		3.00		4.17
Chatfield.....	8.00	8.00	3.00	3.00	.50
Clearwater.....	7.00	7.00	2.00	2.00	
Crookston.....	25.00	12.50	5.00	5.00	3.70
Dakota.....	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	
Detroit.....	5.00	5.90	1.00	1.00	
Dresbach.....	3.00	3.00	1.00	1.00	1.00
Duluth.....	120.00	60.00	20.00	20.00	15.00
Duluth, West.....					1.75
Dundas.....					
Elk River.....	5.00	5.00	2.00	2.00	
Elysian.....	4.00		1.00		
Excelsior.....	5.00	5.00	2.00	2.00	
Fairmont.....	10.00	10.00	3.00	3.00	
FARIBAULT—Cathedral.....	150.00	150.00	25.00	25.00	63.01
Shattuck School.....	125.00	125.00			
S. Mary's Hall.....	60.00	60.00			
Farmington.....	5.00		2.00		
Fergus Falls.....	15.00	15.00	6.00	6.00	3.45
Frontenac.....	3.00	3.00	1.50		
Glencoe.....	3.00	3.00	2.00	2.00	
Glenwood.....	2.00	2.00	1.00	1.00	1.30
Granite Falls.....	10.00	10.00	2.00	2.00	6.60
Hallock.....	5.00	5.00	2.00	2.00	
Hassan.....	5.00		2.00	2.00	
Hastings.....	36.00	36.00	10.00	10.00	9.16
Henderson.....	10.00		3.00		2.15
Houston.....	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00
Janesville.....	10.00	10.00	7.00	7.00	5.55
Kasson.....	4.00	4.00	2.00	2.00	5.08
Kenyon.....	5.00	4.00	2.00	2.00	4.15
Lake Benton.....		18.16			10.00
Lake City.....	50.00	50.00	20.00	20.00	
Lake Crystal.....	5.00	5.00	2.00		
Lake Park.....	2.00	2.00	1.00	1.00	
Le Sueur.....	5.00	5.00	2.00	2.00	.70
Litchfield.....	25.00	25.00	8.00	8.00	
Little Falls.....	12.00	12.00	3.00	3.00	5.00
Luverne.....	3.00	3.00	1.00	1.00	3.16
Madelia.....	3.00		1.00		
Madison Lake.....	10.00	2.50	5.00		
Mankato.....	28.00	28.00	10.00	10.00	10.00
Mantorville.....					5.42
Melrose.....	2.00	2.00	1.00	1.00	
MINNEAPOLIS—All Saints'.....	10.00		3.00	3.00	
Grace.....	12.00	12.00	4.00	4.00	
Gethsemane.....	450.00	450.00	50.00	50.00	100.00
Holy Trinity.....	100.00	100.00	15.00	15.00	19.00
S. Andrew's.....	12.00	12.00	4.00		4.00
S. Luke's.....	12.00	6.00	4.00	4.00	
S. Mark's.....	420.00	315.00	50.00	50.00	75.00
S. Paul's.....	150.00	150.00	20.00	20.00	14.05

PARISHES.	Diocesan Missions		Council Fund.		A. & I. C. Offer- ings.
	Assessed	Paid.	Assessed	Paid.	
Minnetonka Beach.....	10.00	10.00	5.00	5.00	.....
Montevideo.....	10.00	5.00	2.00	2.00	6.30
Moorhead.....	22.00	.....	6.00	.....	.....
Morristown.....	20.00	.....	4.00	.....	.80
North Branch.....	5.00	4.00	1.00	1.00	.....
Northfield.....	20.00	3.50	10.00	10.00	2.93
Owatonna.....	25.00	25.00	5.00	5.00	8.13
Paynesville.....	4.00	5.00	2.00	2.00	.....
Pembina.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3.05
Perham.....	2.00	2.00	1.00	1.00	.....
Pine Island.....	5.00	5.00	3.00	3.00	1.50
Point Douglas.....	5.00	5.00	1.00	1.00	.....
Red Wing.....	150.00	150.00	35.00	35.00	27.88
Redwood Falls.....	5.00	7.62	3.00	3.00	9.30
Reno.....	5.00	5.00	2.00	2.00	1.50
Richwood.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3.00
Rochester.....	25.00	25.00	6.00	6.00	8.39
Royalton.....	4.00	4.00	2.00	2.00	.....
Rush City.....	5.00	.....	1.00	.....	3.30
Rushford.....	15.00	15.00	3.00	3.00	3.10
Sauk Center.....	18.00	18.00	5.00	5.00	4.52
Sauk Rapids.....	5.00	4.50	2.00	2.00	.....
Shakopee.....	10.00	10.00	3.00	3.00	2.86
Slayton.....	3.00	.....	1.00	.....	.....
Sleepy Eye.....	3.00	3.00	.....	.....	6.34
Stillwater.....	100.00	100.00	20.00	20.00	23.08
St. Charles.....	7.00	.....	2.00	.....	1.50
St. Cloud.....	35.00	37.50	7.00	7.00	7.50
St. James.....	3.00	3.75	1.00	1.00	.....
Sr. PAUL.....	15.00	15.00	5.00	5.00	.....
Ascension.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Christ Church.....	550.00	137.50	50.00	50.00	138.12
Good Shepherd.....	28.00	28.00	6.00	6.00	.....
Messiah.....	8.00	8.00	2.00	2.00	2.50
St. James'.....	15.00	15.00	3.00	3.00	5.10
St. John's.....	170.00	170.00	30.00	30.00	192.38
St. Mary's.....	15.00	15.00	5.00	5.00	10.67
St. Matthew's.....	5.00	.....	1.00	.....	.....
St. Paul's.....	300.00	300.00	40.00	40.00	9.45
St. Peter's.....	15.00	15.00	3.00	3.00	5.70
St. Stephen's.....	8.00	.....	2.00	.....	.....
St. Peter.....	30.00	30.00	7.00	7.00	17.00
St. Vincent.....	5.00	5.00	2.00	2.00	1.45
Tower.....	10.00	10.00	3.00	3.00	6.00
Wabasha.....	22.00	22.00	5.00	5.00	8.65
Wadena.....	2.00	.....	1.00	1.00	.....
Warsaw.....	6.00	6.00	2.00	2.00	.50
Waseca.....	8.00	.....	3.00	.....	.....
Waterville.....	8.00	8.00	3.00	3.00	.....
Wells.....	15.00	15.00	3.00	3.00	18.00
White Bear Lake.....	15.00	15.00	3.00	3.00	.....
Wilder.....	3.00	2.00	1.00	1.00	2.00
Willmar.....	20.00	20.00	5.00	5.00	7.43
Windom.....	5.00	5.00	1.50	.....	2.00
Winona.....	100.00	30.00	20.00	10.00	16.00
Worthington.....	5.00	2.50	1.50	1.50	.....
Zumbrota.....	5.00	.....	2.00	.....	.....
INDIAN STATIONS—Cass Lake.....	4.00	4.00	1.00	1.00	.....
Leech Lake.....	15.00	15.00	6.00	6.00	.....
Old Chief's Village.....	8.00	8.00	1.00	1.00	.....
* Red Lake.....	9.00	5.76	1.00	1.00	2.95
Wild Rice River.....	9.00	9.00	2.00	2.00	.....
White Earth.....	35.00	39.47	5.00	5.00	3.07

Total, Diocesan Missions.....\$3,295.16

" Council Fund.....\$661.00

" A. & I. Clergy Fund.....\$983.80

* The balance of Red Lake Diocesan Missions assessment was paid and included in the account of 1889-90.

**TREASURER'S STATEMENT SHOWING STIPENDS PAID FROM THE
DIOCESAN MISSIONS FUND, SINCE JUNE 4TH, 1890.**

Rev. T. K. Allen.....	\$ 204.18	Rev. Mark Jukes	\$ 200.05
Mr. F. L. Bayard.....	100.00	" A. J. D. Kuehn.....	75.00
Rev. C. H. Beaulieu.....	206.25	" W. McVettie.....	200.02
Mr. John Caldwell.....	105.00	" A. G. Pinkham, bal.....	2.50
Rev. C. K. Capron.....	12.50	" J. W. Prosser.....	150.00
" H. S. Clapp.....	150.00	" S. B. Purves, bal.....	8.33
" C. A. Cummings, bal.....	2.50	" M. N. Ray.....	185.44
Mr. J. Johnson.....	25.00	" C. C. Rollit.....	200.02
Rev. R. H. Cotton.....	150.00	" W. H. H. Ross.....	150.00
" C. B. Fosbroke.....	200.00	" J. Salinger.....	75.00
" J. B. Halsey.....	150.00	" W. P. Ten Broeck.....	45.83
" W. B. Hamilton, bal.....	2.50	" C. S. Ware, bal.....	25.00
" J. J. Hillmer.....	173.37	" F. M. Weddell.....	125.00
" C. E. Hixon.....	200.04	" A. S. H. Winsor.....	156.24
Mr. G. F. G. Hoyt.....	38.34		
		Total.....	\$3,318.11

**TREASURER'S STATEMENT SHOWING STIPENDS PAID FROM THE
AGED AND INFIRM CLERGY FUND, SINCE JUNE 4TH, 1890.**

Rev. I. J. Townsend, July 16th, 1890.....	\$125.00	
Sept. 2d, 1890.....	50.00	
Dec. 3d, 1890.....	125.00	
Jan. 1st, 1891.....	125.00	
May 14th, 1891.....	125.00	\$550.00
Rev. F. B. Nash, Sr. (Deceased Oct. 8th, 1890.)		
July 16th, 1890.....	25.00	
Dec. 3d, 1890, for his account.....	25.00	50.00
Rev. J. G. St. Lawrence, July 16th, 1890.....	25.00	
Dec. 3d, 1890.....	25.00	
Jan. 1st, 1891.....	25.00	
May 14th, 1891.....	25.00	100.00
Rev. C. Woodward, July 16th, 1890.....	25.00	
Dec. 3d, 1890.....	25.00	
Jan. 1st, 1891.....	25.00	
May 14th, 1891.....	25.00	100.00
Rev. T. C. Hudson, June 5th, 1890.....	50.00	
Jan. 1st, 1891.....	23.08	
May 28th, 1891.....	100.00	173.08
Total.....		\$973.08

Brought forward.....	\$1,180.00	\$497.50
Redwood Falls.....	10.00	
Hon. H. D. Baldwin.....	10.00	
Ernest Aldrich.....	5.00	
Albert Lea.....	5.00	
Rush City S. S.....	5.00	
Wadena.....	5.00	
Willmar.....	10.00	
Montevideo.....	10.00	
Fergus Falls.....	10.00	
St. Vincent S. S.....	5.00	
Rev. Geo. H. Davis.....	20.00	
Rochester.....	15.00	
Basswood Grove.....	3.55	
Point Douglas.....	2.00	
Becker.....	3.00	
Blk River.....	1.45	
	<u>1,300.00</u>	
		\$1,797.50

PAYMENTS DURING THE YEAR.

1890.			
June 9th,	To Bishop Gilbert, (by vote of the Council, for the Special Needs Fund).....	\$ 17.50	
June 5th,	To Archdeacon Appleby.....	82.50	
June 21st,	" ".....	150.00	
July 29th,	" ".....	150.00	
Sept. 1st,	" ".....	150.00	
Sept. 30th,	" ".....	150.00	
Oct. 30th,	" ".....	150.00	
Nov. 29th,	" ".....	150.00	
1891.			
Jan. 1st,	" ".....	150.00	
Jan. 31st,	" ".....	150.00	
Mch. 2d,	" ".....	150.00	
Mch. 31st,	" ".....	150.00	
May 1st,	" ".....	150.00	
		<u>\$1,750.00</u>	

TREASURER'S STATEMENT OF AMOUNTS OF LENTEN AND EASTER OFFERINGS RECEIVED BY HIM AND FORWARDED TO GEORGE BLISS, TREASURER, NEW YORK, SINCE JUNE 4TH, 1890.

1890.			
June	{ Additional Offerings of the year 1889-90, received as per statement.....	\$ 86.98	
and July			
1891.			
March,	{ Offerings of 1890-91, received as per statement.....	576.28	
April			
and May			\$ 663.26
1890.			
June 7th,	Cash remitted to Geo. Bliss, Treasurer.....	\$ 32.80	
June 16th,	" ".....	41.03	
Sept. 2d,	" ".....	13.15	
1891.			
April 1st,	" ".....	38.63	
April 4th,	" ".....	95.95	
April 9th,	" ".....	107.45	
April 11th,	" ".....	17.83	
April 15th,	" ".....	84.89	
May 2d,	" ".....	47.25	
May 15th,	" ".....	121.27	
May 25th,	" ".....	59.98	
June 1st,	Balance to be hereafter remitted.....	3.03	
		<u>\$ 663.26</u>	

STATEMENT OF LENTEN AND EASTER OFFERINGS IN DETAIL.

1890.		
June 4th,	S. Paul's, St. Paul, Rev. J. Wright.....	\$ 32.80
June 10th,	Missionary Meeting, Dioc. Council.....	41.03
July 6th,	Appleton S. S., Rev. M. N. Ray.....	13.15
		<u>\$ 86.98</u>
1891.		
March 30th,	S. Stephen's, St. Paul, Charles Hoppin.....	\$ 16.63
March 31st,	S. Luke's, Hastings, F. E. Batergreen.....	22.00
April 2d,	All Angels' church, Lake Crystal S. S., Miss Annie Judson.....	2.15
3d,	Rochester, Mrs. A. C. Butler.....	26.00
3d,	Willmar, Mrs. S. L. Rice.....	28.32
3d,	Montevideo, Rev. M. N. Ray.....	13.36
3d,	Rushford, H. M. Smith.....	3.73
4th,	Sleepy Eye, R. H. Bingham.....	20.29
4th,	Bden Prairie, Margaret H. Lucas.....	2.10
6th,	Nativity, Wells, John Nye.....	29.70
6th,	S. John's, Red Lake, Rev. F. Willis Jr.....	.39
7th,	S. John Evangelist, St. Paul, A. M. Eddy.....	28.00
8th,	S. James', St. Paul, Miss Dorothy Bryant.....	23.85
8th,	Alexandria, Rev. Mark Jukes.....	2.51
9th,	Tower, Mrs. C. R. Barrett.....	23.00
10th,	Granite Falls, Mrs. H. E. Gore.....	8.61
10th,	Paynesville, Wm. Haines.....	4.22
11th,	Caledonia, Thos. Abbotts.....	5.00
12th,	Kenyon, Rev. C. B. Fosbroke.....	9.00
12th,	Redwood Falls, Rev. S. B. Purves.....	17.59
13th,	Glenwood, Mrs. Fannie Chandler.....	2.85
13th,	Glencoe, Mrs. R. H. McClelland.....	2.44
14th,	Cannon Falls, Miss Katherine Tanner.....	16.66
15th,	Grace, Minneapolis, Mrs. V. F. Weir.....	16.00
15th,	Good Shepherd, St. Paul, Geo. Bell.....	20.35
16th,	Rush City, Mr. John Caldwell.....	3.46
16th,	North Branch, Mr. John Caldwell.....	4.19
16th,	S. James', Goose Creek, Mr. John Caldwell.....	4.10
26th,	Messiah, St. Paul, S. Sayer.....	30.00
30th,	Hassan, Mrs. W. L. Parslow.....	2.50
30th,	Rush City, North Branch and Alexandria.....	3.00
May 4th,	Skyberg, Rev. C. B. Fosbroke.....	2.25
7th,	Little Falls, (Indian) Rev. A. A. Joss.....	.30
7th,	Little Falls, (Glencoe) Rev. A. A. Joss.....	11.70
12th,	S. Mary's, St. Paul, H. M. Hood.....	26.90
14th,	S. Paul's, Duluth, Rev. Wm. M. Barker.....	80.12
20th,	Belle Creek, Rev. C. B. Fosbroke.....	10.10
22d,	White Bear, Geo. H. Stachle.....	6.08
25th,	S. Paul's, Minneapolis, A. G. Dunlap.....	43.80
26th,	Tower, D. H. Bacon.....	3.03
		<u>\$576.28</u>
		<u>\$663.26</u>

**TREASURER'S STATEMENT OF AMOUNTS RECEIVED FOR CHURCH
HOSPITALS, SINCE JUNE 4TH, 1890.**

1890.	Balance from last Account		\$ 2.70
June 5th,	Received from Benson.....	\$ 2.70	
1891.			
Jan. 20th,	Received from S. Mary's, St. Paul.....	5.18	
May 29th,	Received from Christ church, Red Wing.....	12.42	
			<u>\$ 20.30</u>
			\$ 23.00
1890.			
June 16th,	Paid Mrs. S. B. Meader.....	\$ 5.40	
1891.			
Jan. 20th,	Paid Mrs. S. B. Meader.....	5.18	
June 1st,	Balance on hand to be paid out as may be directed by the Bishop.....	12.42	
			<u>\$ 23.00</u>

**TREASURER'S STATEMENT OF AMOUNTS RECEIVED FOR SEABURY
HALL, SINCE JUNE 4TH, 1890.**

1891.			
April 2d,	S. John's, Lake Benton.....	\$ 1.00	
3d,	Emmanuel, Rushford.....	3.81	
4th,	Brown's Valley	2.00	
			<u>\$ 6.81</u>
April 4th,	Paid Stephen Jewett, Treasurer.....	\$ 2.00	
4th,	" "	3.81	
25th,	" "	1.00	
			<u>\$ 6.81</u>

APPENDIX D.

ST. PAUL, MINN., May 30th, 1891.

*The Board of Trustees of the Minnesota Church Foundation, In Account with
WILLIAM DAWSON, Treasurer.*

GENERAL FUND.

1891.	CREDITS.		
May 22d,	By cash on Certificate of Deposit.....	\$ 895 50	
			\$895 50
1891.	DEBITS.		
May 22d,	To re-investment of above certificate in Certificate of Deposit of Bank of Minnesota, of St. Paul, order of William Dawson, Treasurer.....	\$ 895 50	
			\$895 50

CASH ASSETS BELONGING TO GENERAL FUND.

Certificate of Deposit of May 22d, 1891.....	\$ 895 50	
Cash balance due from "Endowment Fund" to General Fund, as per annual account of May 30, 1891	3,414 45	
		<u>\$4,309 95</u>

INCOME OF GENERAL FUND.

1890.	RENTALS FROM GROUND LEASES.		
Nov. 1st,	Cash from H. Officer belonging to General Fund.....	\$ 149 43	
1891.			
May 30th,	E. N. Saunders, Lots 11 and 12, Park Place, January 1, 1891, to July 1, 1891.....	180 00	
May 30th,	John Espy, Lot 16, Park Place, January 1, 1891, to July 1, 1891.....	110 70	
May 30th,	E. Ingham, lots 19 and 20, Park Place, January 1, 1891, to July 1, 1891.....	60 00	
			<u>\$500 13</u>

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RENTS FROM RICE STREET STORES.

May 30th,	No. 272 Rice street, John Dee, November 1, 1890, to March 31, 1891, @ \$40.....	\$ 200 00	
	No. 272 Rice street, John Dee, month of April re- duced to.....	\$30 00	
	On account, rent for May.....	20 00	
		50 00	
May 30th,	No. 274 Rice Street, Thos. Ryan, November 1, 1890, to May 31, 1891, @ \$20.....	140 00	
			\$390 00

RENTS OF DWELLINGS.

May 30th,	No. 54 Park Place, E. B. Lemon, November 1, 1890, to March 31, 1891, @ \$30.....	\$ 150 00	
	(Vacant April 1st to April 30th.) Mrs. S. S. Stout, month of May, \$30.....	30 00	
May 30th,	No. 56 Park Place, Robt. H. Dunbar, November 1, 1890, to May 31, 1891, @ \$30.....	210 00	
May 30th,	No. 58 Park Place, (Vacant, November 1, 1890, to February 15th, 1891.) W. M. Pye, February 15th, 1891, to May 31, 1891, @ \$25.....	87 50	
May 30th,	No. 92 Park Place, Mrs. M. Otis, November 1, 1890, to April 30, 1891, @ \$35.....	230 00	
	On account of rent for May, @ \$35. per month.....	20 00	
May 30th,	No. 94 Park Place, H. F. Whitham, November 1, 1890, to May 31, 1891, @ \$35.....	245 00	
			\$952.50

INTEREST ON CERTIFICATES OF DEPOSIT.

Interest on Certificate of Deposit of November 22d, 1890, for \$895.50	17 90	
Interest on Certificate of Deposit of May 22d, 1891, for \$895.50.....	17 90	
		35 80
		\$1,878 43

DISBURSEMENTS OF INCOME OF GENERAL FUND.

1891.

REPAIRS.

Feb'y 5th,	Paid Prendergast Bros., repairs to No. 94 Park Place	\$ 2 55	
Mch. 9th,	Paid Adam Decker & Co., repairs to No. 58 Park Place	4 55	
May 12th,	Paid Miles & Hale, repairs to No. 54 Park Place..	3 00	
May 18th,	Paid E. A. Fitzgerald, repairs to No. 54 Park Place.	15 30	
May 15th,	Paid St. Paul Roofing Co., repairs to No. 270 and 272 Rice street	14 60	
May 27th,	Paid Andrew Twomey, repairs to Nos. 92, 94, 54 and 56 Park Place.....	63 67	
May 28th,	Paid Bazille & Partridge, repairs to Nos. 54, 56, 92 and 94 Park Place, and 270 Rice street.....	184 92	
May 29th,	Paid George Dempsey, repairs to Nos. 54, 58 and 92 Park Place	10 75	
			\$299 34

1891.

TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.

Feb. 27th,	Paid City Treasurer, Assessment, paving, lots 24 and 25, Park Place.....	\$ 240 00	
Mch. 28th,	Paid City Treasurer, sprinkling assessments for 1890.....	10 98	
May 20th,	Paid County Treasurer, Ramsey County, real estate taxes for 1890.....	645 20	
			\$896 18

1891.

INSURANCE.

May 29th,	St. Paul Fire & Marine Ins. Co., Rice st. stores.....	\$ 40 00	
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1891.		EXPENSE ACCOUNT.	
Feb. 12th,	Paid Capital Loan Co., commission for renting House, No. 58 Park Place.....	\$	5 00
Mch. 6th,	Paid Water rates, Nos. 54, 56, 92 and 94 Park Place, and 270 and 274 Rice street.....		30 63
May 8th,	Paid St. Paul Chimney Sweep Co., cleaning Chimney, No. 92 Park Place.....		2 90
May 16th,	Paid Jas. H. Casey, hauling Ashes, No. 54 Park Place.....		1 00
			<u>\$39 53</u>
1890.		NET INCOME PAID E. H. HOLBROOK, JR., TREASURER.	
Dec. 12th,	Paid on account.....	\$	300 00
1891.			
May 21st,	Paid on account.....		150 00
June 2d,	Paid balance net income to May 31, 1891.....		153 38
			<u>603 38</u>
			<u>\$1,878 43</u>

INCOME OF ENDOWMENT FUND.

1890.			
Nov. 1st,	Cash from H. Officer, belonging to Endowment Fund.....	\$	58 16
1891.		RENTS FROM SUMMIT AVENUE BLOCK.	
May 30th,	No. 80 Summit ave., Thos. W. Smith, Nov. 1, 1890, to January 31, 1891, @ \$25.....	\$	75 00
		Months of February and March cannot collect. (Vacant from April 1, 1891.)	
		No. 82 Summit ave., Wm. H. Phinney, Nov. 1, 1890, to March 31, 1891, @ \$30.....	150 00
		(Phinney owes for month of April.) (Vacant from May 1, 1891.)	
		No. 82½ Summit Ave., Mrs. S. S. Stout, Nov. 1, 1890, to April 30, 1891, @ \$25.....	150 00
		E. A. Reed, rent for May, @ \$25.....	25 00
		No. 84 Summit ave., Chas. H. Cooper, Nov. 20, to Dec. 1, @ \$30.....	10 00
		Dec. 1, 1890, to April 30, 1891, @ \$30.....	150 00
		(Cooper owes for month of May.)	
		No. 84½ Summit ave., Horace Dunn, Nov. 1, 1890, to April 30, 1891, @ \$25.....	150 00
		(Dunn owes for month of May.)	
		No. 86 Summit ave., Mrs. E. C. Tozer, Nov. 5, 1890, to May 5, 1891, @ \$30.....	210 00
			<u>\$978 16</u>

DISBURSEMENTS OF INCOME OF ENDOWMENT FUND.

1891.		REPAIRS.	
Jan. 2d,	Paid J. P. Adamson, repairs to Boiler at No. 84 Summit ave.....	\$	1 50
May 27th,	Paid Andrew Twomey, repairs to No. 82½ Summit avenue.....		5 70
May 28th,	Paid Bazille & Partridge, repairs to No. 82½ and 84½ Summit ave.....		33 43
May 29th,	Paid George Dempsey, repairs to 82, 84 and 84½ Summit avenue.....		10 05
			<u>\$50 68</u>
		TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.	
Mch. 28th,	Paid City Treasurer, sprinkling assessment for 1890.....	\$	4 57
May 20th,	Paid County Treasurer, Ramsey County, real estate taxes for 1890.....		305 30
			<u>\$309 87</u>

CHURCH FOUNDATION.

EXPENSE ACCOUNT.

Feb. 27th,	Paid John D. O'Brien, Attorney, for collecting rent for months of November, December and January, from Thos. W. Smith.....	\$ 20 00	
Mch. 6th,	Paid water rates at 80½, 82, 82½ 84, 84½ and 86 Summit avenue.....	22 80	
			42 80
			<u>\$403 35</u>
1890.	NET INCOME PAID E. H. HOLBROOK, JR., TREASURER.		
Dec. 12th,	Paid on account.....	\$ 297 59	
1891.			
May 27th,	Paid on account.....	100 00	
June 2d,	Paid balance net income to May 31, 1891.....	177 22	
			574 81
			<u>\$978 16</u>

RECAPITULATION.

Net income of General Fund paid E. H. Holbrook, Jr., Treasurer, etc., for year ending May 31, 1891.....	\$ 603 38
Net income of Endowment Fund paid E. H. Holbrook, Jr	574 81
	<u>\$1,178 19</u>

WM. DAWSON, Treasurer.

NOTE.

	1889-90.	1890-91.	
Income.....	4,968.13	4,454.70	Decrease.....513.43
Disbursements.....	1,763.75	2,253.99	Increase.....490.24
Net Income.....	\$3,204.38	\$2,200.71	Net Decrease.....\$1,003.67

APPENDIX E.

REPORT OF THE MINNESOTA BRANCH OF THE WOMAN'S
AUXILIARY TO THE BOARD OF MISSIONS.

FROM SEPTEMBER 30TH, 1890, TO JUNE 1ST, 1891.

Alexandria. EMMANUEL CHURCH.

Box, Sheltering Arms.....	\$ 26.00	
Cash towards stipend.....	25.00	
		\$ 51.00

Duluth. S. PAUL'S CHURCH.

Box	150.00	
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Faribault. CATHEDRAL OF OUR MERCIFUL SAVIOUR.

Cash, Mite Boxes.....	21.63	
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S. MARY'S HALL, Darlington Missionary Society.

Box and Barrel, South Dakota.....	\$ 35.85	
Freight on Box	3.60	
Framing Photo. for S. Mary's Hall.....	6.00	
Postage.....	2.00	
Cornelia Whipple Scholarship, China	40.00	
Cash, Diocesan Missions.....	50.00	
Cash, Sunday School Library, Mission.....	20.00	
		\$ 157.45

Glenwood. S. PAUL'S CHURCH.

Cash, Mite Boxes.....	\$ 4.65	
Box	7.16	
Enrollment Fund	2.10	
Cash towards Minister's stipend.....	50.00	
Cash towards debt on Church lot	57.00	
		\$ 120.91

Hastings. S. LUKE'S CHURCH.

Cash, Mite Boxes.....	\$ 10.00	
Box	54.35	
Cash.....	7.00	
		\$ 71.35

Janesville. S. JOHN'S CHURCH.

Cash, Mite Boxes.....	7.10	
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<i>Mentor.</i> CHURCH OF THE BELOVED PHYSICIAN.	
Cash, Mite Boxes.....	2.00
<i>Minneapolis.</i> GETHSEMANE CHURCH.	
Cash, Mite Boxes.....	\$ 105.00
Box	165.60
2 Barrels for Indian School, Leech Lake	50.00
	<u>\$ 320.60</u>
GRACE CHURCH.	
Cash, Mite Boxes	3.00
HOLY TRINITY CHURCH.	
Cash, Mite Boxes.....	\$ 29.00
Fuel, Food and Clothing for Missions.....	150.00
	<u>\$ 179.00</u>
S. MARK'S CHURCH.	
Cash, Mite Boxes.....	\$ 94.11
Box	3.00
Box	378.25
Barrel to Indian Schools.....	83.55
Overcoat	10.00
Box, Miss Burgwin's School.....	50.00
Material for Bazaar in Mission	3.00
	<u>\$ 621.91</u>
S. ANDREW'S CHURCH.	
Cash, Mite Boxes.....	3.00
S. PAUL'S CHURCH.	
Cash, Mite Boxes.....	\$ 40.00
Box	200.00
	<u>\$ 240.00</u>
<i>Merriam Park.</i> S. MARY'S CHURCH.	
2 Comfortables.....	4.50
<i>Moorhead.</i> S. JOHN'S CHURCH.	
Box, Leech Lake	15.00
<i>Red Wing.</i> CHRIST CHURCH.	
Cash, Mite Boxes.....	\$ 19.61
Box	60.00
	<u>\$ 79.61</u>
<i>Sauk Centre.</i> CHURCH OF THE GOOD SAMARITAN.	
Cash, Mite Boxes.....	18.19
<i>Stillwater.</i> ASCENSION CHURCH.	
Cash, Mite Boxes.....	\$ 8.66
Barrel, Miss Burgwin's school, Va	75.00
	<u>\$ 83.66</u>
<i>St. Cloud.</i> S. JOHN'S CHURCH.	
Cash, Mite Boxes.....	2.59
<i>St. Paul.</i> CHRIST CHURCH.	
Cash, Mite Boxes.....	\$ 30.00
Box	50.00
Clothing, etc. for Missionaries.....	150.00
Box to Indian school	125.00
	<u>\$ 355.00</u>

St. Paul CHURCH OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD.

Cash, Mite Boxes.....	6.57
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S. JOHN THE EVANGELIST.

Cash, Mite Boxes.....	\$ 55.57
Box	276.03
Box to Leech Lake.....	35.00
Box	25.00
Box	38.94
Indian Box	10.00
Mission	5.00
Relief Rooms.....	2.65
Box	5.50
Box	7.50
Box	47.72
Diocesan Missions.....	20.00
Enrollment Fund.....	10.00
Expressage.....	2.00
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	\$ 540.91

S. PAUL'S CHURCH.

Cash, Mite Boxes.....	\$ 30.01
Box	350.00
Box to Indians.....	75.00
Set Altar Cloths to Bishop Graves.....	15.00
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	\$ 470.01

S. PETER'S CHURCH.

Cash, Mite Boxes.....	7.45
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Wells. CHURCH OF THE NATIVITY.

Cash, Mite Boxes.....	\$ 21.53
Box	24.65
Dakota Sufferers	59.30
Mission work in Parish.....	5.00
Church furnishings.....	23.00
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	\$ 133.48

Winona. S. PAUL'S CHURCH.

Cash, Mite Boxes.....	20.75
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Cash unaccounted for, Mite Boxes.....	2.71
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Total Cash received and work done.....	\$ 3689.38
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DIVIDED AS FOLLOWS:

Boxes, etc.....	\$2851.55
Cash.....	837.83
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	\$ 3689.38

CLASSIFIED AS FOLLOWS:

Foreign Missions.....	\$ 172.30
Domestic Missions.....	607.17
Diocesan Missions.....	2896.81
Enrollment Fund.....	13.10
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	\$ 3689.38

Several Parishes are known to have done good, faithful work, reports of which have not reached the Secretary at this date; this report is therefore incomplete and does not represent the grand total of all work done in the Diocese coming properly under this head.

RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS AT ANNUAL MEETING.

SEPTEMBER 30TH, 1890.

To amount of offertory at Annual meeting.....	\$ 56.77	
To total receipts from Mite Boxes.....	543.13	
		\$ 599.90
By annual offertory sent Miss Emery to furnish Aux- iliary Rooms, Bible House.....	\$ 56.77	
Bishop Whipple Scholarship, Wuchang, China.....	40.00	
Bishop Gilbert Scholarship, Wuchang, China.....	40.00	
By Miss Paige's salary, Japan.....	52.30	
By Miss Burgwin's salary, Aspinwall, Va.....	66.49	
By salaries of Teachers, colored schools.....	65.82	
By S. Cornelia Chapel, Birch Cooley, in memory of Mrs. H. B. Whipple.....	100.00	
By Rev. T. C. Hudson.....	100.00	
By Rev. J. A. Gillfillan, Indian work.....	21.56	
By Miss Willis' salary, Red Lake Agency.....	50.00	
By Miss Emery for Missions, Balance.....	6.96	
		\$ 599.90

ENROLLMENT FUND.

To total amount received.....	\$ 13.10	
		\$ 13.10
By Draft sent George Bliss, Esq., Treasurer.....	\$ 13.10	
		\$ 13.10

INCIDENTAL AND EXPENSE ACCOUNT.

To total amount received on expense account.....	\$ 14.13	
		\$ 14.13
By Expenses, Postage, etc., to date.....	\$ 4.50	
By Cash balance on hand.....	9.63	
		\$ 14.13

Respectfully Submitted,

CORNELIA BAXTER,

Dated June 1st, 1891.

Sec'y-Treas.

APPENDIX F.

REPORTS OF THE DEANS.

SOUTHERN CONVOCATION.

My Dear Bishop.—Twice during the convention year have the Clergy been called to assemble for conference. At Northfield, last December, they met under the presidency of the Rev. Wm. Gardam, of the Cathedral Parish, who during my ill health at your request acted in the capacity of Vice Dean.

At St. Peter, in May just past, a most delightful and edifying meeting was held.

The Parish Clergy and Missionaries should make a greater effort to attend Convocation; they need such a time of refreshing, and their work would show the benefit of the recreation and contact with other minds.

I regret to say that the District Presbyter system has not worked to much advantage. Some of the brethren have never so much as recognized the appointment, while others have persistently refused to make reports. Two reports were sent in prior to each of the above mentioned meetings. Evidently the system or the men appointed under it stand sadly in need of revision.

My poor health during the entire year has prevented me from holding services in any of the Missions or visiting any of our Missionaries, although I have received many kind invitations to go among them.

Most truly yours,

EDWARD C. BILL,
Dean.

CENTRAL CONVOCATION.

MINNEAPOLIS, May 27, 1891.

Dear Bishop.—Owing to my sickness at the time of the October and May meetings, I am not able to present as gratifying a report as I had hoped. There is reason to believe that the Missionary work of the Deanery has been faithfully and successfully carried on by the District Presbyters in their

respective sections, but owing more to my own fault than theirs, I am not in possession of complete statistics.

On October 21st, 22d and 23d, fourteen of the Clergy met in S. Peter's church, Shakopee. The opening sermon was preached by the Rev. Dr. Wright, who also presided during the session.

On January 26th, 27th and 28th, a meeting was held in Holy Trinity church, Minneapolis, when thirty of the Clergy were present, including the Assistant Bishop. The papers and addresses were of unusual interest, and those who were present at the closing meeting can scarcely forget the wonderfully inspired address of our dear brother, the Rev. J. B. Halsey.

On May 11th, the Rev. J. J. Faudé presided at a session of the Convocation held in S. Mary's church, Merriam Park: thirteen Clergy present.

Applications have already been received from three rural Parishes of the Deanery asking for a meeting of the Convocation during the coming year.

Respectfully yours,

A. J. GRAHAM,
Dean.

NORTHERN CONVOCATION.

BRainerd, June, 1891.

RT. REV. M. N. GILBERT, D.D.,

Dear Bishop.—Since my appointment to the Deanship of the Northern Convocation, made vacant by the resignation of the Rev. C. A. Cummings, but one meeting of the Convocation has been held, and that at Fergus Falls. Most of the Clergy of the Convocation attended, and the gathering was an interesting one.

I have also to report that I have held services at Aitkin, where we have quite a number of Communicants, and have responded to calls for special Ministerial services at Staples and other points.

Very truly yours,

G. H. DAVIS,
Dean.

CLERICAL REPORTS.

FARIBAULT, May 22, 1891.

My Dear Bishop.—Herewith I hand you my report as Dean of the Southern Convocation.

Personally I have but little to chronicle. During the entire year my health has been so poor that I have been able to do but little in the way of public service or preaching.

I have discharged my duties as Professor of Liturgics in Seabury Divinity School.

My private register records seventy-four services in which I have taken part, twelve celebrations conducted by myself, and ten sermons and addresses.

Most truly yours,

EDW. C. BILL.

FARIBAULT, June 3, 1891.

THE RT. REV. M. N. GILBERT, D.D.

I have to report that since the last Council I have been occupied with my usual Professorial duties, except four during the months spent in Florida, during which I was busy with literary work, and also held service and preached on Sundays at Maitland, Florida.

Respectfully,

J. STEINFORT KEDNEY.

FARIBAULT, June 3, 1891.

RT. REV. M. N. GILBERT, D.D.

Dear Sir.—I desire to report that during the last Diocesan year I have, as far as health would permit, discharged my duties as Professor in Seabury Divinity School.

Respectfully, etc.,

E. S. WILSON.

FARIBAUT, May 23, 1891.

THE RT. REV. M. N. GILBERT, D.D.

Rt. Rev. and Dear Sir.—I have the honor to report to you the fulfillment of my duties, during the current year, as Professor of Ethics and Apologetics in the Seabury Divinity School.

Faithfully yours,

J. MACBRIDE STERRETT.

FARIBAUT, June 3, 1891.

THE RT. REV. M. N. GILBERT, D.D.

My Dear Bishop.—I have the honor to report that during the past year I have been engaged in the discharge of my duties as Professor of Ecclesiastical History and as Acting Warden at Seabury. I have occasionally, when possible, officiated in Missions and Parishes in the Diocese, when I could be of assistance to the Clergy.

Faithfully yours,

CHARLES L. WELLS.

FARIBAUT, May 14, 1891.

THE RT. REV. M. N. GILBERT, D.D.

Rt. Rev. and Dear Sir.—I have the honor to report that during the past year I have been employed in the discharge of the duties assigned me as Instructor in History and the Sciences at the Divinity School. I have also, since Jan. 1st, conducted the Junior Divinity Class in O. T. History.

In addition I have officiated or assisted at Divine service sixteen times and preached ten sermons.

Respectfully,

C. A. SHERMAN.

THE RT. REV. M. N. GILBERT, D.D.,

Assistant Bishop of the Diocese of Minnesota.

During the Council year ending May 31st, 1891, I have been engaged at Shattuck School. In addition to my school work and my duties as Chaplain, I have held services at Dundas, as reported elsewhere; also at Waterville, Watouna, Janesville, Mantorville, Lake City, Redwood Falls, Beaver Falls, and at the Indian Mission, Birch Coolie. I have baptized three children, officiated at three funerals, solemnized three marriages, and administered the Holy Communion in public fourteen times, in private once.

GEO. C. TANNER,

Chaplain of Shattuck School.

ST. PAUL, June 2, 1891.

THE RT. REV. M. N. GILBERT, D.D.

Rt. Rev. and Dear Sir.—I most respectfully report as follows:

With your consent I first held my services every Sunday afternoon in the Church of the Good Shepherd (Rev. W. C. Pope); but those who attended ~~these~~ services preferred to have evening service, and the Rector and vestry

of S. John the Evangelist (Rev. J. H. White) were kind enough to offer me their Church for this purpose.

Now, however, it has become necessary to have regular forenoon service and Sunday school; and therefore, after having asked your consent to do so, I rented a very suitable store at the corner of Mackubin and Martin sts., for which the adherers of my services will pay the rent, and which at present we are changing into a Chapel. This Chapel I would like to name, with the consent of my Bishop, "The German Chapel of Saint Bonifacius."

The Reverend Pope has presented us with an altar, altar cloth and flower vases.

The Reverend A. Strong, when in St. Paul, assisted me several times and also celebrated the Holy Eucharist, because I am still in the Diaconate.

The Reverend J. J. Faudé, Rector of Gethsemane church, Minneapolis, celebrated the Holy Communion on Whitsunday.

I am greatly indebted to the Clergy of St. Paul and Minneapolis, who received me with great confidence and brotherly sympathy.

I also owe much of my success to the Reverend Faudé, for his valuable assistance and wise counsel.

The Holy Eucharist was twice celebrated, and fifty-one communicated. I had three baptisms and three burials, and lost one member by death. I held twenty-five services on Sundays and two on other days.

Received Communion alms and donations to the amount of \$29.19, which were used for Church purposes. My salary was \$500 per year, out of which I pay the house rent for self and family.

The Ladies' Auxiliary of S. Paul's church, Duluth (Rev. W. Barker), sent me a most valuable Christmas box.

I am, my dear Bishop,

Your obedient servant,

JOHANNES SALINGER.

HASTINGS, June 1, 1891.

RT. REV. M. N. GILBERT, D. D.

Rt. Rev. Sir.—During the past year I have, for the most part, attended public worship in S. Luke's church, Hastings. I have performed no official duties, except assisting the Rector of S. Luke's as occasion required.

Yours truly,

JOHN WILLIAMSON.

June 4, 1891.

THE RT. REV. M. N. GILBERT, D. D.

My Dear Bishop.—After the last Council finished, I went back to my Mission at Wild Rice River for five months. During that time I held nineteen services in the Church.

Since Nov. 1st I have taken charge of St. Columba church, White Earth. I held thirty-three services in the Church, besides baptizing two, marrying one and burying six.

We had pretty good congregations every Sunday. Mrs. Witherell, who has charge of the lace workers on this Reservation, played the organ for us in the Church. She is always willing to help in our work. The Indian women liked her very much; they call her Minnoeque, which means a good woman.

Very sincerely yours,

CHARLES T. WRIGHT.

Indian name, "Nahshotah."

LAY READERS' REPORTS.

MINNEAPOLIS, May 25, 1891.

RT. REV. M. N. GILBERT, D.D.

Rt. Rev. Sir.—I beg to report to you that during the last Council year I have held sixty-one Church services. They were held at Grace church, Holy Trinity, S. Matthew's Mission, S. Andrew's, Minneapolis; also assisted in services at S. Paul's, Minneapolis, at Excelsior and Fridley Park.

I held the services at Glencoe, as you requested me to do, from October, 1890, to Easter, 1891, I hope without any detriment to our Holy Church and Faith.

Your servant in Christ,

ANDREW H. ADAMS.

Lay Reader S. Paul's, Minneapolis, Minn.



PAROCHIAL REPORTS.

ALEXANDRIA. *Population 2,500. Douglas County.* Rev. MARK JUKES, Rector until June 1st, 1891. Mr. WILLIAM SPALDING, Treasurer. Value Church building, \$2,900; Rectory, \$2,500; total, \$5,400.

Families.....	22	Public services:	
Individuals.....	92	Sundays 52, other days 15.....	67
Baptisms (Inf.).....	20	Marriages.....	3
Confirmations.....	3	Burials.....	6
Confirmed persons last report.....	30	Sunday School:	
Present number Confirmed.....	25	Teachers.....	6
Communicating during year.....	25	Scholars.....	48 54
Holy Communion administered.....	15	Library Books.....	270

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

Receipts.

Parish Aid Society \$79.00

Expenditures.

Parochial:		
Rector's salary.....	\$300.00	
Diocesan:		
Council Fund.....	\$2.00	
Bishop's salary.....	3.00	
Diocesan Missions.....	5.00	
Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund.....	1.00	
Sheltering Arms (box).....	25.00	
Bishop Gilbert's Fund.....	9.50	\$45.50
Extra Diocesan:		
Miscellaneous.....	\$2.51	\$348.01

APPLETON. *Population 1,200. Swift County.* GETHSEMANE CHURCH. The Rev. W. H. H. ROSS, Rector. Mr. A. D. COUNTRYMAN, Mr. C. W. STANTON, Wardens. Mr. A. D. COUNTRYMAN, Treasurer, Clerk Vestry and S. S. Supt. Rector's salary, \$480. Pews free. Sitzings, 125. Value Church building, \$1,500; Rectory and lots, \$1,700; total, \$3,200.

Families.....	29	Holy Communion administered:	
Individuals.....	100	Public.....	1
Baptisms (Inf.).....	10	Public services:	
Confirmations (F.).....	4	Sundays 48, other days 24.....	72
Confirmed persons last report.....	27	Marriages.....	1
Added by Confirmation.....	4	Burials.....	1
Added by Transfer.....	3	Sunday School:	
Lost.....	2	Teachers (F.).....	5
Present number:		Officers (M.).....	2
Male 6, Female 26.....	32	Scholars (M. 15, F. 30).....	45
Communicants:		Catechisings.....	7
Male 6, Female 26.....	32	Library Books.....	75
Communicating during year:			
Male 4, Female 30.....	34		

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

Receipts.

Communion Alms.....	\$ 14.00	
Subscriptions.....	400.00	
Offerings.....	95.50	
Parish Societies.....	1.70	
Sunday School.....	35.75	
Rents.....	60.00	\$719.55

Expenditures.

Parochial:		
Current expenses.....	\$ 53.80	
Rector's salary.....	480.00	
Sunday School.....	15.75	\$549.55
Diocesan:		
Council Fund.....	\$ 1.50	
Bishop's salary.....	4.00	
Diocesan Missionary Board Fund.....	6.00	
Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund.....	7.25	\$18.75
Extra Diocesan:		
Domestic Missions.....	\$ 3.25	
S. S. Offering, F. and D. Missions.....	20.00	\$23.25
		\$761.55

ASHLEY. *Stearns County.* S. JOHN'S CHURCH. The Rev. J. F. HAMILTON, in charge. (P. O. Sauk Centre,) Mr. JAMES SWIFT, S. S. Supt. Seats free. Sittings, 70. Value Church building, \$600.

Families.....	11	Public services (Sundays).....	23
Individuals.....	67	Burials.....	2
Baptisms (Inf.).....	10	Sunday School:	
Present No. Confirmed persons:		Teachers (M. 1, F. 2).....	3
M. 5, F. 5.....	10	Scholars (M. 11, F. 14).....	25
Holy Communion administered:			28
Public.....	1		

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

Receipts.

Offerings.....	\$54.48
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RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

The Church was opened for services on Nov. 23d, 1890, and the financial report is for the Council year beginning at this date. The amount collected and reported for the building of the Church is not included in this report. No formal statement has been made to me, but the building cost about \$600, of which about \$150 remains to be paid.

Insurance to the amount of \$400 has been placed on the building, and \$50 on the contents.

Very faithfully,

J. F. HAMILTON.

ATWATER. *Population 500. Kandiyohi County.* The Rev. A. G. PINKHAM, in charge (P. O. Litchfield).

Families.....	8	Present number (F.).....	5
Individuals.....	30	Communicating during year.....	8
Confirmed persons last report.....	6	Holy Communion administered:	
Added.....	2	Public.....	3
Lost.....	3	Public services (Sundays).....	23

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.**Receipts.**

Communion Alms.....	\$ 5.65	
Offerings.....	43.35	
Parish Aid Societies.....	50.20	\$99.20

Expenditures.

Current expenses.....	\$49.00	
Rector's salary.....	26.20	
Church rent.....	14.00	
Organist.....	10.00	\$99.20

AUSTIN. *Population 4,500. Mower County.* CHRIST CHURCH. The Rev. W. McVETTIE, Rector. Prof. E. F. FITCH, Mr. JOHN HOLDEN, Wardens. Mr. HARRY MORGAN, Treasurer. THE RECTOR, S. S. Supt. Rector's salary, \$600. Pews free. Sittings, 200. Value Church building, \$1,500; Rectory and lots, \$1,100; total, \$2,600.

Families.....	53	Communicating during year.....	74
Individuals.....	130	Holy Communion administered:	
Baptisms:		Pub. 21, Priv. 4.....	25
Inf. 12, Ad. 9.....	21	Public services:	
Confirmations:		Sundays 105, other days 52.....	157
M. 6, F. 15.....	21	Marriages.....	7
Confirmed persons last report.....	73	Burials.....	5
Added by Confirmation.....	21	Sunday School:	
Lost.....	10	Teachers (M. 2, F. 5).....	7
Present number.....	84	Officers (M. 1, F. 2).....	3
Communicants:		Scholars (M. 20, F. 44).....	64
M. 16, F. 63.....	79	Catechisings.....	45

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.**Receipts.**

Balance from last report.....	\$118.77	
Subscriptions.....	332.05	
Donations.....	70.00	
Offerings.....	168.80	
Parish Societies.....	104.88	
S. S. Offerings.....	29.34	\$823.84

Expenditures.

Parochial:			
Current expenses.....	\$ 75.62		
Repairs.....	100.00		
Rector's salary.....	509.78		
Sunday School.....	20.00		
Other expenses.....	13.45	\$718.85	
Diocesan:			
Council Fund.....	\$ 5.00		
Diocesan Missions.....	15.00		
Bishop's salary.....	10.00		
Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund.....	4.00		
Bishop Gilbert's Fund.....	11.00	\$45.00	
Extra Diocesan:			
Domestic Missions.....	\$ 6.50		
Foreign Missions.....	2.60		
American Church Building Fund.....	1.50	\$10.60	\$823.84

BASSWOOD GROVE *Madroño* *Quercus* S. Mary's Campus

THE RAIL, (see W. Freeman, *Freemasonry*) (P.O. 1922, S. E. Fourth St., Minneapolis). Mr. Jack Warner (P. O. Hastings), Mr. Elmer Gustafson (P. O. Cottage Grove, Sweden), Mr. O. B. Gustafson (P. O. Cottage Grove, Tennessee), Mr. Henry Gustafson, Chief Clerk, Mr. W. H. Hermannson, S. E. Sign., Mr. D. B. Gustafson, Lay Member, *Secrets and Mysteries of the Free-Mas. Order*, Vol. 1 (Chicago, 1900).

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

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Salaries	\$ 6.00
Indemnities	294.00
Travel and Incidentals	12.96
Utilities	12.00
Total	\$375.00

Discussion

Expenses		
Depreciation	\$ 150.00	
Electricity	100.00	\$ 250.00
Water & Sewer		
Gas		
Telephone		
Postage		
Travel		
Meals & Entertainment		
Gifts		
Charitable Contributions		
Other		
Total Expenses		\$ 250.00

BEAVER FALLS, Berks County, Missouri. The Rev. S. B. Foxcroft is selling: (1) O. Richmond Park. Church property valued at \$2,240.00. Minimum bid. \$100.00. (2) Church property, lots \$10.00.

Family	Communicating during year:
1960-1961	11. 3. 7. 10
1961-1962	10. 1. 10. 11. 12. 13. 14. 15. 16. 17. 18. 19. 20. 21. 22. 23. 24. 25. 26. 27. 28. 29. 30. 31. 32. 33. 34. 35. 36. 37. 38. 39. 40. 41. 42. 43. 44. 45. 46. 47. 48. 49. 50. 51. 52. 53. 54. 55. 56. 57. 58. 59. 60. 61. 62. 63. 64. 65. 66. 67. 68. 69. 70. 71. 72. 73. 74. 75. 76. 77. 78. 79. 80. 81. 82. 83. 84. 85. 86. 87. 88. 89. 90. 91. 92. 93. 94. 95. 96. 97. 98. 99. 100. 101. 102. 103. 104. 105. 106. 107. 108. 109. 110. 111. 112. 113. 114. 115. 116. 117. 118. 119. 120. 121. 122. 123. 124. 125. 126. 127. 128. 129. 130. 131. 132. 133. 134. 135. 136. 137. 138. 139. 140. 141. 142. 143. 144. 145. 146. 147. 148. 149. 150. 151. 152. 153. 154. 155. 156. 157. 158. 159. 160. 161. 162. 163. 164. 165. 166. 167. 168. 169. 170. 171. 172. 173. 174. 175. 176. 177. 178. 179. 180. 181. 182. 183. 184. 185. 186. 187. 188. 189. 190. 191. 192. 193. 194. 195. 196. 197. 198. 199. 200. 201. 202. 203. 204. 205. 206. 207. 208. 209. 210. 211. 212. 213. 214. 215. 216. 217. 218. 219. 220. 221. 222. 223. 224. 225. 226. 227. 228. 229. 230. 231. 232. 233. 234. 235. 236. 237. 238. 239. 240. 241. 242. 243. 244. 245. 246. 247. 248. 249. 250. 251. 252. 253. 254. 255. 256. 257. 258. 259. 260. 261. 262. 263. 264. 265. 266. 267. 268. 269. 270. 271. 272. 273. 274. 275. 276. 277. 278. 279. 280. 281. 282. 283. 284. 285. 286. 287. 288. 289. 290. 291. 292. 293. 294. 295. 296. 297. 298. 299. 300. 301. 302. 303. 304. 305. 306. 307. 308. 309. 310. 311. 312. 313. 314. 315. 316. 317. 318. 319. 320. 321. 322. 323. 324. 325. 326. 327. 328. 329. 330. 331. 332. 333. 334. 335. 336. 337. 338. 339. 340. 341. 342. 343. 344. 345. 346. 347. 348. 349. 350. 351. 352. 353. 354. 355. 356. 357. 358. 359. 360. 361. 362. 363. 364. 365. 366. 367. 368. 369. 370. 371. 372. 373. 374. 375. 376. 377. 378. 379. 380. 381. 382. 383. 384. 385. 386. 387. 388. 389. 390. 391. 392. 393. 394. 395. 396. 397. 398. 399. 400. 401. 402. 403. 404. 405. 406. 407. 408. 409. 410. 411. 412. 413. 414. 415. 416. 417. 418. 419. 420. 421. 422. 423. 424. 425. 426. 427. 428. 429. 430. 431. 432. 433. 434. 435. 436. 437. 438. 439. 440. 441. 442. 443. 444. 445. 446. 447. 448. 449. 450. 451. 452. 453. 454. 455. 456. 457. 458. 459. 460. 461. 462. 463. 464. 465. 466. 467. 468. 469. 470. 471. 472. 473. 474. 475. 476. 477. 478. 479. 480. 481. 482. 483. 484. 485. 486. 487. 488. 489. 490. 491. 492. 493. 494. 495. 496. 497. 498. 499. 500. 501. 502. 503. 504. 505. 506. 507. 508. 509. 510. 511. 512. 513. 514. 515. 516. 517. 518. 519. 520. 521. 522. 523. 524. 525. 526. 527. 528. 529. 530. 531. 532. 533. 534. 535. 536. 537. 538. 539. 540. 541. 542. 543. 544. 545. 546. 547. 548. 549. 550. 551. 552. 553. 554. 555. 556. 557. 558. 559. 560. 561. 562. 563. 564. 565. 566. 567. 568. 569. 570. 571. 572. 573. 574. 575. 576. 577. 578. 579. 580. 581. 582. 583. 584. 585. 586. 587. 588. 589. 590. 591. 592. 593. 594. 595. 596. 597. 598. 599. 600. 601. 602. 603. 604. 605. 606. 607. 608. 609. 610. 611. 612. 613. 614. 615. 616. 617. 618. 619. 620. 621. 622. 623. 624. 625. 626. 627. 628. 629. 630. 631. 632. 633. 634. 635. 636. 637. 638. 639. 640. 641. 642. 643. 644. 645. 646. 647. 648. 649. 650. 651. 652. 653. 654. 655. 656. 657. 658. 659. 660. 661. 662. 663. 664. 665. 666. 667. 668. 669. 670. 671. 672. 673. 674. 675. 676. 677. 678. 679. 680. 681. 682. 683. 684. 685. 686. 687. 688. 689. 690. 691. 692. 693. 694. 695. 696. 697. 698. 699. 700. 701. 702. 703. 704. 705. 706. 707. 708. 709. 710. 711. 712. 713. 714. 715. 716. 717. 718. 719. 720. 721. 722. 723. 724. 725. 726. 727. 728. 729. 730. 731. 732. 733. 734. 735. 736. 737. 738. 739. 740. 741. 742. 743. 744. 745. 746. 747. 748. 749. 750. 751. 752. 753. 754. 755. 756. 757. 758. 759. 760. 761. 762. 763. 764. 765. 766. 767. 768. 769. 770. 771. 772. 773. 774. 775. 776. 777. 778. 779. 780. 781. 782. 783. 784. 785. 786. 787. 788. 789. 790. 791. 792. 793. 794. 795. 796. 797. 798. 799. 800. 801. 802. 803. 804. 805. 806. 807. 808. 809. 810. 811. 812. 813. 814. 815. 816. 817. 818. 819. 820. 821. 822. 823. 824. 825.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

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Experiments

1. <u>Operating Expenses</u> 2. <u>Depreciation</u> 3. <u>Interest</u> 4. <u>Income Taxes</u> 5. <u>Dividends</u> 6. <u>Other</u> 7. <u>Net Income</u>	\$ 10.04 43.14 14.25 <hr/> 5.57 1.36 <hr/> \$7.93	\$92.07
8. <u>Net Income</u> 9. <u>Dividends</u> 10. <u>Other</u> 11. <u>Net Income</u>	\$ 5.57 1.36 <hr/> \$7.93	\$2.00 \$102.00

There is a new little Church, which will seat about seventy-five, was just dedicated here in the neighborhood. Church interest here is good and increasing.

BECKER. *Population (township), 800. Sherburne County.* TRINITY CHAPEL. The Rev. JNO. W. PROSSER, Priest in charge (P. O. 1922 S. E. Fourth st., Minneapolis.) Mr. S. S. THORN, Mr. EDWARD JOHNSON, Wardens. Mr. ISAAC JOHNSON, Treasurer. Mr. G. W. STEVENS, Clerk Vestry. Mr. S. S. THORN, S. S. Supt. Rector's salary, \$100. Pews free. Sittings, 100. Value Church building and lots, \$1,200.

Families.....	20	Communicating during year:	
Individuals.....	75	M. 13, F. 14.....	27
Baptisms:		Holy Communion administered....	6
Inf. 2, Ad. 4.....	6	Public services:	
Confirmations:		Sundays 19, other days 5.....	24
M. 4, F. 7.....	11	Marriages.....	1
Confirmed Persons last report.....	27	Sunday School:	
Added.....	11	Teachers (M. 3, F. 4).....	7
Present number:		Scholars (M. 35, F. 40).....	75
M. 17, F. 21.....	38	Library Books.....	225

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

Receipts.

Balance.....		\$	7.86
Subscriptions.....			117.75
Offerings.....			38.21
Parish Aid Society.....			8.00
Sunday School.....			29.83
			<u>\$201.65</u>

Expenditures.

Parochial:			
Current expenses.....	\$	9.83	
Rector's salary.....		108.00	
Sunday School.....		23.87	\$141.70
Diocesan:			
Council Fund.....	\$	2.00	
Bishop's salary.....		4.00	
Diocesan Missions.....		5.00	
Aged and Infirm Clergy.....		1.50	
Bishop Gilbert's Fund.....		6.20	\$18.70
Extra Diocesan:			
Domestic and Foreign Missions.....		\$1.83	\$162.23

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

I resigned this charge and my successor held his first service the first Sunday in June.

JNO. W. PROSSER.

BELLE CREEK. *Population 200. Goodhue County.* S. PAUL'S CHURCH. The Rev. CHARLES B. FOSBROKE, in charge (P. O. Kenyon.) Mr. G. W. FULCRUT, Mr. HENRY JAMES, Wardens. Mr. GEO. COOK, S. S. Supt. and Clerk Vestry. Mrs. LOUISA SCHWARZE, Treas. Rector's salary, \$130. Pews free. Sittings, 150. Value Church building and lots, \$1,100.

Families.....	20	Communicating during year.....	43
Individuals.....	94	Holy Communion administered....	2
Baptisms:		Public services:	
Inf. 2, Ad. 2.....	4	Sundays 24, other days 5.....	29
Confirmations:		Marriages.....	1
M. 4, F. 5.....	9	Burials.....	2
Confirmed persons last report.....	58	Sunday School:	
Added by Confirmation.....	9	Teachers (M. 1, F. 2).....	3
Lost.....	20	Officers.....	1
Present number:		Scholars (M. 19, F. 10).....	29
M. 17, F. 21.....	38	Library Books.....	60
Communicants:			
M. 17, F. 21.....	38		

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

Receipts.

Communion Alms.....	\$ 12.35	
Subscriptions.....	101.25	
Donations.....	66.50	
Offerings.....	35.40	
Parish Societies.....	4.55	
Sunday School.....	32.14	
Sale of two lots in country.....	10.00	\$262.19

Expenditures.

Parochial:		
Rector's salary.....	\$104.50	
Sunday School.....	21.00	
Chancel improvement.....	6.75	\$132.25
Diocesan:		
Council Fund.....	\$ 3.00	
Bishop's salary.....	9.00	
Diocesan Missions.....	12.00	
Other Mission work.....	66.50	
Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund.....	2.00	
Sheltering Arms.....	3.31	
Bishop Gilbert's Fund.....	10.40	
Archdeacon's Fund.....	1.95	\$108.16
Extra Diocesan:		
Domestic Missions.....	\$ 10.10	\$250.51

BELLE PLAINE. *Population 1,000. Scott County. TRANSFIGURATION CHURCH.* The Rev. C. M. PULLEN, in charge (P. O. Shakopee.) Mr. R. A. IRWIN, Warden. Pews free. Sittings, 200. Value Church building, \$2,800.

Families.....	9	Communicating during year:	
Individuals.....	44	M. 4, F. 10.....	14
Confirmations (F.).....	1	Holy Communion administered:	
Confirmed Persons last report.....	24	Public.....	3
Present number:		Public services:	
M. 6, F. 18.....	24	Sundays 3, other days 10.....	13
		Burials.....	1

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

Receipts.

Donations.....	\$17.00	
Offerings.....	40.27	\$57.27

Expenditures.

Parochial:		
Rector's salary.....	\$40.27	
Other expenses.....	17.00	\$57.27

BENSON. *Population 1,000. Swift County. CHRIST CHURCH.* The Rev. FRANCIS H. POTTS, Rector. Mr. F. M. THORNTON, Mr. A. THORNTON, Wardens. Mr. S. H. HUDSON, Clerk Vestry and Treasurer. Rector's salary, \$400. Pews free. Sittings, 125. Value Church building, \$1,800; Rectory, \$1,600; lots, \$1,500; total, \$4,900.

Families.....	12	Holy Communion administered.....	24
Individuals.....	67	Public services:	
Baptisms Inf.....	2	Sundays 88, other days 23.....	111
Present number Confirmed		Burials.....	2
M. 7, F. 18.....	25	Sunday School:	
Communicants.....	25	Teachers (M. 2, F. 3).....	5
M. 7, F. 18.....	25	Scholars (M. 15, F. 24).....	39
Communicating during year		Catechisings.....	25
M. 7, F. 18.....	25		

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

Receipts.

Subscriptions.....	\$240.00	
Offerings.....	140.75	
Parish Societies.....	118.00	
S. S. Offerings.....	33.50	\$532.25

Expenditures.

Parochial:			
Current expenses.....	\$ 53.90		
Rector's salary.....	400.00		
Sunday School.....	26.50		
Improvements.....	18.00	\$498.40	
Diocesan:			
Council Fund.....	\$ 3.00		
Bishop's salary.....	6.00		
Diocesan Missions.....	8.00		
Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund.....	4.64	\$21.64	
Extra Diocesan:			
Domestic Missions.....	\$ 7.00		
American Church Building Fund.....	1.95		
Bible and Prayer Book Society.....	1.51		
Jewish Missions.....	1.75	\$10.46	\$532.25

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

The spiritual growth has been marked. In many respects this is a model Parish. A class is awaiting the Bishop's visitation.

Sincerely yours,

F. H. POTTS.

BIRCH COOLEY. *Population 94. Redwood County.* The Rev. S. B. PURVES, Rector. NAPOLEON WARASHAW, Lay Reader. Sittings, 100. Value Church building, \$3,000; Rectory, \$1,500; Grounds and other property, \$300; total, \$4,800.

Families.....	22	Communicants:	
Individuals.....	68	M. 22, F. 23.....	45
Baptisms.....	4	Communicating during year.....	30
Confirmed persons last report.....	46	Holy Communion administered:	
Lost.....	1	Public.....	12
Present number:		Public services:	
M. 22, F. 23.....	45	Sundays 104, other days 62.....	166
		Marriages.....	1

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

Receipts.

Offerings.....	\$ 16.30
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Expenditures.

Rector's salary.....	\$10.00
Foreign Missions.....	6.30
	\$ 16.30

BLUE EARTH CITY. *Population 1,800. Faribault County.* GOOD SHEPHERD CHURCH. The Rev. R. R. GOUDY, Rector. Mr. J. A. KIESTER, Mr. J. H. COUPER, Wardens. Mr. HOBART COUPER, Treas. Mr. CHAS. ALING, Clerk Vestry. Mr. J. A. KIESTER, Lay Reader. Pews free. Sittings, 150. Value Church building, \$2,000; Rectory, \$1,000; total, \$3,000.

Families.....	25
Individuals.....	80
Baptisms (Inf.).....	1
Confirmations (F.).....	3
Confirmed persons last report.....	24
Added by Confirmation.....	3
Lost.....	2
Present number:	
M. 9, F. 16.....	25
Communicants:	
M. 9, F. 16.....	25

Communicating during year:	
M. 6, F. 14.....	20
Holy Communion administered:	
Public.....	12
Public services:	
Sundays 50, other days 16.....	66
Marriages.....	6
Burials.....	2
Sunday School:	
Teachers (M. 1, F. 4).....	5
Scholars (M. 15, F. 15).....	30
Catechisings.....	12

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

Receipts.

Subscriptions.....	\$159.50	
Offerings.....	52.28	
Sunday School.....	15.00	\$226.78

Expenditures.

Parochial:		
Current expenses.....	\$ 35.20	
Rector's salary.....	159.50	
Sunday School.....	15.00	\$209.70
Diocesan:		
Council Fund.....	\$ 1.00	
Bishop's salary.....	3.00	
Diocesan Missionary Board Fund.....	8.00	
Bishop Gilbert's Fund.....	3.00	
Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund.....	1.25	\$16.25 \$225.95

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

In addition to the above, I will here report that I held six services on Sunday afternoons at Winnebago City; also eight services, four on Sundays and four on week days, at Glencoe; also baptized two children there; and at Hutchinson also I held three services on Sundays. At the latter place I found fifteen confirmed, and a strong desire for regular services on alternate Sundays.

R. R. GOUDY.

BRAINERD. *Population 6,000. Crow Wing County.* S. PAUL'S CHURCH. The Rev. GEO. H. DAVIS, Rector. No. 70 Seventh st. Mr. L. P. WHITE, SR., Mr. W. P. SPALDING, Wardens. Mr. W. D. MCKAY, Treasurer. Mr. R. M. DELAMBERT, Clerk Vestry. Mr. GEO. N. DAY and Mr. R. F. WALTERS, S. S. Supts. Rector's Salary, \$1,200 and Rectory. Pews free. Sittings, 250.

Baptisms:	
Inf. 28, Ad. 10.....	38
Confirmations:	
M. 2, F. 25.....	27
Confirmed persons last report.....	165
Added by Confirmation.....	27
Added by Transfer.....	5
Lost.....	30
Present number.....	167
Communicants.....	167

Holy Communion administered:	
Pub. 23, Priv. 8.....	31
Public services:	
Sundays 175, other days 86.....	261
Marriages.....	11
Burials.....	13
Sunday School:	
Teachers (M. 1, F. 9).....	10
Officers (M.).....	2
Scholars.....	190
Library Books.....	150

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

Receipts.

Communion Alms.....	\$ 35.00	
Subscriptions and Offerings.....	1,427.90	
Parish Societies.....	717.79	
Sunday School.....	90.12	\$2,270.81

Expenditures.**Parochial:**

Current expenses.....	\$ 465.07	
Payment of Debts.....	123.63	
Rector's salary.....	1,222.54	
Sunday School.....	80.00	
Other expenses.....	35.00	\$1,926.24

Diocesan:

Council Fund.....	\$ 15.00	
Bishop's salary.....	20.00	
Diocesan Missionary Board Fund.....	65.00	
Other Mission work.....	30.67	
Aged and Infirm Clergy.....	12.70	
Diocesan Education.....	3.00	
Hospitals.....	30.00	\$176.37

Extra Diocesan:

Domestic Missions.....	\$ 10.00	\$2,112.61
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RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

I am contemplating the establishment of a Mission at Staples in the near future, provided a place can be secured for holding services. We now have at that place twelve communicants and probably more. This number will soon be increased by removals from Brainerd. At Aitkin where I am already holding monthly services we have some fifteen or more communicants.

Very truly yours,

G. H. DAVIS.

BROWN'S VALLEY. *Population 500. Traverse County.* S. LUKE'S CHURCH. The Rev. A. J. D. KUEHN, Rector. Mr. A. S. CROSSFIELD, Mr. E. R. MARSHALL, Wardens. Mr. JOHN NOBLE, Clerk Vestry. Mr. S. W. CHADBOURNE, Treasurer. Rector's salary, \$700. Pews free. Sittings, 100. Value Church building, \$800.

Families.....	9	Public services:	
Individuals.....	25	Sundays 52, other days 1.....	53
Baptisms (Inf.).....	16	Churchings.....	2
Confirmations:		Burials.....	4
M. 2, F. 5.....	7	Sunday School:	
Present No. Confirmed persons:		Teachers (M. 3, F. 4).....	7
M. 11, F. 18.....	29	Officers.....	2
Communicating during year:		Scholars (M. 9, F. 16).....	25
M. 8, F. 11.....	19	Catechisings.....	9
Holy Communion administered:		Library Books.....	42
Pub 12, Priv. 4.....	16		

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.**Receipts.**

Subscriptions.....	\$600.00	
Offerings.....	19.25	\$619.25

Expenditures.**Parochial:**

Current expenses.....	\$ 48.00	
Repairs.....	16.00	
Rector's salary.....	450.00	
Sunday School.....	8.00	
Charity.....	5.00	\$517.00

Diocesan:

Council Fund.....	\$ 4.00	
Seabury Divinity School.....	2.00	\$6.00
		\$523.00

BROWNSVILLE. *Population 500. Houston County.* HOLY COMFORTER CHURCH. The Rev. THOS. K. ALLEN, in charge. (P. O. LaCrosse.) Value of Church building, \$500.

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.....	5	Holy Communion administered.....	
.....	20	Public.....	1
.....	6	Public Services:	
.....	3	Sundays —, other days 9.....	9

I am the Rectory to pay my traveling expenses, and I pay
THOS. K. ALLEN.

Population 1,000. Houston County. TRINITY CHURCH.
..... Priest in charge. (P. O. La Crosse, Wis.)
..... Mr. THOMAS ABBOTT, Wardens. Mr. JOHN FARR.
..... WHEATON, Clerk Vestry. Rector's salary \$5.00 per
..... Sitings, 140. Value Church building, \$1,800.

.....	17	Holy Communion administered:	
.....	34	Pub. 6, Priv. 1.....	7
.....	4	Public Services (week days).....	12
.....	34	Sunday School:	
.....	20	Teachers.....	5
		Scholars.....	42 47

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

Receipts.

.....	\$ 6.73		
.....	85.25		
.....	30.67	\$122.65	

Expenditures.

.....	\$ 21.79		
.....	78.20		
.....	13.24	\$113.23	
.....	\$ 2.00		
.....	5.00		
.....	7.00	\$14.00	\$127.23

Population 1,200. Goodhue County. CHURCH
..... Mr. A. DIBBLE, Mr. J. K. WHEAT JR., Wardens
..... Treasurer and Clerk Vestry. Mr. ARTHUR CHARD, Lay
..... Value Church building, \$4,500; Rectory, \$1,500; total, \$6,000

.....	42	Marriages.....	3
.....	187	Burials.....	2
.....	85	Sunday School:	
.....	40	Teachers (M. 1, F. 5).....	6
.....	12	Scholars.....	75 81
.....	102	Catechisings.....	12
		Library Books.....	50

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

Receipts.

.....	\$367.51		
.....	296.47		
.....	29.42		
.....	9.29		
.....	6.50	\$708.19	

Expenditures.

Parochial:			
Current expenses.....	\$367.51		
Sunday School.....	73.20	\$440.71	
Diocesan:			
Bishop's salary.....	\$ 20.00		
Diocesan Missions.....	10.00		
Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund.....	9.29	\$39.29	
Extra Diocesan:			
Domestic and Foreign Missions.....	\$ 16.66		
Colored Missions.....	6.50	\$23.16	\$503.16

CHANHASSAN. Carver County. MISSION. Mr. R. TUSON, Lay Reader (P. O. Excelsior.)

Families.....	14	Public services:	
Individuals.....	50	Sundays 2, other days 4.....	6
Baptisms (Inf.).....	5	Marriages.....	2
Confirmed persons:		Burials.....	3
M. 4, P. 6.....	10	Sunday School:	
Communicating during year.....	10	Teachers (M. 2, P. 2.).....	4
		Scholars.....	30 34

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

Receipts.....	\$30.00
Expenditures.....	30.00

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

I have the honor to present to you my report. Seven months ago we removed to our Mission in Chanhassan, where we hold services in the afternoon which are well attended; also at Carver there are no English services but ours, they are a mixed people of German, Swedes and others, they had formerly English services, but four years ago the place was forsaken and the Church closed, but I trust with God's blessing we shall regain it back with tenfold. It is a village with six hundred and sixty inhabitants. We use the leaflets; the congregation take hold and respond freely. I have also had occasional services at Chaska, in Carver County. There are few Episcopalians, but we are trying to gather in the sheep and bring into the fold.

R. TUSON, Lay Reader.

CHATFIELD. Population 1,500. Fillmore County. S. MATTHEW'S CHURCH. Rector's salary, \$25.00 per month. Pews free. Sittings, 100. Value Church building, \$200; lots, \$300; Grounds and other property, \$200; total, \$700.

Families.....	10	Communicants.....	35
Individuals.....	35	Sunday School:	
Baptisms (Ad.).....	1	Teachers.....	3
Confirmations (M.).....	2	Scholars (F.).....	20 23
Confirmed persons last report.....	2	Library Books.....	250
Added by Confirmation.....	2		
Added by Transfer.....	2		
Lost.....	14		

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.**Receipts.**

Donations.....	\$ 20.00
Offerings.....	20.14
Sunday School.....	7.90
	\$48.04

Expenditures.

Parochial:			
Rector's salary.....	\$233.16		
Diocesan:			
Council Fund.....	\$ 3.00		
Bishop's salary.....	8.00		
Diocesan Missionary Board Fund.....	8.00		
Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund.....	.50	\$19.50	\$252.66

CORDOVA. *Population 100. LeSueur County.* CHRIST CHURCH. The Rev. WM. TUSON, in charge. (P. O. Waterville.) Mr. JAMES FLOYD, Mr. WM. BURGESS, Wardens. Mr. THOMAS FRENCH, Treasurer. Mr. NATHAN BURGESS, Clerk Vestry. Rector's salary, \$100. Pews free. Sittings, 60. Value Church building and lots, \$1,400.

Families.....	16	Holy Communion administered:	
Baptisms (Inf.).....	2	Public.....	4
Confirmations.....	2	Public services (Sundays).....	24
Confirmed persons last report.....	37	Burials.....	1
Added by Confirmation.....	2	Sunday School:	
Lost.....	1	Teachers (M. 2, F. 4).....	6
Communicating during year:		Other officers (M. 1, F. 2)....	3
M. 6, F. 16.....	22	Scholars (M. 20, F. 30).....	59
		Catechisings.....	4

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

Receipts.			
Subscriptions.....		\$100.00	
Offerings.....		10.00	
Sunday School.....		9.00	\$119.00
Expenditures.			
Parochial:			
Rector's salary.....		\$ 86.00	
Sunday School.....		9.00	\$95.00

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:
You are aware that this is a Mission and not an organized and incorporated Parish.
Yours,
WM. TUSON.

CORINNA. *Wright County.* S. MARK'S CHURCH. Pews free. Sittings, 80. Value Church building and lots, \$1,100.

Families.....	6	Holy Communion administered:	
Individuals.....	35	Public.....	2
Baptisms (Inf.).....	3	Public services:	
		Sundays 14, other days 1.....	15

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

Receipts.			
Subscriptions.....		\$ 20.75	
Offerings.....		54.80	\$75.55
Expenditures.			
Parochial:			
Current expenses.....	\$ 12.00		
Rector's salary.....	51.24		
Bishop Gilbert's Fund.....	3.56	\$66.80	
Diocesan:			
Council Fund.....	\$ 4.00		
Bishop's salary.....	5.00		
Diocesan Missionary Board Fund.....	14.00	\$23.00	\$89.80

DAKOTA. *Population 300. Winona County.* S. JOHN'S CHURCH. The Rev. THOS. K. ALLEN, Rector. Mr. NOAH BROWN, SR., Warden. Mr. NOAH BROWN, JR., Treasurer. Mr. C. WORKMAN, Clerk Vestry. Mr. S. BROWN, S. S. Supt. Rector's salary, \$50. Value Church building, \$1,000.

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Families.....	12	Holy Communion administered:	
Individuals.....	50	Pub. 5, Priv. 1.....	6
Baptisms (Ad.).....	7	Public services:	
Confirmations:		Sundays 14, other days 4.....	18
M. 2, F. 3.....	5	Burials.....	1
Present number Confirmed:		Sunday School:	
M. 4, F. 11.....	15	Teachers (M. 4, F. 5).....	9
Communicating during year:		Scholars.....	44
M. 4, F. 29.....	33		

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

Receipts.

Parish Aid Societies.....	\$70.00	
Sunday School.....	10.00	\$80.00

Expenditures.

Parochial:		
Rector's salary.....	\$50.00	
Diocesan:		
Council Fund.....	\$ 1.00	
Bishop's salary.....	1.00	
Diocesan Missions.....	1.00	
Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund.....	1.00	\$4.00
		\$54.00

DELANO. *Population 1,000. Wright County.* HOLY SPIRIT MISSION.
The Rev. F. R. MILLSPAUGH, and Rev. E. J. PURDY, Missionary Priests
in charge (P. O. Minneapolis.) Value Church property, lots, \$300.

Families.....	16	Present number Confirmed.....	25
Individuals.....	45	Holy Communion administered.....	6
Baptisms:		Public services.....	20
Inf. 2, Ad. 1.....	3	Marriages.....	1
Confirmations.....	3	Burials.....	1

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

Receipts.

Subscriptions.....	\$175.00
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Expenditures.

Parochial:		
Current expenses.....	\$75.00	
Diocesan:		
Diocesan Missions.....	5.00	\$80.00

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

Two very desirable lots have been given for a Church in memory of the late Mrs. Breed of St. Paul, by the husband and son. A third lot will most likely be added by a friend.

Obediently,

FRANK R. MILLSPAUGH.

DRESBACH. *Population 200. Winona County.* S. JAMES' CHURCH.
The Rev. THOS. K. ALLEN, Rector (P. O. La Crosse.) Mr. CH. R. CONWAY, Mr. REYNOLD KEMP, Wardens. Mr. GILBERT JOHNSON, Treasurer and Clerk Vestry. Rector's salary, \$50. Value Church property, \$900.

Families.....	12	Communicating during year:	
Individuals.....	75	M. 3, F. 40.....	43
Baptisms (Inf.).....	2	Holy Communion administered:	
Communicants:		Public.....	6
M. 2, F. 13.....	15	Public services:	
		Sundays 14, other days 1.....	15

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

Receipts.

Offerings.....	\$ 58.00
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Expenditures.

Parochial:			
Rector's salary.....		\$50.00	
Diocesan:			
Council Fund.....	\$ 2.00		
Bishop's salary.....	2.00		
Diocesan Missions.....	2.00		
Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund.....	2.00	\$8.00	\$58.00

DULUTH. *Population 45,000. St. Louis County.* S. PAUL'S CHURCH. The Rev. WILLIAM M. BARKER, Rector (213 Lake ave.) Mr. F. W. PAINE, Mr. D. B. SMITH, Wardens. Mr. G. V. QUILLIARD, Treasurer. Mr. D. B. SMITH, Clerk Vestry. THE RECTOR, S. S. Supt. Mr. GEO. N. DEVO, Lay Reader. Rector's salary, \$2,000 and Rectory, Pews rented. Sittings, 450. Value Church building, \$12,000; Rectory, \$3,500; lots, \$20,000, total, \$35,500. Indebtedness, \$1,700.

Baptisms:		Public services:	
Inf. 31, Ad. 3.....	34	Sundays 149, other days 126.....	275
Confirmations:		Marriages.....	12
M. 4, F. 10.....	14	Burials.....	15
Confirmed persons.....	300	Sunday School:	
Communicating during year.....	225	Teachers (M. 6, F. 9).....	15
Holy Communion administered:		Scholars (M. 50, F. 70).....	120 135
Pub. 64, Priv. 1.....	65	Catechisings.....	52

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.**Receipts.**

Communion Alms.....	\$ 315.35	
Pew Rents.....	2,934.19	
Offerings.....	1,619.10	
Parish Aid Societies.....	116.25	
Sunday School.....	62.92	
Missionary Box.....	46.50	
Mite Chests (S. S.).....	80.12	
Easter Offering.....	2,373.64	\$7,548.07

Expenditures.

Parochial:			
Current expenses.....	\$2,240.83		
Repairs.....	151.41		
Debts.....	2,429.75		
Rector's salary.....	2,000.00		
Sunday School.....	61.38	\$6,883.37	
Diocesan:			
Council Fund.....	\$ 20.00		
Bishop's salary.....	60.00		
Diocesan Missions.....	60.00		
Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund.....	15.00		
Hospital, S. Luke's.....	64.84		
Bishop Gilbert's Fund.....	50.00		
Archdeacon's salary.....	40.00	\$309.84	
Extra Diocesan:			
Domestic Missions.....	\$ 107.31		
Missionary Box.....	133.55	\$240.86	\$7,434.07

DUNDAS. *Population 750. Rice County.* HOLY CROSS CHURCH. The Rev. GEO. C. TANNER, Rector. (P. O. Faribault.) Mr. E. T. ARCHIBALD, Mr. J. A. MCCADDEN, Wardens. Mr. W. D. TAYLOR, Treasurer. Mr. W. E. NEAL, Clerk Vestry. Pews free. Sittings, 200. Value Church building, \$5,000; Rectory, \$1,500; lots and other property, \$250; total, \$6,750.

Families.....	8	Communicating during year:	
Individuals.....	26	M. 3, F. 6.....	9
Confirmed persons last report.....	16	Holy Communion administered:	
Lost by Death.....	1	Public.....	4
Present number:		Public services (Sundays).....	52
M. 5, F. 11.....	16	Burial.....	1
Communicants:			
M. 5, F. 11.....	16		

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

Receipts.			
Balance from last report.....	\$ 16.12		
Donations.....	12.25		
Offerings.....	33.05		
Rent of Rectory.....	50.00	\$111.42	

Expenditures.			
Parochial:			
Current expenses.....	\$ 34.42		
Rector's salary.....	60.00		
Other expenses.....	17.00	\$111.42	
Diocesan:			
Mission work.....	\$ 3.15	\$114.57	

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

No Report appears in the Journal of 1890, for the organized Mission of the church of the Holy Cross; the discrepancy between this and the Report for 1889 is explained by the fact, that I have reckoned only the families living in the village attending and supporting the church. April 7th, the Parish of the Church of the Holy Cross was organized and Wardens and Vestrymen elected. The death of Mrs. J. S. Archibald occurred November 25th, 1890. Mr. Archibald left by will \$15,000. for the support of the church at Dundas, to become available at the death of Mrs. Archibald. From the fact of there being no legal organization, the legality of the bequest is being now tried by the Courts. If this is secured the church at Dundas will be placed on a permanent foundation.

ELK RIVER. Population 1,000. Sherburne County. TRINITY CHURCH.
The Rev. J. W. PROSSER, Priest in charge. (P. O. 1922 S. E. 4th st. Minneapolis.) Mr. G. B. UPHAM, Mr. J. F. BALTZELL, Wardens. Mr. ROBT. DARE, Treasurer. Rector's salary, \$100. Pews free. Sittings, 100. Value Church building, \$1,700.

Families.....	21	Holy Communion administered	6
Individuals.....	83	Public services:	
Confirmations (F.).....	1	Sundays 20, other days 4.....	24
Confirmed persons last report.....	30	Burials.....	3
Added.....	1	Sunday School:	
Lost.....	1	Teachers (F.).....	4
Present number.....	30	Scholars.....	20
Communicating during year.....	30		

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

Receipts.			
Balance.....	\$170.05		
Offerings.....	62.69		
Special Offering.....	12.05	\$244.79	

Expenditures.			
Parochial:			
Church building.....	\$170.00		
Rector's salary.....	62.69	\$232.74	
Diocesan:			
Council Fund.....	\$ 2.00		
Diocesan Missions.....	5.00		
Other Mission work.....	5.05	\$ 12.05	\$244.79

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

The financial statement is from March, 1890, to March, 1891, since which time \$1,000.00 has been given towards completing the new church building. I resigned this charge and my successor held his first service on the first Sunday in June.

JNO. W. PROSSER.

ELYSIAN. *Population 100. LeSueur County.* GRACE CHURCH. The Rev. WM. TUSON, Rector. (P. O. Waterville.) Mr. GEORGE E. RAY, Mr. RUSH MERRIK, Wardens. Mr. M. STERLING, Treasurer and Clerk Vestry. Mr. NELSON WARBURTON, Lay Reader. Rector's salary, \$100. Pews free. Sittings, 100. Value Church building and lots, \$2,200. Indebtedness, \$120.

Families.....	18	Communicating during year:	
Individuals.....	75	M. 6, F. 14.....	20
Baptisms (Inf.).....	4	Holy Communion administered:	
Confirmed persons last report.....	28	Public.....	5
Present number:		Public services:	
M. 10, F. 20.....	30	Sundays 20, other days 4.....	24
Communicants:		Marriages.....	1
M. 10, F. 20.....	30		

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

Receipts.

Balance from last report.....	\$ 10.00	
Subscriptions.....	100.00	
Offerings.....	7.00	
Parish Societies.....	25.00	\$142.00

Expenditures.

Parochial:		
Payment of Debts.....	\$ 50.00	
Rector's salary.....	35.00	\$85.00

FAIRMONT. *Population 1,400. Martin County.* S. MARTIN'S CHURCH. Mr. J. A. SINCLAIR, Mr. W. C. GAMBLE, Wardens. CECIL SHARPS, Treasurer. Mr. H. W. SINCLAIR, Clerk Vestry. Mr. J. A. SINCLAIR and Miss A. WOLLASTON, S. S. Supts. Pews free. Sittings, 120. Value Church building, \$2,100; Rectory, \$2,000; lots, \$400; total, \$4,500. Indebtedness, \$350.

Families.....	37	Present number:	
Individuals.....	135	M. 24, F. 30.....	54
Baptisms:		Communicants:	
Inf. 8, Ad. 1.....	9	M. 24, F. 30.....	54
Confirmations:		Communicating during year:	
M. 4, F. 7.....	11	M. 14, F. 24.....	38
Confirmed persons last report.....	53	Marriages.....	1
Added by Confirmation.....	11	Burials.....	6
Added by Transfer.....	1	Sunday School:	
Lost.....	10	Teachers (M. 2, F. 3).....	5
		Scholars (M. 10, F. 32).....	42

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

Receipts.

Balance from last report.....	\$ 63.76	
Subscriptions.....	450.00	
Donations.....	150.50	
Offerings.....	146.61	
Parish Societies.....	55.77	
Sunday School.....	15.75	\$818.33

Expenditures.

Parochial:			
Current expenses.....	\$ 28.04		
Repairs.....	18.00		
Payment of Debts.....	118.00		
Rector's salary.....	503.18		
Sunday School.....	21.00	\$686.17	
Diocesan:			
Council Fund.....	\$ 3.00		
Bishop's salary.....	8.00		
Diocesan Missionary Board Fund.....	10.00		
Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund.....	7.00	\$28.00	\$714.17

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

I take pleasure in submitting the above Report. The past year has been one of labor under difficulties. Our Rector left us in January, and since then we have been without a Pastor. We have kept up the Sunday School and Guilds, however, and have been favored with occasional services from visiting Clergymen.

Our Rector's salary fund is kept up by individual subscriptions. These subscriptions have still been kept up and the money applied on Rectory indebtedness, so we are in good financial condition. I am also glad to state that our Parish will be under charge of Rev. T. C. Hudson early in June.

Yours faithfully,

J. A. SINCLAIR, Senior Warden.

FARIBAULT. Population 7,000. Rice County. CATHEDRAL OF OUR MERCIFUL SAVIOUR. The Rev. WILLIAM GARDAM, Rector. Mr. A. E. HAVEN, Mr. S. L. CROCKER, Wardens. Mr. C. M. WHITNEY, Clerk Vestry and Treasurer. Mr. H. C. THEOPOLD, S. S. Supt. Mr. CHAS. F. KITE, Lay Reader. Rector's salary, \$1,000 and Rectory. Pews free. Sittings, 700. Value Church building, \$78,500.

Families.....	162	Holy Communion administered:	
Individuals.....	723	Pub. 92, Priv. 10.....	102
Baptisms:		Public services:	
Inf. 27, Ad. 7.....	34	Sundays 156, other days 167.....	323
Confirmations:		Marriages.....	10
M. 17, P. 13.....	30	Burials.....	11
Confirmed persons last report.....	306	Sunday School:	
Added.....	30	Teachers (M. 5, P. 13).....	18
Lost.....	14	Scholars.....	160 178
Present number.....	323	Catechisings.....	52
Communicating during year.....	290	Library Books.....	300

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.**Receipts.**

Balance.....	\$ 109.78		
Communion Alms.....	82.98		
Subscriptions.....	1,693.30		
Donations.....	100.00		
Offerings.....	991.68		
Parish Aid Society.....	266.52		
Sunday School.....	342.64	\$3,586.88	

Expenditures.

Parochial:			
Current expenses.....	\$ 995.75		
Church building.....	185.00		
Rector's salary and house.....	1,200.00		
Sunday School.....	264.20		
Charity.....	100.00		
Other expenses.....	206.30	\$2,951.25	

Diocesan:			\$2,951.52
Council Fund	\$	35.00	
Bishop's salary		150.00	
Diocesan Missions		227.50	
Mission work		22.36	
Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund		63.01	
Sheltering Arms		10.00	
			\$500.87
Extra Diocesan:			
Domestic Missions	\$	28.12	
Am. Church Building Fund		22.60	
Jewish Missions		27.51	
			\$78.23
			\$3,529.55

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

I have not made any report of the Scandinavian Mission this year. No services have been held this year in connection with this Mission. Many of the members attend the Cathedral services, and the children come to our Sunday School in large numbers.

Your obedient servant,

WM. GARDAM.

FARIBAULT. Population 7,000. Rice County. SHATTUCK SCHOOL. MEMORIAL CHAPEL OF GOOD SHEPHERD. The Rev. JAMES DOBNEY, D.D., Rector. The Rev. GEORGE C. TANNER, Assistant Minister. Sitings, 300. Value Chapel, \$30,000; School buildings, \$250,000; lots and other property, \$55,000; total, \$335,000.

Baptisms:				Communicants:		
Inf. 1, Ad. 4	5			M. 76, P. 7		83
Confirmations (M.)	12			Communicating during year:		
Confirmed persons last report	71			M. 76, P. 7		83
Added by Confirmation	12			Holy Communion administered		36
Added by Transfer	25			Public services:		
Lost	25			Sundays 76, other days 260		336
Present number:				Sunday School:		
M. 76, P. 7	83			Teachers (M.)	7	
				Scholars (M.)	195	202

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

Receipts.

Communion Alms	\$ 52.55	
Offerings	155.47	\$241.02

Expenditures.

Diocesan:			
Bishop's salary	\$ 75.00		
Diocesan Missions	125.00		
Sheltering Arms	10.00	\$210.00	
Extra Diocesan:			
General Missions	\$ 29.02		
Miscellaneous	2.00	\$ 31.02	\$241.02

FARIBAULT. S. MARY'S HALL. The Rev. E. STEELE PEAKE, Chaplain. Value School property, \$150,000.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

Receipts.

Offerings	\$214.45
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Expenditures.

Diocesan:			
Diocesan Missions	\$ 50.00		
Bishop's salary	40.00		
Indian Missions	39.45		
Waraw Mission	20.00		
Parish Guild House	25.00		
Cornelia Whipple Scholarship	40.00	\$214.45	

FRIDLEY PARK. *Population 100. Anoka County.* HOLY TRINITY CHAPEL. The Rev. ANDREW J. GRAHAM, Rector (408 S. E. Fourth st., Minneapolis.) Mrs. GEORGE CUNNINGHAM, Treasurer and Secretary. Mr. A. H. ADAMS, Lay Reader. Mr. S. HUSTON, S. S. Supt. Pews free. Sitzings 80. Value Church building and lots, \$600.

Families.....	6	Public services:		
Individuals.....	30	Sundays 13, other days 1.....	14	
Baptisms.....	2	Burials.....	3	
Confirmed persons last report.....	7	Sunday School:		
Present number.....	5	Teachers (F.).....	4	
		Scholars (M. 6, F. 17).....	23	27

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.**Receipts.**

Offerings.....	\$ 21.30	
Parish Societies.....	52.80	
Sunday School.....	6.03	\$80.13

Expenditures.

Parochial:		
Current expenses.....	\$ 46.70	
Sunday School.....	8.40	\$55.10

FARMINGTON. *Population 1,000. Dakota County.* CHURCH OF THE ADVENT. The Rev. EDW. MOYSES, in charge (P. O. Hastings). Mr. F. W. THORNE, Mr. THOS. PEARSON, Wardens. Mr. F. W. THORNE, Treasurer. Mr. OTTO VOGEL, Clerk Vestry. Mr. G. F. GLADDING HOYT, S. S. Supt. Sitzings, 90. Value Church building and lots, \$800.

Families.....	27	Present number:		
Individuals.....	42	M. 10, F. 23.....	33	
Baptisms:		Communicating during year.....	15	
Inf. 2, Ad. 3.....	5	Holy Communion administered.....	3	
Confirmations:		Public services:		
M. 2, F. 5.....	7	Sundays 30, other days 1.....	31	
Added by Confirmation.....	7	Sunday School:		
Added by Transfer.....	1	Library Books.....	100	
Lost.....	9			

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.**Receipts.**

Offerings.....	\$75.08	
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Expenditures.

Parochial:		
Current expenses.....	\$ 4.25	
Service expenses.....	59.91	
Repairs.....	9.03	\$73.19
Extra Diocesan:		
Domestic Missions.....	\$0.50	\$73.69

FERGUS FALLS. *Population 4,000. Otter Tail County.* S. JAMES' CHURCH. The Rev. CHARLES C. ROLLIT, Rector. Mr. JAMES A. BROWN, Mr. GEO. F. COWING, Wardens. Mr. ALEXANDER J. GRANT, Treasurer, Mr. GEO. F. COWING, Clerk Vestry. RECTOR, S. S. Supt. Rector's salary, \$800. Pews free. Sitzings, 250. Value Church building and lots, \$3,500.

Families.....	53	Holy Communion administered:	
Individuals.....	197	Pub. 22, Priv. 1.....	23
Baptisms:		Public services:	
Inf. 12, Ad. 1.....	13	Sundays 108, other days 18.....	126
Confirmed persons last report.....	75	Marriages.....	2
Added.....	18	Burials.....	1
Lost.....	20	Sunday School:	
Present number:		Teachers (M. 1, F. 4).....	5
M. 19, F. 54.....	73	Scholars (M. 20, F. 30).....	55
Communicants:		Catechisings.....	12
M. 19, F. 54.....	73	Library Books.....	100
Communicating during year:			
M. 12, F. 48.....	60		

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

Receipts.

Communion Alms.....	\$ 31.24	
Subscriptions.....	494.71	
Offerings.....	168.24	
Parish Societies.....	100.00	\$811.69

Expenditures.

Parochial:		
Current expenses.....	\$200.35	
Repairs.....	5.50	
Rector's salary.....	511.48	
Sunday School.....	31.24	\$748.22
Diocesan:		
Council Fund.....	\$ 6.00	
Bishop's salary.....	10.00	
Diocesan Missions.....	15.00	
Other Missionary work.....	13.31	
Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund.....	3.45	\$47.76
		\$795.98

GLENCOE. *Population 1,800. McLeod County. CHRIST CHURCH.*
 The Rev. FRANK R. MILLSPAUGH, Priest in charge (P. O. Minneapolis.)
 Mr. A. H. ADAMS, Lay Reader. Sittings, 350. Value Church building,
 \$2,300; Rectory, \$1,300; lots, \$300; total, \$3,900.

Families.....	15	Public services.....	14
Individuals.....	45	Sunday School:	
Baptisms (Inf.).....	3	Teachers.....	4
Communicants.....	45	Scholars.....	44
Holy Communion administered....	6		

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

Expenditures.

Parochial:	
Current expenses.....	\$75.00

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

By the request of the Assistant Bishop, with my Lay Reader, Mr. Adams, I have given semi-monthly services here, and was able to secure a promise of \$500 toward a Missionary's salary. This station, Hutchinson and Brownton added, will give a good salary. A Clergyman has been called and accepted.

Obediently,

FRANK R. MILLSPAUGH.

GLENWOOD. *Population 700. Pope County. S. PAUL'S MISSION.*
 Mr. THOS. SCHWEIGER, Warden. Rector's salary, \$250. Value Church
 property, \$400.

Families.....	6	Public services:		
Individuals.....	30	Sundays 50, other days 3.....	53	
Baptisms (Inf.).....	3	Burials.....	1	
Confirmed persons.....	11	Sunday School:		
Communicating during year.....	6	Teachers (F.).....	3	
Holy Communion administered....	11	Scholars.....	28	31

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

Receipts.

Subscriptions.....	\$250.00		
Donations.....	24.00		
Offerings.....	40.96		
Parish Aid Societies.....	71.38	\$386.34	

Expenditures.

Parochial:			
Debts.....	\$ 79.00		
Rector's salary.....	250.00	\$329.00	
Diocesan:			
Council Fund.....	\$ 1.00		
Bishop's salary.....	2.00		
Diocesan Missions.....	3.00		
Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund.....	1.32		
Bishop Gilbert's Fund.....	4.71	\$12.03	\$341.03

GRANITE FALLS. *Population 1,250. Yellow Medicine County.*
 TRINITY CHURCH. The Rev. G. N. HIGGINSON, Rector (P. O. 14 Atty st.,
 St. Anthony Park.) Mr. JACOB COOK, Mr. JOHN WINTER, Wardens.
 Mr. BERT. WINTER, Treasurer. Rector's salary, \$500. Pews free.
 Sitzings, 150. Value Church property, \$1,800. Indebtedness, \$400.

Families.....	30	Communicants:		
Individuals.....	150	M. 3, F. 29.....	41	
Baptisms:		Sunday School:		
Inf. 1, Ad. 1.....	2	Teachers (F.).....	5	
Confirmations (F.).....	3	Scholars.....	43	48
Added by Confirmation.....	3			

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

Receipts.

Communion Alms.....	\$ 8.65		
Subscriptions.....	438.33		
Offerings.....	77.29	\$524.27	

Expenditures.

Parochial:			
Debts.....	\$100.00		
Church building.....	164.35		
Rector's salary.....	438.33		
Church Building Fund.....	4.50	\$707.18	
Diocesan:			
Bishop's salary.....	2.50		
Diocesan Missions.....	10.00		
Aged and Infirm Clergy.....	6.60		
Diocesan Education.....	5.05		
Bishop Gilbert's Fund.....	9.26	\$33.41	
Extra Diocesan:			
Domestic Missions.....		\$4.77	\$745.36

HALLOCK. *Population 250. Kittson County. S. JOHN'S CHURCH.*
 The Rev. H. BEER, Rector. MR. WM. THOMPSON, MR. F. HUGHES,
 Wardens. Rector's salary, \$147.15. Pews free. Sitzings, 100. Value
 Church property, \$1,500.

Confirmations (F.).....	1	Communicants:	
Added by Confirmation.....	1	Male 5, Female 4.....	9
Added by Transfer.....	4	Communicating during year:	
Lost.....	5	Male 12, Female 48.....	60
Present number:		Holy Communion administered	12
Male 11, Female 10.....	21	Public services:	
		Sundays 26, other days 1.....	27

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

Receipts.

Offerings.....\$162.00

Expenditures.

Parochial:			
Debts.....	\$ 60.00		
Rector's salary.....	147.15	\$207.15	
Diocesan:			
Bishop's salary.....	\$ 2.00		
Diocesan Missions.....	3.00		
Sheltering Arms.....	5.00		
Sunday School assessments.....	.25	\$10.25	
Extra Diocesan:			
Domestic Missions.....	\$ 1.15		
American Church Building Fund.....	1.00		
Jewish Missions.....	2.45	\$4.60	\$222.00

HARRIS. Population 200. Chisago County. S. JAMES' MISSION.
(Services held in the School House.) Mr. JOHN CALDWELL, Lay Reader.
(P. O. Rush City.) Mr. SIMON DAY, Mr. WM. DAW, Mr. Chas. SYL-
RANDT, Bishop's Committee. Mr. WM. DAW, Treasurer. Mr. SIMON
DAY, S. S. Supt.

Families.....	8	Communicating during year.....	13
Individuals.....	36	Holy Communion administered....	3
Baptisms:		Public services:	
Inf. 1, Ad. 2.....	3	Sundays 26, other days 2.....	28
Confirmations:		Sunday School:	
M. 7, F. 6.....	13	Teachers (M. 3, F. 3).....	6
Present number.....	13	Scholars (M. 10, F. 20).....	30

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

Receipts.

Offerings.....\$ 36.55
Parish Aid Societies..... 12.50
Mite Chests..... 4.10
Mission Board..... 33.33 \$86.48

Expenditures.

Parochial:
Lay Reader's salary.....\$ 82.38
Extra Diocesan:
General Missions..... 4.10 \$86.48

First services held in this Mission, May 13, 1890. Organized into S. James'
Mission, March 3, 1891, by Assistant Bishop Gilbert.

JOHN CALDWELL, Lay Reader.

HASSAN. *Population 200. Hennepin County. S. JOHN'S CHURCH.*
 The Rev. F. R. MILLSPAUGH, Rector (1215 Hawthorne ave., Minneapolis.) The Rev. E. J. PURDY, Assistant Minister. Mr. S. PARSLow, Mr. JOHN TUCKER, Wardens. Mr. W. S. PARSLow, Treas. and Clerk Vestry. Sittings, 60. Value Church building, \$500; lots, \$100.00; total, \$600.

Families.....	12	Communicating during year.....	16
Individuals.....	75	Holy Communion administered....	7
Baptisms.....	1	Public services.....	24
Confirmations.....	1	Burials.....	2
Communicants.....	21		

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

Receipts.			
Balance.....		\$.25	
Subscriptions.....		126.00	
Offerings.....		19.95	
Sunday School.....		2.50	\$148.70

Expenditures.

Parochial:			
Repairs.....	30.00		
Rector's salary.....	\$100.00		\$130.00
Diocesan:			
Mission Work.....		\$5.35	
Extra Diocesan:			
Domestic Missions.....	\$ 1.25		
Foreign Missions.....	1.25	\$2.50	
			\$137.85

HASTINGS. *Population 3,500. Dakota County. S. LUKE'S CHURCH.*
 The Rev. EDWARD MOYSES, Rector. Mr. J. R. CLAGGETT, Mr. L. S. FOLLETT, Wardens. RECTOR, S. S. Supt. Pews free. Sittings, 200. Value Church building, \$7,000; lots, \$3,000; other property, \$500; total, \$10,500.

Families.....	80	Communicating during year:	
Individuals.....	370	M. 26, P. 93.....	119
Baptisms:		Holy Communion administered:	
Inf. 12, Ad. 1.....	13	Pub. 45, Priv. 4.....	49
Confirmations:		Public services:	
M. 4, P. 7.....	11	Sundays 130, other days 252.....	382
Confirmed persons last report.....	130	Marriages.....	2
Added by Confirmation.....	11	Burials.....	12
Added by Transfer.....	27	Sunday School:	
Lost.....	15	Teachers (M. 2, P. 7).....	9
Present number:		Officers (M. 1, P. 1).....	2
M. 50, P. 100.....	150	Scholars (M. 30, P. 50).....	80
Communicants:		Catechisings.....	30
M. 33, P. 93.....	131		

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

Receipts.			
Communion Alms.....		\$ 18.19	
Subscriptions.....		713.81	
Offerings.....		211.26	
Parish Societies.....		439.35	
Sunday School.....		50.00	\$1,432.61

Expenditures.

Parochial:			
Current expenses.....	\$ 823.21		
Repairs.....	\$118.80		
Sunday School.....	28.00		
Other expenses.....	268.05	\$1,238.06	

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Diocesan:			
Council Fund.....	\$ 10.00		
Bishop's salary.....	26.00		
Diocesan Missions.....	36.00		
Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund.....	9.16		
Seabury Divinity School.....	3.65		
Sheltering Arms.....	3.58		
Bishop Gilbert's Fund.....	8.58	\$96.97	
Extra Diocesan:			
Domestic Missions.....	\$ 15.12		
Foreign Missions.....	15.11		
Woman's Auxiliary.....	64.35		
Clergymen's Retiring Fund.....	3.00	\$97.58	\$1,432.61

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

I have officiated at Farmington five times; have baptized two children and three adults; celebrated the Holy Communion once and presented seven persons for Confirmation. Nineteen members of S. Luke's Sunday School received the Honor Card, for saying the Catechism without an error. Of the amount reported for foreign and domestic Missions, \$22 were the children's Lenten offerings.

HENDERSON. Population 1,000. Sibley County. S. JUDE'S CHURCH.
 The Rev. C. M. PULLEN, Rector (P. O. Shakopee.) Mr. E. S. WELCH,
 Mr. A. POEHLER, Wardens. Mr. E. S. WELCH, Treasurer. Rector's
 salary, \$300. Pews free. Sitzings, 120. Value Church building,
 \$1,500.

Families.....	20	Communicating during year:	
Individuals.....	85	M. 6, P. 35.....	41
Baptisms (Inf.).....	6	Holy Communion administered....	4
Confirmations:		Public services:	
M. 1, F. 7.....	8	Sundays 24, other days 8.....	32
Confirmed persons last report.....	41	Marriages.....	1
Present number:		Burials.....	3
M. 6, P. 39.....	45		

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.**Receipts.**

Subscriptions.....	\$156.00	
Offerings.....	44.00	
Parish Societies.....	100.00	
Fund in Bank.....	410.00	\$710.00

Expenditures.

Parochial:			
Current expenses.....	\$ 10.00		
Repairs.....	125.00		
Rector's salary.....	300.00	\$435.00	
Diocesan:			
Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund.....	\$4.47	\$439.47	

HOUSTON. Population 500. Houston County. OUR SAVIOUR CHURCH.
 The Rev. THOS. K. ALLEN, Priest in charge. (P. O. La Crosse, Wis.)
 Mr. EDWARD E. HOMER, Warden. Value Church building, \$1,000.

Families.....	10	Confirmed persons.....	8
Individuals.....	36	Public Services.....	9
Baptisms (Inf.).....	1		

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.**Receipts.**

Offerings.....	-	\$42.00
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Expenditures.

Parochial:			
Repairs.....	\$ 15.00		
Rector's salary	27.63	\$42.63	
Diocesan:			
Council Fund.....	\$ 1.00		
Bishop's salary	1.00		
Diocesan Missions.....	1.00		
Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund.....	1.00	\$4.00	\$46.63

HOWARD LAKE. *Population 700. Wright County. ALL SAINTS' CHURCH.* The Rev. A. G. PINKHAM, Priest in charge. (P. O. Litchfield.)
Pews free. Sitzings, 150. Value Church building, \$1,200.

Families.....	13	Holy Communion administered....	4
Individuals.....	50	Public services.....	37
Confirmed persons (F.).....	14	Burials.....	1
Communicating during year (F.)...	10		

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.**Receipts.**

Offerings.....	\$ 30.59		
Parish Aid Society.....	54.30	\$84.89	

Expenditures.

Parochial:			
Current expenses.....	\$ 45.06		
Rector's salary	25.00		
Other expenses.....	2.50	\$72.56	

JANESVILLE. *Population 1,200. Waseca County. S. JOHN'S CHURCH.*
The Rev. JAMES CORNILL, Rector. Mr. D. J. DODGE. Mr. J. H. WILLIS,
Wardens. Mr. J. H. WILLIS, Clerk Vestry. Mr. D. J. DODGE, Treasurer.
Rector's salary, \$400. Pews free. Sitzings, 115. Value Church building,
\$2,000; Rectory and lots, \$2,000; total, \$4,000.

Families.....	34	Public services:	
Individuals.....	125	Sundays 76, other days 71.....	147
Baptisms:		Marriages.....	2
Inf. 1, Ad. 1.....	2	Sunday School:	
Present No. Confirmed persons:		Teachers.....	8
M. 16, F. 35.....	51	Scholars (M. 20, F. 25).....	45 53
Communicating during year:		Catechisings.....	40
M. 11, F. 31.....	42	Library Books.....	50
Holy Communion administered:			
Pub. 25, Priv. 2.....	27		

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.**Receipts.**

Balance.....	\$ 41.32		
Subscriptions.....	396.00		
Donations.....	33.00		
Offerings.....	142.84		
Parish Aid Society.....	172.66		
Sunday School.....	71.82	\$857.64	

Expenditures.

Parochial:			
Current expenses.....	\$	38.75	
Repairs.....		25.75	
Payment of Debts.....		65.13	
Church Building.....		33.00	
Rector's salary.....	400.00		
Sunday School.....		71.18	
Taxes.....		33.43	
Other expenses.....		63.44	\$730.68
Diocesan:			
Council Fund.....	\$	7.00	
Bishop's salary.....		8.00	
Diocesan Missions.....		10.00	
Other Mission work.....		7.12	
Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund.....		5.55	
Sheltering Arms.....		4.00	
Bishop Gilbert's Fund.....		7.05	\$48.72
Extra Diocesan:			
Domestic Missions.....	\$	2.50	
Foreign Missions.....		2.50	
Jewish Missions.....		2.50	
General Missions, S. S. Easter Offering.....		22.20	\$29.70 \$813.60

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:
The \$33.00 above noted as donations, consists of a beautiful Brass Cross, in memory of Mrs. J. O. Chandler, who died in 1890, and an Oak Hymn Board. I have given Elysian services every alternate Sunday, when the weather permitted until Dec. 21, when I gave up the Mission. In all ten services and one baptism. Holy Communion administered once.

J. CORNELL.

KASSON. Population 1,000. Dodge County. S. PETER'S CHURCH.
The Rev. A. M. HILLIKER, Rector (P. O. Faribault.) Mr. L. G. NELSON, Mr. P. PETERSON, Mr. C. G. INGHAM, Mr. AUG. E. ANDERSON. Bishop's Committee. Mr. AUG. E. ANDERSON, Treasurer and Clerk Vestry. Rev. A. M. HILLIKER, S. S. Supt. Rector's salary, \$328. Pews free. Sitzings, 125. Value Church building, \$3,000; lots, \$200; total, \$3,200.

Families.....	21	Holy Communion administered: Public..... 4 Public services: Sundays 101, other days 2.....103 Marriages..... 1 Burials..... 1 Sunday School: Teachers (M. 1, F. 5)..... 6 Officers (M. 1, F. 2)..... 3 Scholars (M. 28, F. 32).....60 69
Individuals.....	69	
Baptisms (Ad.).....	3	
Confirmations:		
M. 3, F. 3.....	6	
Confirmed persons last report.....	35	
Added.....	8	
Lost.....	5	
Present number:		
M. 11, F. 27.....	38	
Communicating during year:		
M. 11, F. 27.....	38	

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

Recelpts.

Subscriptions.....	\$289.94	
Offerings.....	97.89	
Parish Aid Society.....	60.00	\$447.83

Expenditures.**Parochial:**

Current expenses.....	\$ 88.25	
Repairs.....	3.45	
Rector's salary.....	328.00	\$419.70

Diocesan:

Council Fund.....	\$ 2.00	
Bishop's salary.....	3.00	
Diocesan Missions.....	4.00	
Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund.....	5.08	
Diocesan Education.....	9.20	
Bishop Gilbert's Fund.....	4.85	\$28.13 \$447.83

KENYON. *Population 800. Goodhue County. ASCENSION CHURCH.*
 The Rev. CHAS. B. FOSBROKE, Rector. Mr. S. A. BULLIS, Treasurer.
 Mr. N. J. BOHLKE, Clerk Vestry. Mrs. F. W. PATTRIDGE, S. S. Supt.
 Rector's salary, \$250. Pews free. Sitzings, 100. Value Church building, \$1,400; Rectory, \$2,000; lots, \$500; total, \$3,900.

Families.....	12	Holy Communion administered:	
Individuals.....	46	Public.....	3
Baptisms (Inf.).....	5	Public services:	
Confirmations:		Sundays 102, other days 27.....	129
M. 2, F. 1.....	3	Sunday School:	
Confirmed persons last report.....	23	Teachers.....	8
Present number:		Scholars (M. 20, F. 36).....	64
M. 11, F. 19.....	30	Library Books.....	150
Communicating during year:			
M. 12, F. 30.....	42		

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.**Receipts.**

Communion Alms.....	\$ 8.05	
Subscriptions.....	129.68	
Donations.....	25.00	
Offerings.....	39.79	
Parish Aid Society.....	125.00	
Sunday School.....	39.13	\$365.65

Expenditures.**Parochial:**

Current expenses.....	\$ 9.64	
Rector's salary.....	229.68	
Sunday School.....	39.13	
Insurance.....	25.00	
Donation to Rector.....	25.00	\$328.45

Diocesan:

Council Fund.....	\$ 2.00	
Bishop's salary.....	3.00	
Diocesan Missions.....	5.00	
Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund.....	7.65	
Sheltering Arms.....	1.00	
Bishop Gilbert's Fund.....	6.40	
Archdeacon.....	1.65	\$26.70

Extra Diocesan:

Domestic Missions.....	\$9.00	
Indian Rights Association.....	1.50	\$10.50 \$365.65

KERKHOVEN. *Population 300. Swift County. MISSION.* The
 Rev. D. T. BOOTH, Rector (P. O. Willmar.) Rector's salary, \$51.63.

PAROCHIAL REPORTS.

Families.....	6	Communicating during year:	
Individuals.....	23	M. 1, F. 6.....	7
Baptisms (Inf.).....	1	Holy Communion administered:	
Confirmed persons last report.....	7	Public.....	4
Lost.....	1	Public services.....	19
Present number:			
M. 1, F. 5.....	6		

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

Receipts.			
Communion Alms.....		\$ 3.00	
Subscriptions.....		26.25	
Donations.....		31.68	\$60.93
Expenditures.			
Parochial:			
Rector's salary.....		\$ 51.63	
Mission work.....		3.00	
Other expenses.....		6.30	\$60.93

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:
The report for this station last year was included in the report from S. Luke's Parish, Willmar. This year is the first in which Kerkhoven has had its own separate report sent in to the Council. With a small Church building I am satisfied that we could do good work here.

D. T. BOOTH, Missionary.

LAKE CRYSTAL. Population 900. Blue Earth County. ALL ANGELS CHURCH. Mrs. A. J. CHASE, S. S. Supt. Value Church building, \$800; lots, \$200; total, \$1,000.

Families.....	5	Present number Confirmed:	
Individuals.....	25	M. 3, F. 10.....	13
Lost.....	4		

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:
The information in my reach is very meagre. We have had no organization and but few services during the year. I applied to Mr. Davis for such information as he might have, but he said there was very little to report. I trust that there will be more activity here during the coming year. We have a beautiful Church, free from debt, and I think with one year's attention and help from the Church at large it will take root and flourish nicely.

LE SUEUR. Population 2,000. LeSueur County. S. JOHN'S CHURCH. The Rev. C. M. PULLEN, Priest in charge. (P. O. Shakopee.) Mr. WM. PLOWMAN, Warden. Rector's salary, \$300. Pews free. Sittings 120 Value Church building, \$1,400; Rectory, \$1,200; total, \$2,600.

Families.....	11	Communicating during year:	
Individuals.....	30	M. 2, F. 10.....	12
Baptisms (Inf.).....	2	Holy Communion administered....	6
Confirmations (F.).....	1	Public services:	
Confirmed persons last report	14	Sundays 25, other days 8.....	33
Present number:		Marriages.....	1
M. 3, F. 12.....	15		

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

Receipts.			
Communion Alms.....		\$ 6.50	
Subscriptions.....		96.00	
Offerings.....		1.50	
Parish Aid Society.....		243.59	
Rent of Rectory.....		40.00	\$387.59

Expenditures.

Parochial:			
Current expenses.....	\$	8.00	
Repairs.....		25.00	
Rector's salary.....		300.00	
Taxes.....		14.00	
New window.....		20.00	
Other expenses.....		7.50	\$374.50
Diocesan:			
Council Fund.....	\$	2.00	
Bishop's salary.....		3.00	
Diocesan Missions.....		5.00	
Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund.....		1.59	\$11.59
Extra Diocesan:			
Bible and Prayer Book Society.....		\$1.50	\$387.59

LEXINGTON. Population 100. Le Sueur County. S. PAUL'S CHURCH.
 The Rev. WM. TUSON, Rector. Mr. WM. FICKLING, JR. Mr. S. HOBDAI,
 Mr. JOHN THURSTON, Wardens. Mr. S. HOBDAI, Treasurer. Mr. WM.
 FICKLING, Clerk Vestry. Rector's salary, \$150. Pews free. Sittings,
 75.

Families.....	15	Communicating during year:	
Individuals.....	40	M. 4, F. 6.....	10
Baptisms (Inf.).....	4	Holy Communion administered ...	1
Confirmed persons last report.....	46	Public services.....	16
Lost.....	1	Burials.....	1
Present number:			
M. 15, F. 24.....	39		

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.**Receipts.**

Subscriptions.....	\$	30.00	
Offerings.....		25.50	\$55.50

Expenditures.

Parochial:			
Building New Church.....	\$	800.00	
Rector's salary.....		35.00	\$835.00

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

You will see that I have added in the list those that belonged to S. Paul's Mis-
 sion around the Le Sueur Centre.

Yours,

WM. TUSON.

LITCHFIELD. Population 2,000. Meeker County. TRINITY CHURCH.
 The Rev. A. G. PINKHAM, Rector. Mr. C. H. STROBECK, Mr. J. H.
 MORRIS, Wardens. Mr. W. H. JOHNS, Treasurer. Mr. M. O. CATH-
 CART, Clerk Vestry and S. S. Supt. Mr. C. H. STROBECK, Lay Reader.
 Rector's salary, \$900 and Rectory. Pews free. Sittings, 250. Value
 Church building, \$4,500; Chapel, \$500; Rectory, \$700; grounds and
 other property, \$2,400; total, \$8,100.

Families.....	70	Communicating during year:	
Individuals.....	325	M. 37, F. 80.....	117
Baptisms:		Public services:	
Inf. 6, Ad. 2.....	8	Sundays 108, other days 17.....	125
Confirmations (F.).....	8	Marriages.....	1
Confirmed persons last report.....	127	Burials.....	1
Added.....	15	Sunday School:	
Lost.....	2	Teachers (M. 4, F. 7).....	11
Present number:		Scholars (M. 40, F. 60).....	111
M. 50, F. 90.....	140	Catechising.....	14
Holy Communion administered.....	17		

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

Receipts.		
Communion Alms.....	\$ 26.53	
Subscriptions.....	300.00	
Donations.....	25.00	
Offerings.....	98.15	
Parish Aid Society.....	301.31	
Sunday School.....	27.05	
Weekly Pledges.....	868.40	
Assessments.....	45.45	
Special Offerings.....	44.74	\$1,736.63

Expenditures.		
Parochial:		
Current expenses.....	\$ 188.56	
Repairs.....	30.01	
Debts.....	452.00	
Rector's salary.....	902.00	
Sunday School.....	26.08	
Other expenses.....	18.35	\$1,617.00
Diocesan:		
Council Fund.....	\$ 8.00	
Bishop's salary.....	15.00	
Diocesan Missions.....	25.00	
Aged and Infirm Clergy.....	4.70	
Seabury Divinity School.....	5.55	
Archdeacons salary.....	25.00	
Bishop Gilbert's Fund.....	7.45	\$90.70
Extra Diocesan:		
Domestic Missions.....	\$ 1.10	
Foreign Missions.....	1.10	
General Missions.....	9.23	\$11.43
		\$1,719.13

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

Trinity Parish is now entirely self supporting. We stand to-day firmly on our feet. Our aim is now to make this a center for Church work. My people have responded nobly and loyally to the calls of the Church even in very trying circumstances.

Sincerely yours,

ALFRED G. PINKHAM, Rector.

LITTLE FALLS. *Population 3,000. Morrison County.* OUR SAVOUR CHURCH. The Rev. A. A. JOSS, Rector. Mr. EDWARD ROTHWELL, Mr. T. C. GORDEN, Wardens. Mr. A. TANNER, Treasurer. Mr. G. MURRAY, Clerk Vestry. Rector's salary, \$1,000. and Rectory. Pews free. Sittings, 100. Value Church building, \$1,200; Rectory, \$1,500; lots, \$2,000; total, \$4,700.

Families.....	50	Communicating during year:	
Individuals.....	190	M. 20, F. 50.....	70
Baptisms:		Holy Communion administered....	20
Inf. 6, Ad. 4.....	10	Public services:	
Confirmations:		Sundays 100, other days 40.....	140
M. 1, F. 3.....	4	Marriages.....	1
Confirmed persons last report.....	56	Burials.....	10
Added.....	9	Sunday School:	
Lost.....	12	Teachers (M. 3, F. 5).....	8
Present number:		Scholars (M. 20, F. 30).....	58
M. 10, F. 40.....	50	Catechisings.....	40

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

Receipts.		
Communion Alms.....	\$ 30.00	
Subscriptions.....	1,000.00	
Parish Aid Society.....	270.00	
Sunday School.....	64.00	\$1,364.00

Expenditures.

Parochial:			
Current expenses.....	\$140.00		
Repairs.....	200.00		
Rector's salary.....	430.00		
Sunday School.....	40.00		
Charity.....	40.00	\$850.00	
Diocesan:			
Council Fund.....	\$ 6.00		
Bishop's salary.....	26.00		
Diocesan Missions.....	24.00		
Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund.....	5.00	\$61.00	
Extra Diocesan:			
Domestic Missions.....		\$11.70	\$922.70

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

The town of Little Falls is growing and new people are coming to the Church, and we hope during the coming year that our offerings may be larger. The Church and Rectory are in such good condition that no repairs need be made for some time. The Church is almost out of debt, and in the future more can be given to the carrying on of the general work of the Diocese and General Missions.

Very respectfully yours,

A. A. JOSS.

LUVERNE. Population 1,800. Rock County. HOLY TRINITY CHURCH.

The Rev. C. S. WARE, Rector. Miss F. POPE, S. S. Supt. Rector's salary, \$400. Value of lots, \$600.

Families.....	11	Holy Communion administered	12
Individuals.....	56	Public services:	
Baptisms (Inf.).....	10	Sundays 48, other days 12.....	60
Confirmed persons last report.....	26	Marriages.....	2
Added.....	1	Burials.....	1
Present number:		Sunday School:	
M. 8, F. 19.....	27	Teachers (P.).....	4
Communicants:		Scholars.....	21
M. 4, F. 17.....	21	Catechisings.....	10
Communicating during year:			
M. 3, F. 14.....	17		

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.**Receipts.**

Communion Alms.....	\$ 11.25		
Subscriptions.....	450.00		
Offerings.....	30.87		
Parish Societies.....	200.00	\$692.12	

Expenditures.

Parochial:			
Current expenses.....	\$ 65.00		
Rector's salary.....	290.52		
Other expenses.....	162.00	\$517.52	
Diocesan:			
Council Fund.....	\$ 1.00		
Bishop's salary.....	2.00		
Diocesan Missions.....	3.00		
Aged and Infirm Clergy.....	2.00	\$8.00	\$525.52

MADISON LAKE. *Population 400. Blue Earth County.* GOOD SHEPHERD CHURCH. The Rev. JAMES CORNELL, Rector (P. O. Janesville.) Dr. H. A. HITCHCOCK, Mr. GEO. BREED, Wardens. Mr. GEO. BREED, Treasurer and S. S. Supt. Mr. O. G. CHAPMAN, Clerk Vestry. Pews free. Sittings, 100. Value Church building, \$1,100; lots, \$300; total, \$1,400. Indebtedness, \$400.

Families.....	10	Communicating during year:	
Individuals.....	42	M. 3, F. 7.....	10
Baptisms:		Holy Communion administered....	3
Inf. 3, Ad. 2.....	5	Public services:	
Confirmations:		Sundays 25, other days 1.....	26
M. 1, F. 3.....	4	Sunday School:	
Confirmed persons last report.....	11	Teachers (M. 1, F. 5).....	6
Added.....	6	Officers (M. 1, F. 4).....	5
Lost.....	5	Scholars (M. 20, F. 25).....	45
Present No. Confirmed persons:		Catechisings.....	3
M. 4, F. 8.....	12		

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

Receipts.		
Subscriptions.....	\$ 34.76	
Donations.....	142.90	
Offerings.....	20.30	
Parish Societies.....	65.06	
Sunday School.....	11.19	\$274.19

Expenditures.

Parochial:		
Current expenses.....	\$ 4.43	
Debts.....	200.00	
Sunday School.....	30.00	\$234.43
Diocesan:		
Bishop's salary.....	\$2.50	
Diocesan Missions.....	2.50	\$5.00
		\$239.43

MANKATO. *Population 9,000. Blue Earth County.* S. JOHN'S CHURCH. The Rev. ARTHUR R. TAYLOR, Rector. (No. 312 Warren Street.) Mr. A. M. SMITH, Mr. S. D. PARSONS, Wardens. Mr. H. E. SWAN, Treasurer. Mr. H. W. BROWN, Clerk Vestry and S. S. Supt. Rector's salary, \$90 and Rectory. Pews free. Sittings, 250. Value Church building, \$3,000; Rectory, \$1,800; lots, \$2,000; total, \$6,800. Indebtedness, \$370.

Families.....	68	Communicating during year:	
Baptisms:		M. 34, F. 88.....	122
Inf. 15, Ad. 8.....	23	Holy Communion administered....	40
Confirmations:		Public services:	
M. 7, F. 12.....	19	Sundays 126, other days 78.....	204
Confirmed persons last report.....	106	Marriages.....	2
Added by Confirmation.....	19	Burials.....	6
Added by Transfer.....	24	Sunday School:	
Lost.....	14	Teachers (M. 2, F. 8).....	10
Present number:		Officers (M. 1, F. 1).....	2
M. 43, F. 92.....	135	Scholars.....	85
Communicants:		Catechisings.....	10
M. 33, F. 88.....	121	Library Books.....	120

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

Receipts.		
Balance from last report.....	\$ 46.15	
Subscriptions.....	958.00	
Donations.....	49.00	
Offerings.....	574.78	
Parish Societies.....	655.17	
Sunday School.....	105.89	\$2,388.90

Expenditures.**Parochial:**

Current expenses.....	\$ 264.80	
Debts.....	480.05	
Rector's salary.....	900.00	
Sunday School.....	118.44	
Poor, Charitable work.....	6.72	
Kindergarten and S. S. Christmas Tree.....	133.00	
Repairs and other expenses.....	302.37	\$2,205.38

Diocesan:

Council Fund	\$ 10.00	
Bishop's salary.....	20.00	
Diocesan Missions.....	28.00	
Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund.....	10.00	
Seabury Divinity School.....	5.00	
Sheltering Arms.....	4.33	
Bishop Gilbert's Fund.....	18.00	\$95.33

Extra Diocesan:

Domestic Missions.....	\$ 4.50	
Foreign Missions.....	4.50	
General Missions.....	17.40	\$26.40
		\$2,327.11

MANTORVILLE. Population 450. Dodge County. S. JOHN'S CHURCH. The Rev. A. M. HILLIKER, Rector (P. O. Faribault.) Mr. A. LA DUE, Treasurer. Mr. E. DRAY, Lay Reader. RECTOR, S. S. Supt. Rector's salary, \$200. Pews free. Sittings, 250. Value Church building, \$4,000; lots, \$200; total, \$4,200.

Families.....	16	Communicating during year:	
Individuals.....	59	Male 3, Female 25.....	28
Baptisms:		Holy Communion administered.....	5
Inf. 5, Ad. 5.....	10	Public services:	
Confirmations (F.).....	7	Sundays 50, other days 4.....	54
Confirmed persons last report.....	22	Burials.....	1
Added.....	6	Sunday School:	
Present number:		Teachers (F.).....	5
M. 3, F. 25.....	28	Officers (M. 1, F. 1).....	2
		Scholars (M. 22, F. 39).....	61 68

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.**Receipts.**

Communion Alms.....	\$ 7.26	
Subscriptions.....	58.50	
Donations.....	8.00	
Offerings.....	98.89	
Parish Societies.....	237.96	
Sunday School.....	11.19	\$421.80

Expenditures.**Parochial:**

Current expenses.....	\$ 25.15	
Repairs.....	79.79	
Rector's salary.....	200.00	
Sunday School.....	24.14	
Other expenses.....	40.00	\$369.08

Diocesan:

Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund.....	\$ 5.42	
Bishop Gilbert's Fund.....	5.70	\$11.12
		\$380.20

MELROSE. Population 1000. Stearns County. TRINITY CHURCH.
 The Rev. J. F. HAMILTON, Rector. Pews free. Sittings, 84. Value
 Church lots, \$1,000.

Families.....	7	Present number:	
Individuals.....	24	M. 3, F. 8.....	11
Baptisms:		Communicating during year:	
Inf. 3, Ad. 1.....	4	M. 2, F. 4.....	6
Confirmed persons last report.....	12	Holy Communion administered.....	3
Added.....	1	Public services (Sundays).....	23
Lost.....	2		

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

Receipts.

Offerings.....	\$ 41.80	
Parish Societies.....	13.00	\$54.80

Expenditures.

Parochial:			
Current expenses.....	\$ 1.43		
Rector's salary.....	43.73	\$45.16	
Diocesan:			
Council Fund.....	\$ 1.00		
Bishop's salary.....	1.00		
Aged and Infirm Clergy.....	1.27		
Diocesan Missions.....	2.00	\$5.27	\$50.80

MINNEAPOLIS. Population 165,000. Hennepin County. ALL SAINTS' CHURCH. The Rev. A. ALEXANDER, Rector. Mr. LE ROY ROBERTSON, Mr. THOS. SAEGAR, Wardens. Mr. G. A. MCDUGALL, Treasurer. Mr. ROBT. LYLE, Clerk Vestry and Lay Reader. Rector's salary, \$1,000. Pews free. Sittings, 250. Value Church building, \$5,000; lots, \$3,000; total, \$8,000. Indebtedness, \$2,000.

Families.....	40	Communicants:	
Individuals.....	156	M. 22, F. 59.....	\$1
Baptisms (Inf.).....	7	Communicating during year:	
Confirmations:		M. 42, F. 80.....	122
M. 5, F. 6.....	11	Holy Communion administered:	
Confirmed persons last report.....	105	Pub. 25, Priv. 7.....	32
Added by Confirmation.....	11	Public services:	
Added otherwise.....	43	Sundays 106, other days 30.....	136
Lost.....	15	Burials.....	2
Present No. Confirmed persons:		Sunday School:	
M. 26, F. 72.....	98	Teachers (M. 5, F. 7).....	12
		Scholars.....	72 84

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

Receipts.

Balance.....	\$ 161.63	
Loan.....	704.10	
Subscriptions.....	451.38	
Offerings.....	259.64	
Parish Aid Society.....	55.00	
Sunday School.....	38.00	\$1,689.75

Expenditures.

Parochial:			
Current expenses.....	\$	206.86	
Interest.....		67.25	
Rector's salary.....		1,249.00	
Charity.....		11.00	
Other expenses.....		47.69	\$1,581.80
Diocesan:			
Council Fund.....	\$	3.00	
Bishop's salary.....		7.00	
Diocesan Missions.....		10.00	\$20.00
Extra Diocesan:			
Colored Missions.....			\$3.50 \$1,615.30

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

The amount under "Rector's salary paid" includes \$819 for balance of salary due and paid to the Rev. E. J. Purdy.

In addition to above Report, I am glad to be able to record solid progressive foundation work, and also a fund in hand (part cash, and part pledged) exceeding one thousand dollars, for building a proposed Chancel, Sunday School and Guild Room extension to the Church. Yours respectfully and faithfully,

A. ALEXANDER.

MINNEAPOLIS. *Population 165,000. Hennepin County.* GETH-
SEMANE CHURCH. Rev. JOHN J. FAUDE, Rector, (No. 505 8th street
South.) Mr. JOHN I. BLACK, Mr. O. T. TUTTLE, Wardens. Mr. J. B.
PHELPS, Treasurer. Mr. P. V. P. WIGGINS, Clerk Vestry. Mr. JOHN I.
BLACK, S. S. Supt. Rector's salary, \$4,000. Pews rented. Sittings,
700. Value Church building, \$50,000; lots and other property, \$60,000;
total, \$110,000. Indebtedness, \$31,600.

Families.....	450	Holy Communion administered:	
Individuals.....	1,600	Pub. 95, Priv. 11.....	106
Baptisms:		Public services:	
Inf. 27, Ad. 7.....	34	Sundays 159, other days 150.....	309
Confirmations:		Marriages.....	17
M. 13, F. 19.....	32	Burials.....	29
Confirmed persons last report.....	823	Sunday Schools.....	2
Added.....	121	Teachers (M. 14, F. 22)....	36
Lost.....	44	Scholars.....	280 316
Present number.....	900	Library Books.....	200

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.**Receipts.**

Balance.....	\$	137.64	
Communion Alms.....		182.21	
Pew Rents.....		6,858.36	
Offerings.....		1,471.52	
Parish Aid Societies.....		2,622.84	
Sunday School.....		280.13	
Interest on Mortgage.....		2,100.00	
Sundries.....		34.65	\$13,687.39

Expenditures.

Parochial:			
Current expenses.....	\$	2,724.93	
Repairs.....		234.01	
Rector's salary.....		4,000.00	
Sunday School.....		269.78	
Charity.....		417.36	
Church Work in Parish.....		73.00	
Interest, etc.....		2,085.75	
Other expenses.....		779.31	
City Missions.....		61.64	
Cash on hand.....		336.78	\$10,981.81

					\$10,981.81
Diocesan:					
Council Fund.....	\$	50.00			
Bishop's salary.....		200.00			
Diocesan Missions.....		450.00			
Other Missions.....		165.73			
Aged and Infirm Clergy.....		100.00			
Sheltering Arms.....		280.75			
Hospitals.....		210.00			
Bishop Gilbert's Fund.....		37.10			
Interest on Episcopate Fund.....		105.00			
Sundries.....		92.00			
					\$1,690.58
Extra Diocesan:					
Domestic and Foreign Missions.....	\$	670.00			
Woman's Auxiliary.....		320.00			
Am. Church Building Fund.....		25.00			
				\$1,015.00	\$13,687.39

MINNEAPOLIS. *Population 165,000. Hennepin County.* GRACE CHURCH. The Rev. C. E. HIXON, Rector. (No. 1410 19th st. S.) Mr. JOHN PARSLow, Mr. DAVID ROYAL, Wardens. Mr. F. O. KITTELL, Treasurer. Mr. R. S. WILSON, Clerk Vestry. RECTOR, S. S. Supt. Rector's salary, \$700. Pews free. Sittings, 150. Value Church building, \$2,500; lots, \$3,000; total, \$5,500.

Families.....	68	Holy Communion administered:	
Individuals.....	316	Pub. 24, Priv. 8.....	32
Baptisms (Inf.).....	23	Public services:	
Confirmations:		Sundays 175, other days 10.....	185
M. 4, F. 6.....	10	Marriages.....	12
Confirmed persons last report.....	175	Burials.....	25
Added.....	30	Sunday School:	
Lost.....	24	Teachers (M. 3, F. 6).....	9
Present number.....	181	Scholars.....	69
Communicants.....	181	Catechisings.....	52
Communicating during year.....	150	Library Books.....	40

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

Receipts.

Communion Alms.....	\$	8.00	
Subscriptions.....		573.39	
Parish Aid Societies.....		353.34	
Sunday School.....		48.22	
Diocesan Missions.....		200.00	
Special Assessments.....		27.06	\$1,210.01

Expenditures.

Parochial:			
Current expenses.....	\$	100.00	
Repairs.....		12.00	
Rector's salary.....		549.14	
Sunday School.....		22.22	
Charity.....		15.00	
Mission Work.....		4.85	
Other expenses.....		40.00	
Donations.....		32.80	
Church Improvement.....		125.00	
To Rector.....		200.00	
Taxes.....		24.75	\$1,125.76

			\$1,125.76	
Diocesan:				
Council Fund	\$	4.00		
Bishop's salary		8.00		
Diocesan Missions		12.00		
Sheltering Arms		5.00		
Bishop Gilbert's Fund		3.08		
Archdeacon's salary		10.00	\$42.06	
Extra Diocesan:				
Domestic Missions	\$	16.00		
Woman's Auxiliary		10.00	\$26.00	\$1,193.82

MINNEAPOLIS. (East.) Population 200,000. Hennepin County.

HOLY TRINITY CHURCH. The Rev. ANDREW J. GRAHAM, Rector, (No. 408 4th street, S. E.) Mr. JOHN G. HALL, Mr. FRED FARRINGTON, Wardens. Mr. A. SMITH LEIB, Treasurer. Mr. GEO. N. HOUGHTON, Clerk Vestry. RECTOR, S. S. Supt. Messrs FRED FARRINGTON, Geo. S. GRIMES, GEO. A. CODE, R. H. SANFORD, JOHN TURTON and JOHN SOPER, Lay Readers. Rector's salary, \$1,200. and Rectory. Pews rented. Sitings, 450. Value Church building, \$16,000; Rectory. \$3,500; lots, \$13,000; total, \$32,500. Indebtedness, \$7,500.

Families	132	Holy Communion administered:	
Individuals	528	Pub. 63, Priv. 3	66
Baptisms:		Public services:	
Inf. 21, Ad. 9	30	Sundays 125, other days 21	146
Confirmations:		Marriages	15
M. 10, F. 14	24	Churchings	1
Confirmed persons last report	274	Burials	4
Added	58	Sunday School:	
Lost	22	Teachers (M. 2, F. 10)	12
Present number:		Scholars (M. 28, F. 85)	113 125
M. 94, F. 216	310	Catechisings	15
Communicating during year:		Library Books	250
M. 70, F. 200	270		

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

Receipts.

Balance	\$	134.55	
Communion Alms		64.29	
Pew Rents		1,449.75	
Subscriptions		1,707.44	
Donations		485.00	
Offerings		637.09	
Parish Aid Societies		573.06	
Sunday School		106.66	\$5,157.84

Expenditures.

Parochial:			
Current expenses	\$	496.20	
Debts		475.00	
Church building		1,250.00	
Rectory building		65.00	
Rector's salary		1,428.00	
Charity		48.50	
Sunday School		73.00	
Music and Choir Vestments		650.00	
Church Furniture and Windows		475.00	\$4,960.70

Diocesan:		\$4,960.70
Council Fund	\$ 15.00	
Bishop's salary	35.00	
Diocesan Missions	75.00	
Other Missions	22.00	
Aged and Infirm Clergy	19.00	
Sheltering Arms	16.00	
S. Barnabas' Hospital	34.00	\$216.60
Extra Diocesan:		
Woman's Auxiliary	\$27.00	\$5,197.70

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

During the last year our Church building has been more than doubled in size and very much beautified. A Vested Choir of men and boys has been introduced, with marked success. We look forward with much hope to the work of this Parish.

Respectfully and Sincerely Yours,

A. J. GRAHAM.

MINNEAPOLIS. Population 165,000. Hennepin County. S. LUKE'S CHURCH. The Rev. WM. B. HAMILTON, Rector. (No. 3203 Pleasant Avenue.) Mr. F. H. HALL, Warden. Mr. JOHN H. ROBERTSON, Treasurer. Mr. CHAS. H. STONE, Clerk Vestry. Mr. F. H. HALL, S. S. Supt. and Lay Reader. Rector's salary, \$800. Pews free. Sittings, 230. Value Church building, \$3,700; lots and other property, \$4,000; total, \$7,700. Indebtedness, \$3,500.

Families.....	42	Holy Communion administered:	
Individuals.....	173	Pub. 43, Priv. 2.....	45
Confirmed persons last report.....	120	Public services:	
Present number:		Sundays 121, other days 31.....	152
M. 36, F. 64.....	100	Churchings.....	1
Communicating during year.....	100	Burials.....	3

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

Receipts.

Offerings, etc.....	\$742.89
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Expenditures.

Parochial	\$742.89
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RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

The Rector was absent from the Parish from Dec. 3d, 1890, to May 23d, 1891. The Report of families and communicants is taken from the Report of June, 1890 and additions and losses only registered which occurred previous to December, 1890. The Report of services also only covers the personal ministrations of the Rector, although services were regularly maintained during his absence, by a Priest for four months, and by a Lay Reader for the remainder of the time.

MINNEAPOLIS. (East.) Population 200,000. Hennepin County. S. MATTHEW'S CHURCH. The Rev. ANDREW J. GRAHAM, Rector. (408 Fourth st. S. E.) Mr. A. G. J. OGDEN, Mr. M. A. JONES, Mr. C. A. McCULLOCH, Committee. Mr. JACOB L. SCOTT, Treasurer and S. S. Supt. Mr. A. G. J. OGDEN, Clerk Vestry. Pews free. Sittings, 100. Value Church building, \$1,400; lots, \$1,200; total, \$2,600. Indebtedness, \$800.

Families.....	18	Holy Communion administered.....	5
Individuals.....	68	Public services:	
Baptisms (Ad.).....	4	Sundays 47, other days 11.....	58
Confirmations:		Sunday School:	
M. 5, F. 5.....	10	Teachers (M. 1, F. 4).....	5
Communicants:		Officers (M.).....	1
M. 10, F. 20.....	30	Scholars (M. 15, F. 28).....	43
Communicating during year:		Library Books.....	30
M. 8, F. 16.....	24		

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

Receipts.

Offerings.....	\$ 56.00	
Parish Societies.....	65.00	
Sunday School.....	5.40	\$126.40

Expenditures.

Parochial:		
Current expenses.....	\$113.00	
Sunday School Papers and Leaflets.....	11.00	\$124.00

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

Services were begun in S. Matthews' in 1887, and have been kept up continuously by Clergy or Lay Reader. Contiguous to the Chapel is a population of at least 6,000 people. The Mission was organized formally, April 6, 1891, and immediately thereafter I took charge. Owing to the fact that no regular record has been kept, this Report is necessarily meager. Respectfully and Sincerely,

ANDREW J. GRAHAM.

MINNEAPOLIS. *Population 165,000. Hennepin County.* S. PAUL'S CHURCH. The Rev. FRANK R. MILLSPAUGH, Rector. (No. 1215 Hawthorn ave.) The Rev. E. J. PURDY, Associate Priest, (No. 2914 Portland ave.) Mr. W. M. REGAN, Mr. C. L. WELLS, M. D., Wardens. Mr. W. E. STEELE, Treasurer. Mr. R. A. MCGREGOR, Clerk Vestry. Mr. A. G. DUNLOP, S. S. Supt. Mr. ANDREW H. ADAMS, Lay Reader. Rector's salary, \$2,000. Pews rented and free. Sittings, 700. Value Church building, \$5,000; Chapel, \$700; lots, \$35,000; total, \$40,700 Indebtedness, \$5,389.

Families.....	325
Individuals.....	950
Baptisms:	
Inf. 26, Ad. 11.....	37
Confirmations:	
M. 8, F. 16.....	24
Confirmed persons last report.....	385
Communicants.....	400
Communicating during year.....	345
Holy Communion administered:	
Pub. 75, Priv. 5.....	80

Public services:	
Sundays 156, other days 134.....	290
Marriages.....	8
Churchings.....	2
Burials.....	12
Sunday School:	
Teachers.....	11
Scholars.....	145
Catechisings.....	40

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

Receipts.

Balance.....	\$ 108.06	
Communion Alms.....	117.63	
Few Rents and Subscriptions.....	3,183.89	
Donations.....	309.92	
Offerings.....	1,463.02	
Parish Aid Societies.....	405.72	\$5,588.24

Expenditures.

Parochial:		
Current expenses.....	\$1,522.85	
Repairs.....	24.60	
Debts.....	1,076.58	
Rector's salary.....	2,160.00	
Charity.....	117.63	
Other expenses.....	20.36	\$4,921.42

Diocesan:			
Council Fund.....	\$	20.00	\$4,921.42
Bishop's salary.....		70.00	
Diocesan Missions.....		150.00	
Other Missions.....		146.42	
Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund.....		14.05	
Seabury Divinity School.....		10.00	
Sheltering Arms.....		20.00	\$432.47
Extra Diocesan.....			\$234.35 \$5,588.24

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

Five years we have been together as Pastor and people. What has been done for the spiritual welfare of the congregation only God knows. In temporal affairs, we have reduced a debt of \$19,000 to \$5,000 and in continuous hard times.

Obediently,

FRANK R. MILLSPAUGH.

MONTEVIDEO. *Population 1,600. Chippewa County.* GRACE CHURCH. The Rev. M. N. RAY, Rector. Mr. F. W. STURTEVANT, Mr. J. A. CASE, Wardens. Mr. J. M. SEVERENCE, Treasurer. Mr. M. E. TITUS, Clerk Vestry. Mr. F. W. STURTEVANT, Lay Reader. Rector's salary, \$700. Pews free. Sittings, 200. Value Church building, \$3,600; lots, \$800; total, \$4,400. Indebtedness, \$150.

Families.....	44	Communicating during year.....	68
Individuals.....	180	Holy Communion administered....	3
Baptisms:		Public services:	
Inf. 6, Ad. 1.....	7	Sundays 88, other days 65.....	153
Confirmations (F.).....	6	Marriages.....	1
Confirmed persons last report.....	74	Burials.....	2
Added.....	7	Sunday School:	
Lost.....	4	Teachers (M. 1, F. 5).....	6
Present number:		Scholars (M. 28, F. 32).....	66
Male 32, Female 45.....	77	Catechisings.....	15

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

	Receipts.		
Balance.....	\$	14.28	
Subscriptions.....		64.50	
Offerings.....		513.39	
Parish Societies.....		201.48	
Sunday School.....		10.40	
Loan.....		350.00	\$1,139.78

	Expenditures.		
Parochial:			
Current expenses.....	\$	71.42	
Debts.....		286.00	
Church Building Fund.....		145.00	
Rector's salary.....		552.93	\$1,055.35
Diocesan:			
Council Fund.....	\$	2.00	
Bishop's salary.....		3.00	
Diocesan Missions.....		5.00	
Other Missions.....		15.40	
Aged and Infirm Clergy.....		6.30	
Sheltering Arms.....		3.85	
Archdeacon's salary.....	\$	10.00	
Bishop Gilbert's Fund.....	\$	6.20	\$51.55
Domestic and Foreign Missions.....			\$18.10 \$1,125.00

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

Above report as to services, etc., is from August 10th last year. I have no means of ascertaining number of services held previous to that date. A Mission was held by the Archdeacon during Lent. One class confirmed by you. Daily services are now held and nicely attended.

Yours most respectfully,

M. N. RAY.

MORRIS. *Population 1,200. Stevens County. ALL SAINTS' CHURCH.*
The Rev. F. H. PORRS, in charge. Sittings, 100. Value Church building,
\$1,000; lots, \$200; total, \$1,200.

Families.....	5	Communicating during year:	
Individuals.....	24	M. 3, F. 6.....	9
Confirmed persons last report.....	10	Holy Communion administered	6
Communicants:		Public services:	
Male 3, Female 7.....	10	Sundays 15, other days 2.....	17

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

Receipts.

Donations.....	\$ 12.00	
Offerings.....	14.45	
Contributions.....	30.00	\$56.45

Expenditures.

Parochial:		
Current expenses.....	\$ 9.00	
Repairs.....	42.00	\$51.00
Diocesan:		
Bishop Gilbert's Fund.....	\$ 5.45	\$56.45

MORRISTOWN. *Population 500. Rice County. S. JOHN'S CHURCH.*
No Rector. Mr. A. J. EDDY, Mr. JOHN GIBSON, Bishop's Committee.
Mr. AARON KISOR, Treasurer. Mr. P. SMITH, Clerk Vestry. Mr. JOHN
H. GRIFFITH, Lay Reader. Pews free. Sittings, 120. Value Church
building, \$400.

Families.....	24	Confirmed persons.....	52
Individuals.....	76	Communicating during year.....	15
Baptisms:		Holy Communion administered	7
Inf. 2, Ad. 1.....	3		

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

Receipts.

Offerings.....	\$10.00
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Expenditures.

Diocesan:	
Bishop's salary.....	\$10.00

NEW LONDON. *Population 200. Kandiyohi County. MISSION.*
Rev. D. T. BOOTH, Rector. Rector's salary, \$304.

Families.....	7	Confirmed persons:	
Individuals.....	25	M. 3, F. 5.....	8
Baptisms (Inf.).....	1	Communicating during year:	
Confirmations:		M. 2, F. 4.....	6
M. 1, F. 1.....	2	Holy Communion administered	2
		Public services.....	15

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

Receipts.

Communion Alms.....	\$ 1.00	
Donations.....	7.50	\$8.50

Expenditures.

Parochial:		
Rector's salary.....	\$ 3.04	
Other expenses.....	5.46	\$8.50.

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

As with Kerkhoven, the Report for this station, has, previous to this year been included in the Report from S. Luke's Parish, Willmar, therefore this is the first year in which New London appears with a separate Report of its own. The prospect of our Church is better than it has been in the past. We very much need a small Church building here, but have not the ability to build.

D. T. BOOTH, Missionary.

NORTHFIELD. Population 3,200. Rice County. ALL SAINTS' CHURCH. The Rev. GEO. H. MUELLER, Rector. Mr. J. R. SUMNER, Mr. H. L. CRITTENDEN, Wardens. Mrs. H. B. MARTIN, Treasurer. Mrs. H. L. CRITTENDEN, Clerk Vestry. Rector, S. S. Supt. Rector's salary, \$600 and Rectory. Pews free. Sittings, 240. Value Church building, \$1,200; Rectory, \$2,000; other property, \$1,500; total, \$4,700. Indebtedness, \$200.

Families.....	76	Communicating during year:	
Individuals.....	220	M. 18, F. 76.....	94
Baptisms:		Holy Communion administered:	
Inf. 6, Ad. 1.....	7	Pub. 18, Priv. 1.....	19
Confirmations:		Public services:	
M. 1, F. 1.....	2	Sundays 71, other days 74.....	145
Confirmed persons last report.....	121	Marriages.....	3
Added.....	3	Burials.....	10
Lost.....	6	Sunday School:	
Present number:		Teachers (M. 1, F. 10).....	11
M. 27, F. 91.....	118	Scholars (M. 18, F. 37).....	66
Communicants.....	110	Catechisings.....	9
		Library Books.....	65

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

Receipts.

Subscriptions.....	\$ 494.72	
Offerings.....	138.35	
Parish Aid Societies.....	336.50	
Sunday School.....	32.33	\$1,001.90

Expenditures.

Parochial:		
Current expenses.....	\$ 124.86	
Repairs.....	224.30	
Debts.....	52.00	
Rector's salary.....	600.00	
Sunday School.....	3.82	\$1,004.78
Diocesan:		
Bishop's salary.....	\$ 20.00	
Diocesan Missions.....	3.50	
Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund.....	2.93	
Bishop Gilbert's Fund.....	7.17	\$33.60
Extra Diocesan:		
Domestic Missions.....	\$ 18.35	
American Church Building Fund.....	2.03	\$20.38
		\$1,058.76

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

Besides the above I beg to report that I have held services once every two weeks at Randolph, preaching there twenty times and administering the Holy Communion once. I have also preached eighteen times at Cannon Falls and administered the Holy Communion nine times.

Sincerely Yours,

GEO. H. MUELLER.

NORTH BRANCH. *Population 500. Chisago County. S. THOMAS' CHURCH.* Mr. ALEX. BURGH, Mr. GEO. MARHAM, Mr. ENOS MURRY, Committee. Mr. GEORGE MARHAM, Treasurer and Secretary. Mr. J. C. A. PICKET, S. S. SUPT. Mr. JOHN CALDWELL, Lay Reader. Sittings, 150. Value Church building, \$1,800; Rectory, \$1,200; lots, \$700; total, \$3,700.

Families.....	16	Public services:	
Individuals.....	40	Sundays 34, other days 3.....	37
Baptisms (Inf.).....	3	Burials.....	2
Confirmed persons last report.....	20	Sunday School:	
Present number:		Teachers (M. 2, F. 3).....	5
M. 5, F. 13.....	18	Officers.....	1
Communicating during year:		Scholars (M. 5, F. 15).....	20
M. 4, F. 12.....	16	Library Books.....	30
Holy Communion administered ..	3		

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.**Receipts.**

Offerings.....	\$ 58.70	
Parish Aid Guilds.....	32.00	
Mite Chests.....	4.19	
Rent Rectory.....	72.00	
Mission Board.....	33.33	\$210.22

Expenditures.

Parochial:		
Lay Reader's salary.....	\$197.03	
Diocesan:		
Council Fund.....	\$ 1.00	
Bishop's salary.....	3.00	
Diocesan Missions.....	5.00	\$9.00
Extra Diocesan:		
General Missions.....	\$4.19	\$210.22

OAK VALLEY. *Otter Tail County. HOLY TRINITY MISSION. The Rev. C. C. ROLLIT, Priest in charge. (P. O. Fergus Falls.) Mr. J. H. WALBRIDGE, Mr. WM. NAYLOR, Mr. JOHN COLSON, Bishop's Committee.*

Families.....	6	Present No. Confirmed persons:	
Individuals.....	32	M. 4, F. 3.....	7
Baptisms (Inf.).....	1	Public services.....	18

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.**Receipts.**

Offerings.....	\$30.55
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Expenditures.

Parochial:	
Current expenses.....	\$30.55

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

Oak Valley is a Mission which has recently come under my charge. We have no Church building, services being held in the School House. The Mission is among a farming community, very largely Scandinavians. The outlook for the Church is most promising.

Faithfully Yours,

C. C. ROLLIT.

PAYNESVILLE. Population 700. Stearns County. S. STEPHEN'S CHURCH. The Rev. D. T. BOOTH, Priest in charge. (P. O. Wilmor.) Mr. ANGUS HAINES, Lay Reader, Warden and S. S. Sept. Mr. A. G. WARREN, Clerk Vestry. Pews free. Sittings, 250. Value Church building, \$3,000; lots, \$200; total, \$3,200. Indebtedness, \$1,300.

Families.....	25	Holy Communion administered.....	3
Individuals.....	100	Public services:	
Confirmed persons last report.....	14	Sundays 52, other days 2.....	57
Present number:		Baptisms.....	7
M. 6, P. 9.....	15	Sunday School:	
Communicants.....	15	Teachers (M. 2, P. 2).....	4
Communicating during year:		Scholars (M. 12, P. 23).....	35
M. 9, P. 11.....	19	Catechisms.....	22

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

Receipts.

Communion Alms.....	\$ 12.83	
Donations.....	643.00	
Offerings.....	263.40	
Parish Aid Societies.....	69.00	
Sunday School.....	26.13	\$814.36

Expenditures.

Parochial:		
Current expenses.....	\$ 35.15	
Church building.....	584.66	
Sunday School.....	12.53	\$632.34
Diocesan:		
Council Fund.....	\$ 2.00	
Bishop's salary.....	2.00	
Diocesan Missions.....	4.00	\$8.00
Extra Diocesan:		
Domestic Missions.....	\$ 4.22	
Bible and Prayer Book Society.....	4.53	\$8.75
		\$649.29

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

The faithful and efficient Lay Reader, Mr. Angus Haines, has kept up the services and superintended the Sunday School without intermission the past year. The interest continues good, and the attendance is gradually increasing. The Missionary in charge visits the Parish as often as possible, holding Sunday services and administering the Holy Communion. The offerings, above what is needed for current expenses, go to the paying of the debt on the Church.

D. T. BOOTH

POINT DOUGLASS. Population 150. Washington County. S. MARY'S CHURCH. The Rev. JNO. W. PROSSER, Priest in charge. (P. O. 1922 S. E. 4th st., Minneapolis.) Mr. JAS. SHEARER, Mr. A. NICOLL, Wardens. Mr. CHAS. HENRY, Treasurer and Lay Reader. Mr. Mr. J. H. HONE, Clerk Vestry. Pews free. Sittings, 100. Value Church building, \$1,200.

Families.....	9	Holy Communion administered.....	6
Individuals.....	34	Public services.....	24
Baptisms (Ad.).....	1	Sunday School:	
Confirmations (F.).....	1	Teachers (F.).....	2
Confirmed persons last report.....	28	Scholars.....	20
Present number:			22
M. 9, P. 18.....	27		

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.**Receipts.**

Subscriptions.....	\$ 24.00	
Offerings.....	15.15	
Parish Aid Society.....	48.83	
Sunday School.....	6.23	\$94.21

Expenditures.

Parochial:		
Repairs.....	\$ 31.95	
Rector's salary.....	24.00	
Sunday School.....	4.85	\$60.80
Diocesan:		
Council Fund.....	\$ 1.00	
Bishop's salary.....	3.00	
Diocesan Missions.....	5.00	
Archdeacon's salary.....	2.00	
Bishop Gilbert's Fund.....	7.55	\$18.55
Extra Diocesan:		
Domestic and Foreign Missions.....	\$.85	\$80.20

PINE ISLAND. *Population 350. Goodhue County.* GRACE CHURCH.
The Rev. S. PRITCHARD, Priest in charge. (P. O. Chatfield.) Mrs. G.
MILLER, Treasurer. Mr. W. H. SWARTHOUT, S. S. Supt. Rector's
Salary, \$130. Pews free. Sittings, 150. Value Church building,
\$1,500.

Families.....	16	Communicating during year:	
Individuals.....	50	M. 1, F. 17.....	18
Confirmations:		Holy Communion administered....	12
M. 1, F. 8.....	9	Public services:	
Confirmed persons last report.....	15	Sundays 52, other days 3.....	55
Added.....	10	Burials.....	1
Lost.....	3	Sunday School:	
Present number:		Teachers (M. 2, F. 4).....	6
M. 3, F. 28.....	31	Scholars (M. 15, F. 37).....	52 58
		Library Books.....	91

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.**Receipts.**

Offerings.....	\$169.73	
Sunday School.....	11.40	\$181.13

Expenditures.

Parochial:		
Rector's salary.....	\$150.00	
Sunday School.....	12.80	\$162.80
Diocesan:		
Council Fund.....	\$ 3.00	
Bishop's salary.....	3.00	
Diocesan Missions.....	5.00	
Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund.....	1.50	\$12.50
Extra Diocesan:		
Domestic Missions.....	\$5.80	\$181.13

PIPESTONE. *Population 1,200. Pipestone County.* S. PAUL'S
CHURCH. The Rev. C. S. WARE, Priest in charge (P. O. Luverne.)
Rector's salary, \$38.

Families.....	3	Communicating during year:	
Individuals.....	16	M. 3, F. 3.....	6
Communicants:		Holy Communion administered.....	4
M. 6, F. 4.....	10	Public services:	
		Sundays 2, other days 10.....	12

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

Receipts.

Offerings.....	\$25.00
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Expenditures.

Parochial:	
Repairs.....	\$25.00

RED WING. Population 7,000. Goodhue County. CHRIST CHURCH.
 The Rev. EDWARD H. CLARK, Rector. Hon. E. T. WILDER, Mr. J. C. PIERCE, Wardens. Hon. E. T. WILDER, Treasurer. Mr. G. C. DAVIS, Clerk Vestry. Rector, S. S. Supt. Rector's salary, \$1,200 and Rectory. Pews free. Sittings, 500. Value Church building and lots, \$25,000; Chapel, \$800; Rectory, \$4,000; total, \$29,800.

Families.....	165	Communicating during year:	
Individuals.....	700	M. 70, F. 135.....	205
Baptisms:		Holy Communion administered:	
Inf. 29, Ad. 2.....	31	Pub. 64, Priv. 3.....	67
Confirmations:		Public services:	
M. 19, F. 13.....	32	Sundays 156, other days 142.....	298
Confirmed persons last report.....	280	Marriages.....	10
Added.....	44	Burials.....	43
Lost.....	16	Sunday School:	
Present number:		Teachers (M. 3, F. 18).....	21
M. 119, F. 189.....	308	Scholars (M. 68, F. 80).....	148 169
(Indians.....	26)	Catechisings.....	12
		Library Books.....	175

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

Receipts.

Communion Alms.....	\$ 103.93	
Subscriptions.....	1,200.00	
Donations.....	300.00	
Endowments.....	156.44	
Offerings.....	545.36	
Parish Aid Society.....	269.42	
Sunday School.....	80.11	
Special Offerings.....	539.47	\$3,194.33

Expenditures.

Parochial:		
Current expenses.....	\$ 532.84	
Repairs.....	125.70	
Rector's salary.....	1,200.00	
Sunday School.....	101.67	
Charity.....	45.97	
Music, etc.....	300.00	\$2,306.18
Diocesan:		
Council Fund.....	\$ 35.00	
Bishop's salary.....	100.00	
Diocesan Missions.....	150.00	
Other Missions.....	26.00	
Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund.....	27.88	
Seabury Divinity School.....	25.20	
Sheltering Arms.....	24.50	
Hospitals.....	12.42	\$401.00

Extra Diocesan:			\$401.00	
Domestic Missions.....	\$	37.17		
Foreign Missions.....		67.13		
Woman's Auxiliary.....		81.61		
Indian Missions.....		8.50		
Colored Missions.....		12.55		
Jewish Missions.....		13.12	\$220.08	\$2,927.26

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

The large number of burials (43) noted above, is due to the catastrophe on Lake Pepin, on the evening of July 13th, 1890, when some seventy (70) persons of Red Wing lost their lives. During the sad days that followed, many not of our Communion, sought the Church's offices, and nearly a score of their dead were laid at rest from the Parish Church.

Sincere thanks are due to the Rev. Wm. Wilkinson for his timely assistance.

Very Truly Yours,

EDWARD H. CLARK.

REDWOOD FALLS. *Population 1,500. Redwood County.* HOLY COMMUNION CHURCH. The Rev. STUART B. PURVES, Rector. Mr. H. D. BALDWIN, Mr. C. W. EVERETT, Wardens, Mr. H. A. BALDWIN, Treasurer. Mr. O. W. McMILLAN, Clerk Vestry. Mr. H. D. BALDWIN, S. S. Supt. Rector's salary, \$500. Pews free. Sitzings, 150. Value Church building, \$1,200; lots, \$500; total, \$1,700.

Families.....	35	Holy Communion administered....	55
Individuals.....	170	Public services:	
Baptisms:		Sundays 113, other days 75.....	188
Inf. 17, Ad. 10.....	27	Marriages.....	2
Confirmations (F.).....	1	Burials.....	5
Confirmed persons last report.....	51	Sunday School:	
Added.....	1	Teachers (M. 1, F. 6).....	7
Lost.....	2	Scholars.....	62
Present number:		Catechisings.....	12
M. 9, F. 41.....	50	Library Books.....	100
Communicating during year:			
M. 12, F. 42.....	54		

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

Receipts.

Subscriptions.....	\$	502.00	
Offerings.....		225.34	
Parish Aid Society.....		306.83	
Sunday School.....		34.98	\$1,069.15

Expenditures.

Parochial:			
Current expenses.....	\$	167.61	
Debts.....		240.00	
Rector's salary.....		500.00	
Altar.....		45.00	
Repairs.....		67.05	\$1,083.45
Diocesan:			
Council Fund.....	\$	3.00	
Bishop's salary.....		3.00	
Diocesan Missions.....		7.62	
Aged and Infirm Clergy.....		9.30	
Sheltering Arms.....		5.01	
Bishop Gilbert's Fund.....		2.28	
Archdeacon.....		2.76	
Archdeacon's salary.....		10.00	\$42.97

Extra Diocesan:

Foreign and General Missions.....	\$27.89	\$1,154.31
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RENO. *Pope County.* ZION CHURCH. Mr. JOHN PEACOCK, Warden.
Rector's salary, \$250. Pews free. Sittings, 100. Value Church
building, \$800.

Families.....	17	Confirmed persons.....	21
Individuals.....	87	Communicating during year.....	18
Baptisms (Inf.).....	6	Holy Communion administered.....	10
Confirmations:		Public services.....	49
M. 3, P. 2.....	5	Burials.....	2

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

Receipts.

Balance.....		\$ 34.87	
Subscriptions.....		247.50	
Offerings.....		29.18	\$311.55

Expenditures.

Parochial:			
Current expenses.....	\$ 6.00		
Rector's salary.....	247.50	\$253.50	
Diocesan:			
Council Fund.....	\$ 4.00		
Bishop's salary.....	2.00		
Diocesan Missions.....	6.50		
Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund.....	1.88		
Bishop Gilbert's Fund.....	5.31	\$19.69	\$273.19

RICHWOOD. *Population 59. Becker County.* THE HOLY APOSTLES'
CHURCH. The Rev. J. A. GILFILLAN Priest in charge. (P. O. White Earth.)
Pews free. Sittings, 75. Value Church building, \$600.

Families.....	5	Communicating during year:	
Individuals.....	23	M. 4, F. 8.....	12
Baptisms:		Holy Communion administered.....	2
Inf. 3, Ad. 3.....	6	Public services:	
Confirmed persons last report.....	13	Sundays 9, other days 3.....	12
Lost.....	1	Catechisings.....	2
Present number:			
M. 4, F. 8.....	12		

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

Receipts.

Offerings.....		\$22.33	
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Expenditures.

Diocesan:			
Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund.....	\$ 3.00		
Extra Diocesan:			
Foreign Missions.....	\$ 15.06		
Jewish Missions.....	2.10		
Bishop Graves.....	2.17	\$19.33	\$22.33

ROCHESTER. *Population 6,000. Olmsted County.* CALVARY
CHURCH. The Rev. W. W. FOWLER, Rector. Mr. H. C. BUTLER.
A. F. KILBOURNE M. D., Wardens. Mr. GEO. D. PALMER, Treasurer.
Mr. W. LOGAN BRACKENRIDGE, Clerk Vestry. Rector's salary, \$1,000
and Rectory. Pews free. Sittings, 200. Value Church building.
\$5,000; Rectory, \$2,500; total, \$7,500.

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Families.....	78	Communicating during year:	
Individuals.....	340	M. 26, P. 93.....	119
Baptisms:		Holy Communion administered	72
Inf. 8, Ad. 11.....	19	Public services:	
Confirmations:		Sundays 132, other days 64.....	196
M. 14, P. 22.....	36	Marriages.....	4
Confirmed persons last report.....	133	Burials.....	6
Added.....	63	Sunday Schools.....	2
Lost.....	23	Teachers (M. 2, F. 12).....	14
Present number:		Scholars (M. 44, F. 61).....	105
M. 52, F. 121.....	173	Library Books.....	300

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

Receipts.

Balance.....	\$	76.96	
Communion Alms.....		20.00	
Subscriptions.....		478.05	
Donations.....		98.00	
Offerings.....		502.83	
Parish Aid Societies.....		429.20	
Sunday School.....		66.03	\$1,671.07

Expenditures.

Parochial:			
Current expenses.....	\$	89.48	
Repairs.....		14.67	
Debts.....		147.63	
Church building.....		14.33	
Rectory building.....		53.67	
Rector's salary.....		1,000.00	
Sunday School.....		35.41	
Other expenses.....		106.84	\$1,462.03
Diocesan:			
Council Fund.....	\$	6.00	
Bishop's salary.....		15.00	
Diocesan Missions.....		25.00	
Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund.....		8.39	
Sheltering Arms.....		7.40	
Bishop Gilbert's Fund.....		16.74	
Archdeacon's salary.....		15.00	\$93.53
Extra Diocesan:			
Domestic Missions.....	\$	13.00	
Foreign Missions.....		13.00	\$26.00
			\$1,571.56

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

I have been engaged during the year ending May 31st, in the discharge of my duties as Rector of Calvary Church, Rochester. I have visited Olmsted Station on the Northwestern R. R., and preached several times during the year. We have a flourishing Sunday School at this point. The work at Olmsted Station is regarded as belonging to the Rochester Parish. I have officiated several times at the Hospital for the Insane. The Young People's Society of Spiritual Growth, which was organized in January, 1890, has proven a very helpful society in the way of advancing spiritual life among young people. The Bible class in September last took up the study of Church History. The Parish is gaining ground in Rochester, and promises well for the future.

Respectfully Yours,

W. W. FOWLER.

ROCKFORD. Population 700. Wright County. BRECK MEMORIAL CHURCH. The Rev. FRANK R. MILLSPAUGH, The Rev. E. J. PURDY, Priests in charge. Sittings, 100. Value Church building, \$900; lots, \$100; total, \$1,000.

Families.....	18	Public services.....	19
Individuals.....	65	Burials.....	1
Baptisms.....	1	Sunday School:	
Present number Confirmed persons	30	Teachers.....	5
Communicating during year.....	20	Scholars.....	30 35
Holy Communion administered....	6		

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

Receipts.

Subscriptions.....	\$ 75.00	
Offerings.....	25.00	\$100.00

Expenditures.

Parochial:		
Current expenses.....	\$ 95.00	
Sunday School.....	8.00	\$103.00

ROYALTON. *Population 1,000. Morrison County.* GRACE CHURCH.
The Rev. A. A. JOSS, Priest in charge. (P. O. Little Falls.) Mr. H. T.
GILBERT, Warden. Mr. O. H. HOVILL, Clerk Vestry and Treasurer.
Mrs. A. W. SWANSON, S. S. Supt. Rector's salary, \$140. Pews free.
Sittings, 100. Value Church building, \$1,200.

Families.....	17	Confirmations:	
Individuals.....	20	M. 3, F. 10.....	13
Baptisms:		Present number:	
Inf. 3, Ad. 11.....	14	M. 3, F. 33.....	36

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

Receipts.

Offerings, etc.....	\$142.00
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Expenditures.

Parochial:	
Rector's salary.....	\$145.00

RUSH CITY. *Population 1,000. Chisago County.* GRACE CHURCH.
Mr. J. D. MARKHAM, Dr. A. J. STOWE, Mr. FRANCIS HOARE, Committee.
Dr. A. J. STOWE, Treasurer and Secretary. Mr. JOHN CALDWELL, Lay
Reader. Mrs. JOHN CALDWELL, S. S. Supt. Pews free. Sittings, 100.
Value Church building, \$1,000; lots, \$200; total, \$1,200.

Families.....	12	Holy Communion administered.....	4
Individuals.....	40	Public services:	
Baptisms:		Sundays 31, other days 12.....	43
Inf. 6, Ad. 4.....	10	Burials.....	3
Confirmations (F.).....	4	Sunday School:	
Confirmed persons last report.....	15	Teachers (F.).....	5
Added.....	4	Officers (F.).....	4
Present number:		Scholars (M. 11, F. 17).....	28 37
M. 7, F. 12.....	19	Library Books.....	30

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

Receipts.

Subscriptions.....	\$ 9.00	
Offerings.....	87.85	
Parish Societies.....	25.00	
Mission Board.....	33.34	\$146.19

Expenditures.

Parochial:			
Current expenses.....	\$	5.50	
Other expenses.....		3.50	
Salary Lay Reader.....		111.93	\$120.93
Diocesan:			
Council Fund.....	\$	1.00	
Bishop's salary.....		3.00	
Diocesan Missionary.....		10.00	
Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund.....		3.25	
Sheltering Arms.....		1.00	
Jews.....		2.00	\$20.25
Extra Diocesan:			
General Missions.....	\$	3.16	
Bishop Gilbert's Fund.....		7.78	\$10.94 \$146.19

RUSHFORD. *Population 1,000. Fillmore County.* EMMANUEL CHURCH. The Rev. T. K. ALLEN, Priest in charge. (P. O. LaCrosse, Wis.) Mr. A. E. HAZZARD, Warden and Lay Reader. Mr. H. M. SMITH, Warden and Treasurer. Mrs. G. G. STEVENS, S. S. Supt. Rector's salary, \$260. Pews free. Sitzings, 125. Value Church building, \$2,000.

Families.....	25	Holy Communion administered.....	9
Individuals.....	109	Public services:	
Baptisms (Inf.).....	4	Sundays 86, other days 9.....	95
Confirmed persons last report.....	41	Sunday School:	
Present number.....	43	Teachers (M. 2, F. 7).....	9
Communicating during year:		Scholars (M. 35, F. 55).....	90 99
M. 6, F. 37.....	43	Library Books.....	50

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.**Receipts.**

Balance.....	\$	7.18	
Subscriptions.....		251.25	
Donations.....		5.00	
Offerings.....		110.70	
Parish Aid Society.....		100.00	
Sunday School.....		20.00	\$494.13

Expenditures.

Parochial:			
Current expenses.....	\$	31.63	
Repairs.....		4.55	
Church Building.....		100.00	
Rector's salary.....		260.00	
Sunday School.....		35.50	
Charity.....		1.50	\$432.68
Diocesan:			
Council Fund.....	\$	3.00	
Bishop's salary.....		10.00	
Diocesan Missions.....		15.00	
Other Missions.....		6.07	
Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund.....		7.10	
Seabury Divinity School.....		3.81	\$44.98
Extra Diocesan:			
Miscellaneous.....		\$3.09	\$480.75

SAUK CENTRE. *Population 2,000. Stearns County.* **GOOD SAMARITAN CHURCH.** The Rev. J. F. HAMILTON, Rector. Mr. W. S. DEAN, Mr. ALFRED ERYNE, Wardens. Mr. L. M. KELLS, Treasurer. Mr. H. T. ALDEN, Clerk Vestry. Mr. C. F. HENDRYX, S. S. Supt. Rector's salary, \$550 and Rectory. Pews free. Sittings, 200. Value Church building, Rectory and lots, \$4,000. Indebtedness, \$175.

Families.....	37	Communicating during year:	
Individuals.....	102	M. 14, F. 39.....	53
Baptisms:		Holy Communion administered.....	11
Inf. 6. Ad. 4.....	10	Public services:	
Confirmations (F.).....	6	Sundays 58, other days 57.....	115
Confirmed persons last report.....	62	Burials.....	2
Added.....	12	Sunday School:	
Lost.....	15	Teachers (M. 4, F. 5).....	9
Present number:		Scholars (M. 38, F. 45).....	92
Male 16, Female 43.....	59	Catechisings.....	38
		Library Books.....	150

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

Receipts.

Subscriptions.....	\$382.00	
Donations.....	73.63	
Offerings.....	161.43	
Parish Societies.....	205.81	
Sunday School.....	29.14	\$852.01

Expenditures.

Parochial:		
Current expenses.....	\$ 74.65	
Repairs.....	6.50	
Rector's salary.....	450.00	
Sunday School.....	24.82	
Organ.....	206.62	\$779.89
Diocesan:		
Council Fund.....	\$ 5.00	
Bishop's salary.....	12.00	
Diocesan Missions.....	18.00	
Aged and Infirm Clergy.....	3.25	
Sheltering Arms.....	3.00	
Archdeacon's salary.....	10.00	
Bishop Gilbert's Fund.....	7.60	\$58.85
Extra Diocesan:		
Domestic and Foreign Missions.....	\$ 8.27	
Am. Church Building Fund.....	3.00	
Jewish Missions.....	2.00	\$13.27 \$852.01

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

I may state that much of the apparent loss of Communicants by transfer is caused by transferring the names to the Register of S. John's Communicants, who have heretofore been carried on that of Good Samaritan. Very Respectfully,

J. F. HAMILTON.

SAUK RAPIDS. *Population 1,000. Benton County.* **GRACE CHURCH.** Mr. CHAS. G. WOOD, Mr. G. S. REEDER, Wardens. Mr. H. W. ARNOLD, Treasurer. Mr. ROBERT E. CROSS, Clerk Vestry. Pews free. Sittings, 150. Value Church building and lots, \$2,200. Indebtedness, \$217.75.



Families.....	11	Communicants:		
Individuals.....	29	M. 7, F. 19.....	26	
Baptisms:		Communicating during year:		
Inf. 1, Ad. 2.....	3	Male 4, Female 14.....	18	
Confirmations (F.).....	2	Holy Communion administered.....	4	
Confirmed persons last report.....	30	Public services.....	29	
Added by Confirmation.....	2	Marriages.....	1	
Lost.....	6	Burials.....	1	
Present number:		Sunday School:		
M. 7, F. 19.....	26	Teachers (M. 1, F. 1).....	2	
		Scholars (M. 4, F. 16).....	20	22

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

Receipts.

Offerings.....	\$ 14.85	
Parish Societies.....	13.15	\$27.50

Expenditures.

Parochial:			
Current expenses.....	\$ 15.42		
Debts.....	9.60		
Rector's salary.....	14.35	\$38.95	
Diocesan:			
Council Fund.....	\$ 2.00		
Bishop's salary.....	3.00		
Diocesan Missions.....	3.00	\$8.00	\$46.95

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

We have had no Rector since Rev. C. A. Cummings left, and but one service since Rev. J. H. Barton left last fall. Our present prospect looks dark, many of the old members have gone, and those who remain are not as deeply interested and as strongly united as they ought to be, in fact, we are weak at every point—financially and otherwise. Besides the indebtedness shown above, \$117.75 of which is due, there is nearly \$22 interest balance, since March 10th last. We most sadly need a Rector's service to revive courage and hope. Respectfully Submitted,

CHAS. G. WOOD, Sr.

SHAKOPEE. *Population 2,000. Scott County. S. PETER'S CHURCH.*
The Rev. C. M. PULLEN, Rector. Mr. WM. COLE, Mr. D. M. STORES,
Wardens. Mrs. C. M. PULLEN, S. S. Supt. Rector's salary, \$300
and Rectory. Pews free. Sittings, 225. Value Church building,
\$1,500; Rectory, \$2,000; total, \$3,500.

Families.....	25	Holy Communion administered:		
Individuals.....	70	Pub. 10, Priv. 2.....	12	
Baptisms (Inf.).....	11	Public services:		
Confirmations:		Sundays 31, other days 24.....	55	
M. 1, F. 2.....	3	Burials.....	4	
Confirmed persons last report.....	47	Sunday School:		
Present number:		Teachers (F.).....	3	
M. 15, F. 35.....	50	Scholars (M. 7, F. 10).....	17	20
Communicating during year:		Catechisings.....	6	
M. 14, F. 30.....	44			

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

Receipts.

Balance.....	\$ 23.64	
Donations.....	50.00	
Offerings.....	367.56	
Parish Aid Societies.....	442.00	
Special Offering.....	8.00	\$883.30

Expenditures.

Parochial:			
Current expenses.....	\$	20.00	
Repairs.....		257.60	
Debts.....		225.00	
Rector's salary.....		300.00	
Other expenses.....		46.17	\$849.77
Diocesan:			
Council Fund.....	\$	3.00	
Bishop's salary.....		7.00	
Diocesan Missions.....		10.00	
Bishop Gilbert's Fund.....		8.00	\$28.00
			\$877.77

SKYBERG. *Population 200. Goodhue County.* The Rev. CHAS. B. FOSBROKE, Rector. (P. O. Kenyon.) Mr. ALEX McCADDEN, Mr. ROBT. McCADDEN, Wardens. Mr. JOHN SATYKE, Treasurer. Mr. JAMES McCADDEN, Clerk Vestry.

Families.....	12	Present number:	
Individuals.....	54	M. 10, F. 8.....	18
Baptisms (Inf.).....	1	Public services:	
Confirmations:		Sundays 22, other days 1.....	23
M. 1, F. 1.....	2	Marriages.....	1
Confirmed persons last report.....	16		
Added.....	2		

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.**Receipts.**

Offerings.....	\$	2.25	
Donations (Horse Feed, etc.).....		20.00	\$22.25

Expenditures.

Parochial:			
Rector's salary.....	\$	20.00	
Extra Diocesan:			
Domestic Missions.....	\$	2.25	\$22.25

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

In presenting the above Report, it gives me pleasure to state that a nice plot of ground is at our disposal for a little Chapel here as soon as we are ready to begin building. This little Mission among the farmers has been working for eighteen years and still struggles on, hoping to build. I wish some of our rich friends would spare \$500 for this purpose, which would meet all the needs of these very deserving people.

Your Obedient Servant,

CHARLES B. FOSBROKE.

SLEEPY EYE. *Population 1,500. Brown County.* ALL SOULS' CHURCH. The Rev. S. B. PURVES, in charge. (P. O. Redwood Falls.) Mr. R. H. BINGHAM, Mr. H. G. HAYS, Wardens. Mr. H. G. HAYS, Clerk Vestry. Rector's salary, \$150. Pews free. Sittings, 150. Value Church building, \$2,000; lots, \$200; total, \$2,200. Indebtedness, \$400.

Families.....	15	Public services:	
Individuals.....	100	Sundays 52, other days 51.....	103
Baptisms:		Marriages.....	1
Inf. 10, Ad. 10.....	20	Burials.....	1
Confirmed persons:		Sunday School:	
M. 9, F. 16.....	25	Teachers (M. 1, F. 5).....	6
Communicating during year:		Scholars.....	66
M. 9, F. 17.....	26	Catechisings.....	6
Holy Communion administered:			
Pub. 17, Priv. 1.....	18		

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

Receipts.

Subscriptions.....	\$ 134.00	
Donations.....	1,374.44	
Offerings.....	168.24	
Parish Aid Societies.....	297.80	
Sunday School.....	70.19	
Loan.....	400.00	\$2,445.17

Expenditures.

Parochial:			
Current expenses.....	\$ 49.66		
Church building.....	1,974.94		
Rector's salary.....	150.00		
Sunday School.....	27.86		
Mission Work.....	5.00		
Organ.....	52.54		
Altar Linen.....	10.90		
Other expenses.....	39.02	\$2,309.92	
Diocesan:			
Diocesan Missions.....	\$ 3.00		
Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund.....	6.34		
Seabury Divinity School.....	4.17		
Archdeacon's salary.....	10.00		
Offering to Archdeacon.....	4.83	\$28.34	
Extra Diocesan:			
Domestic Missions.....	\$ 4.22		
Foreign Missions.....	4.23		
General Missions, S. S. Lenten Offering.....	20.29	\$28.74	\$2,367.00

SPRING VALLEY. *Population 1,200. Fillmore County.* The Rev. THOS. K. ALLEN, in charge. (P. O. La Crosse.) Mr. STEPHEN LOBDILL, Warden.

Families.....	6	Present No. Confirmed persons:	
Individuals.....	25	M. 2, F. 10.....	12
		Public services.....	1

STILLWATER. *Population 16,000. Washington County.* ASCENSION CHURCH. The Rev. ANDREW D. STOWE, Rector. Mr. ROBERT SLAUGHTER, Mr. I. E. STAPLES, Wardens. Mr. THOMAS H. WARREN, Clerk Vestry and Treasurer. Mr. H. E. SMITH, S. S. Supt. Rector's salary, \$1,200 and Rectory. Pews free. Sittings, 320. Value Church building, \$15,000; Rectory, \$2,000; lots, etc., \$3,000; total, \$20,000. Indebtedness, \$2,500.

Families.....	120	Communicating during year.....	179
Individuals.....	471	Holy Communion administered.....	25
Baptisms:		Public services:	
Inf. 23, Ad. 14.....	37	Sundays 101, other days 79.....	180
Confirmations:		Marriages.....	5
M. 6, F. 17.....	23	Burials.....	10
Confirmed persons last report.....	189	Sunday School:	
Added.....	37	Teachers and Officers.....	13
Lost.....	8	Scholars.....	115 128
Present number.....	218	Catechisings.....	23
Communicants.....	208	Library Books.....	150

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

Receipts.

Balance.....	\$ 133.75	
Communion Alms.....	124.73	
Subscriptions.....	2,020.55	
Donations.....	83.66	
From Endowment.....	100.00	
Offerings.....	549.07	
Parish Aid Society.....	248.45	
Ascension Church Guild.....	245.15	
Sunday School.....	188.98	
Altar Guild.....	33.55	
Special Subscriptions and Donations.....	172.00	
Rent of Rectory.....	21.00	\$3,920.89

Expenditures.

Parochial:			
Current expenses.....	\$ 133.48		
Repairs.....	24.05		
Rector's salary and House Rent.....	1,462.00		
Sunday School.....	129.84		
Charity.....	81.31		
Church work in Parish.....	208.85		
Other expenses.....	100.66		
Taxes.....	37.20		
Insurance.....	194.00		
Interest.....	175.00		
Music and Choir.....	743.86		
Sinking Fund.....	27.00	\$3,317.25	
Diocesan:			
Council Fund.....	\$ 20.00		
Bishop's salary.....	60.00		
Diocesan Missions.....	100.00		
Aged and Infirm Clergy.....	23.08		
Archdeacon's salary.....	25.00		
Seabury Divinity School.....	6.55		
Sheltering Arms.....	4.88		
Other Mission work.....	11.25		
Bishop Gilbert's Fund.....	28.35	\$274.11	
Extra Diocesan:			
Woman's Auxiliary.....	\$ 83.66		
American Church Building Fund.....	6.71		
Jewish Missions.....	4.41		
Dakota Sufferers.....	7.50	\$102.28	\$3,693.64

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

By the will of Mrs. Gracia Torinus King, this Parish has an endowment by which \$100 comes annually into the Parish treasury, forever, for the benefit of the poor of the Parish. Mrs. Judge McCluer, in memory of her late, loved, and lamented husband, has placed a beautiful Memorial Brass Tablet in the Church. Mr. H. E. Smith presented the Church with Prayer Book and Hymnal, in memory of his wife. The King's Daughters have done a large Charitable work in the city which does not appear in the above record, amounting to, at least \$200. The donations, besides the cash receipts above, will amount to \$400, aside from the bequests of Mrs. King, making a total of \$4,320.89.

ST. CHARLES. *Population 1,500.* TRINITY CHURCH. The Rev. S. PRITCHARD in charge. (P. O. Chatfield.) Mr. DAVID HARRIS, Treasurer. Pews free. Sitzings, 150. Value Church building, \$1,500.

Families.....	21	Communicating during year.....	12
Individuals.....	45	Holy Communion administered.....	4
Baptisms (Inf.).....	2	Public services.....	24
Confirmed persons.....	12		

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.**Receipts.**

Offerings, etc.....\$55.50

Expenditures.**Parochial:**

Rector's salary.....\$ 40.00

Diocesan:

Council Fund.....	\$ 2.00		
Bishop's salary.....	5.00		
Diocesan Missions.....	7.00		
Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund.....	1.50	\$15.50	\$55.50

ST. CLOUD. Population 8,000. Stearns County. S. JOHN'S CHURCH. The Rev. T. C. HUDSON, Acting Rector. Mr. WM. POWELL, Mr. FRANK TOLMAN, Wardens. Mr. H. A. WARNER, Clerk Vestry and Treasurer. Mr. FRANK TOLMAN, S. S. Supt. Pews free. Sittings, 125. Value Church building, \$1,000; Rectory, \$1,000; lots, \$3,300; other property, \$2,100; total, \$7,500. Indebtedness, \$600.

Families.....	55	Holy Communion administered....	15
Individuals.....	300	Public services:	
Baptisms (Inf.).....	10	Sundays 91, other days 20.....	111
Confirmed persons last report.....	111	Marriages.....	2
Present number:		Burials.....	1
M. 29, F. 78.....	107	Sunday School:	
Communicating during year:		Teachers (M. 1, F. 4).....	5
M. 18, F. 65.....	83	Scholars (M. 15, F. 25).....	40 45

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.**Receipts.**

Communion Alms.....	\$ 16.00		
Subscriptions.....	666.76		
Donations.....	44.50		
Offerings.....	94.19		
Sunday School.....	37.00	\$858.45	

Expenditures.**Parochial:**

Current expenses.....	\$130.19		
Rector's salary.....	630.76		
Sunday School.....	20.00	\$780.95	

Diocesan:

Council Fund.....	\$ 7.00		
Diocesan Missions.....	37.50		
Other Missions.....	16.00	\$60.50	

Extra Diocesan:

Domestic Missions.....	\$ 10.00		
Foreign Missions.....	7.00	\$17.00	\$858.45

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

The above Report is as perfect as I can get under the circumstances and the records at hand. I have been compelled to spend the greater portion of the year in seeking a restoration of my health. By the blessing of God I have been so far restored that I have been able to hold one service a Sunday at S. John's Church, St. Cloud, during the past 4 months. The record of such ministration is included in the above Report.

Outside the work at St. Cloud, I have to report as follows: Baptisms 3, Burials 1, Marriages 2, Public services 3, Holy Communion administered 1. I remain, Affectionately and Obediently Yours,

T. C. HUDSON.

ST. JAMES. *Population 1,000. Watonwan County.* CALVARY CHURCH. The Rev. C. H. BEAULIEU, Rector. Mr. S. D. GOLD, Treasurer. Rector, S. S. Supt. Rector's salary, \$300 and Rectory. Pews free. Sittings, 85. Value Church building, \$700; Rectory, \$600; lots, \$300; total, \$1,600.

Families.....	28	Communicating during year:	
Individuals.....	3	M. 3, F. 16.....	19
Baptisms:		Holy Communion administered.....	12
Inf. 2, Ad. 2.....	4	Public services:	
Confirmations:		Sundays 48, other days 51.....	99
M. 1, F. 5.....	6	Burials.....	1
Confirmed persons last report.....	8	Sunday School:	
Added.....	15	Teachers (M. 1, F. 3).....	4
Present number:		Officers (M. 1, F. 1).....	2
M. 5, F. 18.....	23	Scholars (M. 28, F. 33).....	61
Communicants:		Catechisings.....	10
Male 3, Female 14.....	17		

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

Receipts.

Balance.....	\$ 22.50	
Subscriptions.....	267.98	
Donations.....	68.06	
Parish Aid Societies.....	316.74	
Sunday School.....	22.19	\$696.10

Expenditures.

Parochial:			
Current expenses.....	\$ 19.62		
Rector's salary.....	267.98		
Sunday School.....	19.90		
Moving Church and Improvements.....	355.58	\$663.08	
Diocesan:			
Council Fund.....	\$ 1.00		
Bishop's salary.....	2.00		
Diocesan Missions.....	3.00	\$6.00	\$669.08

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

Owing to state of Mission prior to my assumption of duties, July 10th, 1890, the above Report is somewhat incomplete. On my arrival I found the Church building and Rectory in process of removal. Old lots were sold for \$300, and new bought for \$600. Besides money donations we have had carpet, Communion vessels and altar linen, also lectern Bible, Prayer Books and hymnals and catechisms. We have repainted the Church inside, altered chancel, and put in stained glass chancel window.

ST. PAUL. (West.) *Ramsey County.* ASCENSION CHURCH. Mr. W. K. DIXON, Mr. V. J. HAWKINS, Wardens. Mr. E. BOUQUET, Treasurer. Mr. F. L. BAYARD, Clerk Vestry. Mr. HARRY FRANKLIN, S. S. Supt. and Lay Reader. Rector's salary, \$1,200. Pews free. Sittings, 300. Value Church building, \$5,000; other property, \$4,000; total, \$9,000. Indebtedness, \$2,500.

Confirmations (F.).....	15	Sunday School:	
Confirmed persons last report.....	93	Teachers (M. 5, F. 3).....	8
Added.....	15	Scholars (M. 28, F. 33).....	61
Public services:		Library Books.....	30
Sundays 97, other days 56.....	153		

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

Receipts.

Offerings.....	\$1,125.00	
Loan.....	2,500.00	\$3,625.00

Expenditures.

Parochial:			
Enlarging Church.....	\$2,500.00		
Rector's salary.....	1,100.00		
		\$3,600.00	
Diocesan:			
Bishop's salary.....	\$ 10.00		
Diocesan Missions.....	15.00	\$25.00	\$3,625.00

ST. PAUL. *Population 135,000. Ramsey County.* CHRIST CHURCH. The Rev. CHAS. D. ANDREWS, Rector. (155 W. 4th st.) The Rev. EDWARD C. BILL, D. D., Associate Priest. Mr. REUBEN WARNER, Mr. JOHN Q. ADAMS, Wardens. Mr. WM. S. TIMBERLAKE, Treasurer. Mr. W. R. LADD, Clerk Vestry. Mr. JAMES BAILIE, S. S. Supt. Mr. RUSSELL FREEMAN, Lay Reader. Rector's salary, \$3,000 and Rectory. Pews rented. Sittings 650. Value Church building, \$40,000; Chapel, \$2,000; Rectory, \$6,000; lots, \$12,000; other property, \$11,500; total, \$71,500. Indebtedness, \$15,000.

Families.....	*380
Individuals.....	*1,850
Baptisms:	
Inf. 36, Ad. 4.....	40
Confirmations:	
M. 6, F. 8.....	14
Confirmed persons last report.....	623
Added.....	45
Lost.....	218
Present number.....	450
Communicating during year.....	400

Holy Communion administered:	
Pub. 96, Priv. 4.....	100
Public services:	
Sundays 168, other days 122.....	290
Marriages.....	18
Burials.....	20
Sunday School:	
Teachers (M, 10, F. 17.)... ..	27
Scholars.....	180
Catechisings.....	12
Library Books.....	300

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

Receipts.

Balance.....	\$ 5.85	
Communion Alms.....	349.31	
Pew Rents.....	6,239.17	
Subscriptions.....	1,596.52	
Parish Aid Societies.....	2,282.27	\$10,473.12

Expenditures.

Parochial:			
Current expenses.....	\$4,742.15		
Debts.....	1,500.00		
Rector's salary.....	3,000.00		
Charity.....	454.57	\$9,696.72	
Diocesan:			
Council Fund.....	\$ 50.00		
Bishop's salary.....	300.00		
Diocesan Missions.....	350.00		
Aged and Infirm Clergy.....	138.12		
Sheltering Arms.....	20.00		
Hospitals (S. Luke's.).....	475.21	\$1,333.33	
Extra Diocesan:			
Domestic Missions.....	\$ 28.78		
Foreign Missions.....	28.78	\$57.56	\$11,087.61

* Taken from Old Report.

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

The Convention year just closed has been one of severe and peculiar strain upon this Parish. Besides financial difficulties among our people, we have had large parochial burdens to carry. I have made a most thorough investigation of our Parish list, and you will see by this Report that the reduction in the number of Communicants has been surprisingly large, but I have been honestly opposed to further reporting as Communicants, persons of whom I know nothing and whose whereabouts I cannot discover. My list is now complete and real, and I have no doubt I shall be able to keep it so.

ST. PAUL. Population 135,000. Ramsey County. CHURCH OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD. The Rev. WM. C. POPE, Rector. (51 12th street.) The Rev. JAS. G. ST. LAWRENCE, Associate Minister. (178 E. 14th street.) Mr. GEO. BELL, Mr. PETER BALDY, Wardens. Mr. G. L. HOKTON, Clerk Vestry. Mr. GEO. BELL, Treasurer, S. S. Supt. and Lay Reader. Rector's salary, \$1,000 and Rectory. Pews free. Sittings, 250. Value Church building, \$3,000; Chapel, \$1,500; Rectory, \$10,000; lots, \$30,000; total, \$44,500. Indebtedness, \$1,300.

Families.....	68
Individuals.....	250
Baptisms (Inf.).....	11
Confirmations:	
M. 3, F. 2.....	5
Confirmed persons last report.....	181
Added.....	10
Lost.....	27
Present number:	
M. 64, F. 100.....	164
Communicating during year:	
M. 34, F. 77.....	111

Holy Communion administered:	
Pub. 82, Priv. 7.....	89
Public services:	
Sundays 200, other days 850.....	1,050
Marriages.....	9
Churchings.....	1
Burials.....	16
Sunday School:	
Teachers (M. 2, F. 4).....	6
Scholars (M. 15, F. 30).....	51
Catechisings.....	40
Library Books.....	175

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

Receipts.

Balance.....	\$	11.50	
Communion Alms.....		1,049.11	
Offerings.....		674.17	
Sunday School.....		51.00	\$1,785.78

Expenditures.

Parochial:			
Current expenses.....	\$	311.63	
Repairs.....		31.65	
Debts.....		458.00	
Rector's salary.....		606.64	
Sunday School.....		41.45	
Taxes.....		57.92	
Miscellaneous.....		49.60	\$1,556.89
Diocesan:			
Council Fund.....	\$	6.00	
Bishop's salary.....		20.00	
Diocesan Missions.....		48.00	
Seabury Divinity School.....		1.16	
Sheltering Arms.....		7.40	\$82.56
Extra Diocesan:			
Domestic Missions.....	\$	9.71	
Foreign Missions.....		4.41	
General Missions.....		20.35	
Bishop Gilbert's Fund.....		14.55	\$49.02
			\$1,688.47

ST. PAUL. *Population 135,000. Ramsey County.* **S. JAMES' CHURCH.** The Rev. C. EDGAR HAUPT, Rector. (569 Fuller street.) Mr. WM. DUNLAP, Mr. GEORGE KING, Wardens. Mr. ROBT. J. EGGLESTON, Treasurer. Mr. SAM'L S. KING, Clerk Vestry. Mr. GEO. KING, S. S. Supt. Mr. GEO. S. RICHARDSON, Lay Reader. Rector's salary, \$600. Pews free. Sittings, 150. Value Church building, \$800; lots, \$3,100; other property, \$2,500; total, \$6,400. Indebtedness, \$2,400.

Families.....	48	Communicating during year:	
Individuals.....	203	M. 24, F. 41.....	65
Baptisms:		Holy Communion administered	14
Inf. 18, Ad. 2.....	20	Public services:	
Confirmations:		Sundays 104, other days 10.....	114
M. 4, F. 9.....	13	Marriages.....	3
Confirmed persons last report.....	69	Burials.....	2
Added.....	34	Sunday School:	
Lost.....	9	Teachers (M. 4, F. 12).....	16
Present number:		Scholars (M. 35, F. 82).....	117 133
M. 33, F. 61.....	94	Catechisings.....	52

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

Receipts.

Balance.....	\$	56.61	
Communion Alms.....		6.44	
Subscriptions.....		327.42	
Donations.....		600.00	
Offerings.....		526.89	
Parish Aid Societies.....		344.52	
Sunday School.....		69.13	\$1,931.01

Expenditures.

Parochial:			
Current expenses.....	\$	78.20	
Repairs.....		87.33	
Church building.....		26.00	
Rector's salary.....		450.00	
Sunday School.....		37.64	
Charity.....		6.44	
Moving Church.....		180.00	
Real Estate.....		650.00	
Pews.....		80.00	
Other expenses.....		49.04	\$1,644.65
Diocesan:			
Council Fund.....	\$	18.00	
Bishop's salary.....		7.00	
Aged and Infirm Clergy.....		5.10	
Seabury Divinity School.....		4.34	
Hospitals.....		5.31	
Bishop Gilbert's Fund.....		7.21	
City Missions.....		94.92	\$141.88
Extra Diocesan:			
Domestic and Foreign Missions (Children's Offering.).....		\$23.75	\$1,810.28

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

During the past year the Parish purchased two lots on the corner of DeSoto and Lawson streets and moved the Church.

ST. PAUL. *Population 135,000. Ramsey County.* **S. JOHN THE EVANGELIST CHURCH.** The Rev. JOHN H. WHITE, Rector. (470 Ashland avenue.) Mr. G. W. DELLINGER, Mr. JOHN H. AMES, Wardens. Mr. JOHN W. WHITE, Treasurer. Mr. A. M. EDDY, Clerk Vestry. Mr. S. C. OLMSTEAD, S. S. Supt. Rector's salary, \$3,000. Pews rented. Sittings, 512.

Families.....	223
Individuals.....	837
Baptisms:	
Inf. 28, Ad. 3.....	31
Confirmations:	
M. 6, F. 12.....	18
Confirmed persons last report.....	312
Added.....	124
Lost.....	20
Present number:	
M. 117, F. 299.....	416
Communicating during year:	
M. 83, F. 260.....	343

Holy Communion administered:	
Pub. 77, Priv. 3.....	80
Public services:	
Sundays 208, other days 164.....	372
Marriages.....	8
Burials.....	9
Sunday School:	
Teachers (M. 11, F. 10)....	21
Scholars (M. 64, F. 81).....	145 166
Catechisings.....	27
Library Books.....	237

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

Receipts.

Balance.....	\$	1.65	
Communion Alms.....		200.62	
Pew Rents.....		7,584.98	
Subscriptions.....		33.25	
Loan.....		742.03	
Special Offerings.....		1,350.36	
Offerings.....		1,407.74	
Parish Aid Societies.....		1,328.84	
Sunday School.....		198.63	
Gift, Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund.....		1,000.00	
Gift for Church lot.....		300.00	
Gift for Organ Fund.....		427.09	
Subscriptions for Organ.....		3,000.00	\$17,575.19

Expenditures.

Parochial:			
Current expenses.....	\$	4,149.67	
Debts.....		1,600.00	
Church building.....		276.37	
Rector's salary.....		3,500.00	
Sunday School.....		118.46	
Charity.....		428.17	
Church work.....		135.05	
Interest.....		122.33	
Church lot.....		300.00	
Organ.....		427.09	
Parish Aid Society.....		449.35	
New Organ.....		3,000.00	\$14,505.09
Diocesan:			
Council Fund.....	\$	30.00	
Bishop's salary.....		100.00	
Diocesan Missions.....		170.00	
St. Paul Bethel.....		265.93	
Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund.....		203.45	
Seabury Divinity School.....		122.98	
Sheltering Arms.....		26.42	
Hospitals.....		200.52	
Bishop Gilbert's Fund.....		60.00	
Home for Friendless.....		5.00	
Archdeacon's salary.....		30.00	
Investment for A. & I. C. Fund.....		1,000.00	\$2,214.30
Extra Diocesan:			
Domestic Missions.....	\$	48.15	
Foreign Missions.....		73.10	
Woman's Auxiliary.....		564.05	
Bible and Prayer Book Society.....		30.05	
General Missions (S. S. Offerings).....		28.00	
Special S. S. work.....		14.03	\$757.38 \$17,476.77

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

The above Report, owing to an error last year, covers a period of fourteen months, from Easter, 1890, to May 29th, 1891. The amounts credited to New Organ are not yet expended, as the instrument is not yet finished and set up.

JNO. H. WHITE.

ST. PAUL. *Population 135,000. Ramsey County. S. MATTHEW'S CHURCH.* The Rev. HOWARD S. CLAPP, Rector. Rector's salary, \$400. Pews free. Sittings, 115. Value Church building, \$1,400; lots, \$1,500; total, \$2,900. Indebtedness, \$2,400.

Families.....	27	Communicating during year.....	38
Individuals.....	94	Holy Communion administered....	12
Baptisms:		Public services:	
Inf. 1, Ad. 4.....	5	Sundays 52, other days 15.....	67
Confirmations.....	10	Sunday School:	
Confirmed persons last report.....	29	Teachers.....	5
Present number.....	42	Scholars.....	25 30

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

Receipts.

Offerings.....	\$ 584.13	
Parish Aid Society.....	225.00	
Men's Guild.....	79.87	
Contributions.....	227.00	\$1,116.00

Expenditures.

Debts.....	\$ 226.67	
Public Improvements.....	265.78	
Interest, etc.....	165.11	
Rector's salary (11 mos.).....	366.67	
Incidentals.....	41.27	\$1,065.50

ST. PAUL. *Population 134,000. Ramsey County. S. PAUL'S CHURCH.* The Rev. JOHN WRIGHT, D. D., Rector. (383 E. 9th street.) Hon. W. R. MERRIAM, Mr. W. R. SLEPPY, Wardens. Mr. JAS. I. JELLETT, Treasurer. Mr. Wm. J. SLEPPY, Clerk Vestry. Rector's salary, \$3,000 and Rectory. Pews rented. Sittings, 475. Value Church building, \$17,000; Rectory, \$2,000; lots, \$11,600; other property, \$22,000; total, \$53,000. Indebtedness, \$516.80.

Families.....	230	Holy Communion administered:	
Individuals.....	690	Pub. 80, Priv. 8.....	88
Baptisms:		Public services:	
Inf. 17, Ad. 4.....	21	Sundays 120, other days 85.....	205
Confirmations.....	25	Marriages.....	12
Confirmed persons last report.....	502	Churchings.....	10
Added.....	55	Burials.....	17
Lost.....	154	Sunday School:	
Present number:		Teachers (M. 10, F. 16).....	26
M. 195, F. 208.....	403	Scholars (M. 40, F. 85).....	125 151
Communicating during year:		Catechising.....	60
M. 120, F. 170.....	290	Library Books.....	300

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

Receipts.

Balance.....	\$ 295.32	
Communion Alms.....	148.50	
Pew Rents.....	2,720.55	
Subscriptions.....	3,595.96	
Donations.....	250.00	
Endowments.....	280.47	
Offerings.....	1,760.47	
• Parish Aid Society.....	1,412.55	
Sunday School.....	279.24	\$10,743.06

Expenditures.

Parochial:

Current expenses.....	\$2,178.00	
Debts.....	2,871.08	
Rector's salary.....	2,250.00	
Sunday School.....	279.24	
Charity.....	148.50	
Church work.....	380.31	
Other expenses.....	592.24	\$8,699.37

Diocesan:

Council Fund.....	\$ 40.00	
Bishop's salary.....	160.00	
Diocesan Missions.....	300.00	
Other Missions.....	440.00	
Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund.....	9.45	
Sheltering Arms.....	13.75	
City Missions.....	200.00	
Archdeacon's salary.....	100.00	
Bishop Gilbert's Fund.....	18.05	
Jewish Missions.....	10 25	\$1,291.50

Extra Diocesan:

General Missions.....	\$ 17.75	
Domestic Missions.....	26.50	\$44.25 \$10,035.12

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

The exodus of families to the upper part of the city continues, and the only relief to S. Paul's Parish is an Endowment. The fund has been started but the sum as yet is small.

ST. PAUL. *Population 135,000. Ramsey County. S. PETER'S CHURCH.* The Rev. SAMUEL MILLS, Rector. (953 Hudson avenue.) Mr. FRANK F. PRICE, Mr. FRED ALBECK, Wardens. Mr. FRED ALBECK, Treasurer. Mr. JAMES MAYFIELD, Clerk Vestry. Mr. F. B. MILLARD, S. S. Supt. and Lay Reader. Rector's salary, \$900. Pews free. Sittings, 200. Value Church building, \$6,000; lots, \$6,000; total, \$12,000.

Families.....	93	Communicating during year.....	96
Individuals.....	314	Holy Communion administered:	
Baptisms:		Pub. 30, Priv. 5.....	35
Inf. 16, Ad. 2.....	18	Public services:	
Confirmations:		Sundays 98, other days 27.....	125
M. 1, F. 4.....	5	Marriages.....	1
Confirmed persons last report.....	120	Churchings.....	1
Added.....	22	Burials.....	2
Lost.....	13	Sunday School:	
Present number:		Teachers (M. 3, F. 5).....	8
M. 51, F. 78.....	129	Scholars.....	80 88
Communicants:		Catechisings.....	12
M. 51, F. 78.....	129	Library Books.....	100

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

Receipts.

Donations.....	\$ 235.00	
Offerings.....	582.68	
Parish Aid Societies.....	502.75	
Sunday School.....	30.00	\$1,350.43

Expenditures.**Parochial:**

Current expenses.....	\$ 117.00	
Debts.....	575.95	
Rector's salary.....	597.46	
Sunday School.....	26.00	
Charity.....	26.00	
Arrears of Assessments.....	10.00	\$1,352.41

Diocesan:

Council Fund.....	\$ 3.00	
Bishop's salary.....	7.00	
Diocesan Missions.....	15.00	
Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund.....	5.70	\$30.70 \$1,383.11

ST. PAUL. (Merriam Park.) Ramsey County. S. MARY'S CHURCH. The Rev. IVAN C. FORTIN, Rector. (1939 Iglehart street.) Mr. H. J. BRAINERD, Mr. C. H. GIBBS, Wardens. Mr. A. W. AVERY, Treasurer. Mr. H. S. GREGG, Clerk Vestry. Mr. H. M. HOOD, S. S. Supt. and Lay Reader. Rector's salary, \$1,000 and Rectory. Pews free. Sitzings, 180. Value Church building, \$4,500; Rectory, \$3,400; lots, \$5,000; total, \$12,900. Indebtedness, \$4,400.

Families.....	67
Individuals.....	177
Baptisms:	
Inf. 6, Ad. 1.....	7
Confirmations:	
M. 2, F. 1.....	3
Confirmed persons last report.....	85
Added.....	25
Lost.....	12
Present number:	
M. 26, F. 72.....	98

Communicating during year:	
M. 20, F. 63.....	83
Holy Communion administered....	22
Public services:	
Sundays 60, other days 38.....	98
Marriages.....	1
Burials.....	1
Sunday School:	
Teachers (M. 5, F. 8).....	13
Scholars (M. 23, F. 42).....	65 78
Catechisings.....	6
Library Books.....	150

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.**Receipts.**

Balance.....	\$ 140.52	
Subscriptions.....	29.25	
Offerings.....	1,211.04	
Parish Aid Societies.....	191.00	
Sunday School.....	90.00	
Trinity Church, St. Paul Park.....	208.00	\$1,780.71

Expenditures.

Parochial:		
Current expenses.....	\$ 281.64	
Debts.....	200.00	
Building Rectory.....	3,200.00	
Rector's salary.....	800.00	
Sunday School.....	50.00	
Charity.....	10.64	
Sewer Assessment.....	112.67	
Floating Debt, Rectory.....	149.16	
Interest.....	109.37	\$4,946.39
Diocesan:		
Council Fund.....	\$ 5.00	
Bishop's salary.....	10.00	
Diocesan Missions.....	15.00	
Other Missions.....	10.00	
Aged and Infirm Clergy.....	10.67	
Sheltering Arms.....	5.18	
Bishop Gilbert's Fund.....	3.05	\$58.90
Extra Diocesan:		
Domestic Missions.....	\$ 5.65	
Bible and Prayer Book Society.....	2.40	\$8.05 \$5,013.34

ST. PAUL. *Population 135,000. Ramsey County.* S. STEPHEN'S CHURCH. The Rev. HOWARD S. CLAPP, Rector. Rector's salary, \$150. Pews free. Sittings, 100. Value Church building, \$3,000; lots, \$1,500; total, \$4,500.

Families.....	40	Burials.....	2
Confirmed persons last report.....	53	Sunday School:	
Communicating during year.....	28	Teachers.....	7
Holy Communion administered.....	12	Officers.....	3
Public services:		Scholars.....	90 100
Sundays 52, other days 8.....	60	Library Books.....	250

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

Receipts.

Subscriptions and Offerings.....	\$301.39	
Parish Aid Societies.....	60.00	
Sunday School.....	55.00	\$416.39

Expenditures.

Parochial:			
Current expenses.....	\$ 67.91		
Rector's salary.....	200.00		
Debts.....	29.22		
Sunday School.....	52.84	\$419.92	
Diocesan:			
Bishop's salary.....	\$ 2.50		
Bishop Gilbert's Fund.....	9.35	\$11.85	\$431.77

ST. PAUL. *Population 144,000. Ramsey County.* THE MESSIAH CHURCH. The Rev. C. E. HAUPT in charge (No. 569 Fuller st.) Mr. W. H. H. MEAD, Mr. L. J. M. HOLLAND, Mr. F. O. OSBORNE, Mr. G. H. LAWS, Mr. M. N. KELLOGG, Bishop's Committee. Mr. GEO. L. KEEFER, Lay Reader. Lay Reader's salary, \$250. Sittings, 100. Value of Chapel, \$1,500; lots, \$3,300; total, \$4,800. Indebtedness, \$1,750.

Families.....	56	Holy Communion administered:	
Individuals.....	235	Pub. 12, Priv. 2.....	14
Baptisms:		Public services:	
Inf. 13, Ad. 2.....	15	Sundays 104, other days 12.....	116
Confirmations:		Marriages.....	5
M. 6, F. 7.....	13	Burials.....	3
Present No. Confirmed:		Sunday School:	
M. 32, F. 72.....	104	Teachers (M. 3, F. 16).....	19
Communicants:		Officers (M.).....	3
M. 24, F. 68.....	92	Scholars.....	130 152
Communicating during year:		Catechisings.....	20
M. 20, F. 50.....	70	Library Books.....	50

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

Receipts.

Balance from last report.....	\$ 22.38	
Communion Alms.....	5.65	
Subscriptions.....	500.00	
Donations.....	221.00	
Offerings.....	1,067.63	
Parish Societies.....	54.21	
Sunday School.....	119.40	\$1,990.27

Expenditures.

Parochial:			
Current expenses.....	\$	232.37	
Repairs.....		18.29	
Debts.....		650.00	
Building.....		538.40	
Lay Reader's salary.....		198.89	
Sunday School.....		69.37	
Charity.....		5.65	
Expenses.....		104.15	\$1,817.12
Diocesan:			
Council Fund.....	\$	2.00	
Bishop's salary.....		5.00	
Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund.....		2.50	
Diocesan Education (Seabury).....		5.48	
Sheltering Arms.....		3.09	
Hospitals.....		1.96	
Archdeacon's salary.....		5.00	\$25.03
Extra Diocesan:			
Domestic Missions.....	\$	8.00	
Foreign Missions.....		7.08	
General Missions (S. S. Offerings).....		32.05	\$47.13 \$1,889.28

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

In addition to the above we have expended \$320 on our Kindergarten, which we believe to be one of the best in the city, fully justifying the outlay. We have received the consent of the Standing Committee for the organization of a Parish.

Faithfully Yours,

C. EDGAR HAUPT.

ST. PAUL PARK. *Population 1,200. Washington County.* TRINITY CHURCH. The Rev. C. E. HAUPT, in charge. Mr. JOHN CRAN, Mr. J. B. BENSON, Wardens. Mr. JOHN WEEKS, Treasurer. Mr. R. L. SCOTT, Clerk Vestry. Mr. GEO. L. KEEFER, Lay Reader. Rector's salary, \$200. Pews free. Sitzings, 60. Value Chapel, \$500; lots, \$300; total, \$800. Indebtedness, \$500.

Families.....	25	Sunday School:	
Confirmations:		Teachers (M. 1, F. 4).....	5
M. 3, F. 5.....	8	Officers (M. 2, F. 1).....	3
Added.....	8	Scholars (M. 12, F. 18).....	30 38
Communicating during year.....	17	Library Books.....	75
Marriages.....	1		

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.**Receipts.**

Subscriptions.....	\$133.60	
Donations.....	25.00	
Offerings.....	80.11	
Sunday School.....	15.00	\$253.71

Expenditures.

Parochial:			
Current expenses.....	\$	18.30	
Debts.....		35.41	
Rector's salary.....		200.00	\$253.71

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

This Parish has been under the charge of the Rev. I. C. Fortin of Merriam Park, until April 12th, 1891, when it was placed under my care.

Very Respectfully,

C. EDGAR HAUPT.

ST. PETER. *Population 3,000. Nicollet County.* HOLY COMMUNION CHURCH. The Rev. ROBERT HAMMOND COTTON, M. A., B. Sc. (London) Rector. ASA W. DANIELS, M. D., Mr. CHAS. R. WOODS, Wardens. Mr. FRED M. DONAHOWER, Treasurer. JARED W. DANIELS, M. D. Clerk Vestry and Lay Reader. RECTOR, S. S. Supt. Rector's salary, \$600 and Rectory. Pews free. Sitzings, 200. Value Church building, \$8,000; Rectory, \$3,000; total, \$11,000. Indebtedness, \$300.

Families.....	53	Communicating during year:	
Individuals.....	157	M. 42, F. 67.....	109
Baptisms:		Holy Communion administered....	25
Inf. 15, Ad. 7.....	22	Public services:	
Confirmations:		Sundays 104, other days 33.....	137
M. 2, F. 16.....	18	Marriages.....	6
Confirmed persons last report.....	88	Burials.....	5
Added.....	18	Sunday School:	
Lost.....	3	Teachers (M. 2, F. 7).....	9
Present number:		Scholars (M. 18, F. 28).....	46
Male 38, Female 65.....	103	Catechisings.....	52
		Library Books.....	190

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

Receipts.

Subscriptions.....	\$	754.04	
Offerings.....		155.92	
Special Offering (Easter).....		127.00	
Sunday School.....		109.91	\$1,146.87

Expenditures.

Parochial:			
Rector's salary.....	\$	600.00	
Sunday School.....		94.12	
*Other expenses.....		306.97	
Insurance.....		54.00	\$1,055.09
Diocesan:			
Council Fund.....	\$	7.00	
Bishop's salary.....		15.00	
Diocesan Missions.....		30.00	
Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund.....		17.00	
Seabury Divinity School.....		4.63	\$73.63
			\$1,128.72

*Items of other expense include a balance due the Treasurer at the beginning of last year, of \$133.79.

FRED M. DONAHOWER, Treasurer.

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

During the past year the Rectory has been enlarged; a course of Sunday evening lectures during the Winter attracted such large Congregations as to crowd the Church on several occasions; and we have to be thankful for a year of financial and, I trust, spiritual prosperity. It is to be feared however that a diminishing Church population in this city will seriously affect the Parish in the future.

ROBERT HAMMOND COTTON, M. A., B. Sc. (London.)

ST. VINCENT. *Population 100. Kittson County.* CHRIST CHURCH. The Rev. H. BEER, Rector. Mr. P. LE MASURIER, Mr. J. SMITH, Wardens. Mrs. H. BEER, S. S. Supt. Pews free. Sitzings, 100. Value Church building, \$2,000; Rectory, \$1,500; total, \$3,500.

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Families.....	43	Holy Communion administered.....	12
Individuals.....	165	Public services:	
Baptisms:		Sundays 52, other days 5.....	57
Inf. 30, Ad. 1.....	31	Marriages.....	6
Confirmations (F.).....	2	Burials.....	7
Confirmed persons last report.....	50	Sunday School:	
Present number:		Teachers (F.).....	4
M. 15, F. 22.....	37	Scholars (M. 15, F. 19).....	34
Communicating during year:		Catechisings.....	2
M. 20, F. 36.....	56	Library Books.....	60

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

Receipts.

Offerings.....	\$ 62.55	
Parish Aid Society.....	80.00	
Sunday School.....	20.54	\$163.09

Expenditures.

Parochial:		
Repairs.....	\$ 40.00	
Rectory building.....	20.00	
Rector's salary.....	52.80	
Sunday School.....	20.54	
Other expenses.....	15.00	\$148.34
Diocesan:		
Council Fund.....	\$ 1.00	
Bishop's salary.....	2.00	
Diocesan Missions.....	5.00	
Other Missions.....	1.20	
Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund.....	5.00	
Archdeacon's salary.....	5.00	\$19.20
Extra Diocesan:		
Domestic Missions.....	\$ 3.40	
Foreign Missions.....	5.00	
American Church Building Fund.....	1.00	
Jewish Missions.....	1.55	
Miscellaneous.....	.75	\$11.70
		\$179.24

SUNRISE AND WILLOW RIVER STATIONS. *Chisago and Pine Counties.* Mrs. KIRKLAND, Mr. STEWARD and Mr. SAVAGE, S. S. Supts. Mr. JOHN CALDWELL, Lay Reader.

Families.....	25	Sunday Schools.....	3
Individuals.....	75	Teachers (M. 6, F. 10).....	16
Baptisms (Inf.).....	4	Officers (M. 8, F. 12).....	20
Public services:		Scholars (M. 20, F. 40).....	60
Sundays 60, other days 16.....	76	Catechisings.....	2
Burials.....	3	Library Books.....	50

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

Receipts.

Offerings.....	\$ 25.00	
Parish Societies.....	5.00	\$30.00

Expenditures.

Parochial:		
Lay Reader's salary.....		\$30.00

TOWER. *Population 6,000. Saint Louis County. S. MARY'S CHURCH.*
 The Rev. F. B. MILLER, Rector. Mr. D. H. BACON, Treasurer. Dr.
 FRED BARRETT, Clerk Vestry. RECTOR, S. S. Supt. Mrs. CAROLINE R.
 BARRETT, Assistant S. S. Supt. Rector's salary, \$1,000 and Rectory.
 Pews free. Sittings, 150. Value Church building, \$3,800; Rectory,
 \$2,500; lots, \$500; total, \$6,800.

Families.....	30	Public services:	
Baptisms:		Sundays 21, other days 7.....	28
Inf. 8, Ad. 1.....	9	Marriages.....	10
Confirmations.....	14	Burials.....	2
Confirmed persons last report.....	20	Sunday School:	
Added.....	14	Teachers (F.).....	3
Present number.....	34	Officers (M. 2, F. 1).....	3
Communicants.....	30	Scholars.....	34 40
Holy Communion administered....	6	Catechisings.....	9
		Library Books.....	50

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

Receipts.

Communion Alms.....	\$	6.29	
Subscriptions.....		555.51	
Offerings.....		286.07	
Parish Aid Societies.....		496.28	
Sunday School.....		35.63	\$1,379.78

Expenditures.

Parochial:			
Current expenses.....	\$	280.72	
Repairs.....		75.00	
Rector's salary.....		691.68	
Sunday School.....		12.63	
Mission work.....		50.00	
Other expenses.....		157.79	\$1,267.82
Diocesan:			
Council Fund.....	\$	3.00	
Bishop's salary.....		2.00	
Diocesan Missionary.....		29.93	
Aged and Infirm Clergy.....		6.00	
Hospitals.....		3.62	
Sent to Mr. Hoppin.....		24.03	\$68.58
Extra Diocesan:			
Domestic and Foreign Missions.....	\$	26.23	
Bible and Prayer Book Society.....		6.73	\$32.96 \$1,369.36

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

My Report for the two months I have been here since Easter I have included in such statistics as I can find for the year. The baptisms and marriages performed by the Rev. Mr. Gesner and the baptisms by the Archdeacon in the Parish are included in the above. I have solemnized marriage twice and attended two burials. The services (Sundays and week days) are only those which I have officiated. The ladies are working like bees as usual and everything is moving on smoothly. There is a good work here to be done.

Faithfully Yours,

B. F. MILLER.

WABASHA. *Population 3,000. Wabasha County. GRACE CHURCH.*
 The Rev. JOSEPH J. HILLMER, Priest in charge. (P. O. 203 E. King st.
 Winona.) Mr. J. G. LAWRENCE, Mr. J. H. MULLEN, Wardens. Mr.
 J. A. PECK, Treasurer. Mr. C. J. STAUFF, Clerk Vestry. Mr. L. AFFELD.
 S. S. Supt. Rector's salary, \$400. Pews free. Sittings, 110. Value
 Church building, \$1,200; Rectory, \$2,000; lots, \$1,000; total, \$4,200.

Families.....	50	Holy Communion administered....	13
Individuals.....	215	Public services:	
Baptisms:		Sundays 52, other days 8.....	60
Inf. 5, Ad. 3.....	8	Burials.....	3
Confirmations:		Sunday School:	
M. 1, F. 3.....	4	Teachers (M. 2, F. 9).....	11
Confirmed persons last report	60	Scholars (M. 25, F. 75).....	100
Present number:		Catechisings	10
M. 8, F. 56.....	64	Library Books.....	300
Communicating during year:			
M. 7, F. 43.....	50		

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

Receipts.

Communion Alms.....	\$ 30.00	
Subscriptions.....	400.00	
Offerings.....	100.00	
Parish Aid Societies.....	100.00	
Sunday School.....	40.00	
Rent Rectory.....	50.00	\$720.00

Expenditures.

Parochial:			
Current expenses.....	\$ 90.00		
Repairs.....	12.00		
Rector's salary.....	275.00		
Sunday School.....	40.00		
Taxes.....	30.00	\$447.00	
Diocesan:			
Council Fund.....	\$ 5.00		
Bishop's salary.....	15.00		
Diocesan Missions.....	22.00		
Aged and Infirm Clergy.....	15.26		
Seabury Divinity School.....	7.15	\$64.41	
Extra Diocesan:			
Domestic Missions.....	\$ 6.27		
Foreign Missions.....	6.00	\$12.27	\$796.68

WADENA. *Population 1,000. Wadena County.* GRACE MISSION.
 The Rev. C. C. ROLLIT, in charge. (Park Hotel, Fergus Falls.) Mr.
 Mr. J. S. MIDDLEHURST, Mr. G. A. WHITNEY, Mr. H. P. BIVANS, Bishop's
 Committee. Mr. H. P. BIVANS, Treasurer. Rector's salary, \$100.
 Pews free. Sittings, 50. Value Church building, \$600; lots, \$1,000;
 total, \$1,600.

Families.....	16	Present number:	
Individuals.....	57	M. 7, F. 12.....	19
Confirmations:		Communicating during year:	
M. 2, F. 2.....	4	M. 3, F. 7.....	10
Confirmed persons last report.....	15	Holy Communion administered....	2
Added.....	4	Public services.....	20

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

Receipts.

Offerings.....	\$111.78
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Expenditures.

Parochial:			
Rector's salary.....	\$ 97.55		
Diocesan:			
Mission work.....	\$ 5.50		
Bishop Gilbert's Fund.....	8.70	\$ 14.20	\$111.75

WARSAW. *Rice County.* S. THOMAS' CHURCH. The Rev. E. S. PEAKE, Priest in charge. (P. O. Faribault.) Pews free. Sittings, 50. Value Church building, \$1,000; lots, \$100; total, \$1,100.

Families.....	20	Communicating during year:	
Individuals.....	80	Male 13, Female 17.....	30
Baptisms:		Holy Communion administered.....	11
Inf. 3, Ad. 1.....	4	Burials.....	3
Confirmations (F.).....	4	Sunday School:	
Confirmed persons last report.....	28	Teachers (M. 2, F. 4).....	6
Added.....	4	Officers (M. 2, F. 1).....	3
Lost.....	3	Scholars (M. 21, F. 23).....	45
Present number:		Library Books.....	42
M. 12, F. 17.....	29		

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

Receipts.

Subscriptions.....	\$ 40.00	
Donations.....	53.00	
Offerings.....	23.41	
Parish Aid Society.....	34.83	
Sunday School.....	33.05	\$184.29

Expenditures.

Parochial:		
Current expenses.....	\$ 4.51	
Repairs.....	35.84	
Rector's salary.....	96.50	
Sunday School.....	29.85	\$166.70
Diocesan:		
Council Fund.....	\$ 2.00	
Bishop's salary.....	5.00	
Diocesan Missionary.....	6.00	
Aged and Infirm Clergy.....	.56	\$13.56
		\$180.26

WATERVILLE. *Population 1,200. Le Sueur County.* S. ANDREW'S CHURCH. The Rev. WM. TISON, Rector. Mr. H. H. STOWE, Mr. JOHN RUTHS, Wardens. Mr. JOHN RUTHS, Treasurer. Mr. A. W. KNAAK, Clerk Vestry. THE RECTOR, S. S. Supt. Rector's salary, \$300. Pews free. Sittings, 100. Value Church building, \$1,500; Rectory, \$1,200; lots, \$1,500; total, \$4,200. Indebtedness, \$700.

Families.....	19	Holy Communion administered:	
Individuals.....	84	Pub. 6, Priv. 1.....	7
Baptisms:		Public services:	
Inf. 1, Ad. 2.....	3	Sundays 58, other days 8.....	66
Confirmations (F.).....	4	Marriages.....	2
Confirmed persons last report.....	38	Burials.....	2
Added.....	8	Sunday School:	
Lost.....	1	Teachers (M. 2, F. 4).....	6
Present number.....	45	Officers.....	1
Communicants:		Scholars (M. 10, F. 24).....	34
M. 13, F. 29.....	42	Catechisings.....	8
Communicating during year:			
M. 13, F. 29.....	42		

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

Receipts.

Subscriptions.....	\$208.00	
Offerings.....	92.00	
Parish Societies.....	70.00	
Sunday School.....	6.30	\$376.30

Expenditures.

Parochial:			
Current expenses.....	\$	9.00	
Rectory building.....		1,200.00	
Rector's salary.....		228.18	
Sunday School.....		6.00	
Charity.....		15.00	\$1,458.18
Diocesan:			
Council Fund.....	\$	3.00	
Bishop's salary.....		5.00	
Diocesan Missions.....		8.00	\$16.00
Extra Diocesan:			
Domestic Missions.....	\$	3.94	
Foreign Missions.....		3.54	
Indian Missions.....		2.50	\$9.98
			\$1,484.16

WELLS. *Population 1,400. Faribault County.* CHURCH OF THE NATIVITY. The Rev. F. M. WEDDELL, Rector. Mr. J. M. NYE, Mr. J. P. BURKE, Wardens. Mr. J. A. JOHNSON, Treasurer and Clerk Vestry. Mr. J. M. NYE, S. S. Supt. Rector's salary, \$500. Pews free. Value Church building, \$3,000; Rectory, \$1,100; lots, \$1,000; total, \$5,100.

Families.....	20	Communicants:	
Individuals.....	115	M. 21, F. 33.....	54
Baptisms:		Communicating during year:	
Inf. 3. Ad. 1.....	4	M. 21, F. 32.....	53
Confirmations:		Holy Communion administered....	30
M. 10, F. 3.....	13	Public services:	
Confirmed persons last report.....	47	Sundays 48, other days 40.....	88
Added.....	14	Burials.....	2
Lost.....	2	Sunday School:	
Present number:		Teachers (M. 2, F. 5).....	7
M. 25, F. 34.....	59	Scholars (M. 32, F. 23).....	55
		Catechisings.....	3

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.**Receipts.**

Balance.....	\$	28.81	
Subscriptions.....		377.75	
Offerings.....		190.64	
Parish Aid Societies.....		100.00	
Sunday School.....		64.34	\$761.54

Expenditures.

Parochial:			
Current expenses.....	\$130.45		
Repairs.....	65.97		
Debts.....	65.00		
Rector's salary.....	348.33		
Sunday School.....	26.12		
Charity.....	5.00		
Other expenses.....	17.50		
Altar Linen.....	5.00	\$663.37	
Diocesan:			
Council Fund.....	\$	3.00	
Bishop's salary.....		8.00	
Diocesan Missions.....		15.00	
Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund.....		18.00	
Diocesan Education.....		8.12	
Bishop Gilbert's Fund.....		12.00	\$64.12
Extra Diocesan:			
Domestic and Foreign Missions.....	\$	41.28	
Miscellaneous.....		108.95	\$150.23
			\$877.72

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

As I have been in charge of this Parish only since the 1st of February, 1891, some of the items refer only to my work in the time since then, and others to the whole year.

WEST DULUTH. *St. Louis County. Population 7,000.* CHURCH OF THE HOLY APOSTLES. The Rev. HORATIO GATES, B. D., Rector. Mr. CHAS. F. LAMB, Mr. J. ALLYN SCOTT, Wardens. Mr. WM. H. ECKLEY, Treasurer. Mr. C. F. LAMB, Clerk Vestry. RECTOR and Mr. W. H. ECKLEY, S. S. Supts. Mr. W. H. ECKLEY and Mr. J. A. SCOTT, Lay Readers. Value Church property, lots, \$2,000. Indebtedness, \$1,100.

Families.....	55	Holy Communion administered:	
Individuals.....	165	Pub. 14, Priv. 1.....	15
Baptisms (Inf.).....	3	Public services:	
Confirmations:		Sundays 40, other days 18.....	58
M. 1, F. 2.....	3	Sunday School:	
Present number.....	58	Teachers (M. 2, F. 2).....	4
Communicating during year.....	40	Scholars.....	30
		Catechisings.....	9

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

Receipts.

Communion Alms.....	\$ 12.22	
Subscriptions.....	124.70	
Donations.....	25.00	
Parish Aid Societies.....	50.00	
Sunday School.....	25.00	\$236.92

Expenditures.

Parochial:		
Current expenses.....	\$ 3.00	
Rector's salary.....	233.33	
Sunday School.....	6.28	
Charitable work.....	20.00	\$262.61
Diocesan:		
Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund.....	\$2.80	\$265.41

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

This Report covers but seven months of the work here. According to your instructions, I took charge of the work at West Duluth Oct. 27th, 1890. It was a weak and scattered Mission. Through God's blessing it has grown into a small but well organized Parish. Acquired two very sightly lots, in the finest location in this growing place, and a neat and churchly Chapel is in course of erection, the contract being let for \$1,510. A Guild has been organized and the legitimate sale of its handiwork cleared \$60 a few weeks ago. The children of the small Sunday School raised \$17 for the Lenten offerings and have increased the amount by their energy to nearly \$30, intending to purchase and present the Altar Cross to the Parish. A Vested Choir is in course of preparation and training and will soon be sufficiently advanced to take part in the services.

WHITE BEAR LAKE. *Population 1,200. Ramsey County.* S. JOHN IN THE WILDERNESS CHURCH. The Rev. SAMUEL MILLS. Priest in charge. (P. O. 953 Hudson ave., St. Paul.) Mr. THOMAS C. FULTON, Mr. WM. CLARK, Wardens. Mr. GEO. H. STAEHLE, Treasurer. Clerk Vestry and S. S. Supt. Rector's salary, \$300. Pews free. Sittings, 150. Value Church building, \$1,500; lots, \$1,500; total, \$3,000.

Families.....	42	Public services:	
Individuals.....	153	Sundays 52, other days 7.....	59
Baptisms (Inf.).....	8	Marriages.....	2
Confirmations (M.).....	2	Burials.....	4
Confirmed persons last report.....	45	Sunday School:	
Present number.....	47	Teachers (M. 2, F. 2).....	4
Communicating during year:		Scholars (M. 17, F. 20).....	37
M. 16, F. 29.....	45	Library Books.....	162
Holy Communion administered:			
Pub. 14, Priv. 1.....	15		

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

Receipts.

Subscriptions.....	\$194.00	
Offerings.....	208.15	
Parish Aid Societies.....	79.50	
Sunday School.....	24.84	
Sunday School Lenten offerings.....	6.08	\$512.57

Expenditures.

Parochial:		
Current expenses.....	\$ 89.60	
Debts.....	51.00	
Rector's salary.....	300.00	
Sunday School.....	18.85	\$459.45
Diocesan:		
Council Fund.....	\$ 3.00	
Bishop's salary.....	7.00	
Diocesan Missions.....	15.00	
Bishop Gilbert's Fund.....	5.00	\$30.00
Extra Diocesan:		
Domestic Missions.....	\$6.08	\$495.53

WILDER. *Population 100. Jackson County.* CHURCH OF THE REDEEMER. The Rev. C. S. WARE, in charge. (P. O. Luverne.) Mr. EUGENE RUCKER, S. S. Supt. and Lay Reader. Value School or College buildings, \$10,000.

Families.....	2	Present number:	
Individuals.....	8	M. 7, F. 8.....	15
Baptisms:		Holy Communion administered.....	9
Inf. 2, Ad. 9.....	11	Public services:	
Confirmations:		Sundays 18, other days 6.....	24
M. 6, F. 6.....	12	Sunday School:	
Confirmed persons last report.....	12	Teachers (M. 3, F. 1).....	4
Added.....	12	Catechisings.....	12
Lost.....	9		

WILLMAR. *Population 1,800. Kandiyohi County.* S. LUKE'S CHURCH. The Rev. DANIEL T. BOOTH, Rector. Mr. JOHN H. WIGGINS, Dr. EDWARD S. FROST, Wardens. Mrs. S. L. RICE, Treasurer. Mr. BENJAMIN WILLIAMS, Clerk Vestry. Rector, S. S. Supt. Rector's salary, \$400 and Rectory. Pews free. Sitzings, 125. Value Church building, \$2,400; Rectory, \$2,100; lots, \$1,500; total, \$6,000.

Families.....	50	Communicating during year:	
Individuals.....	257	M. 26, F. 40.....	66
Baptisms:		Holy Communion administered ..	17
Inf. 16, Ad. 1.....	17	Public services:	
Confirmations:		Sundays 173, other days 52.....	225
M. 5, F. 10.....	15	Marriages.....	5
Confirmed persons last report.....	94	Burials.....	5
Added.....	18	Sunday School:	
Lost.....	18	Teachers (M. 1, F. 5).....	6
Present number:		Officers (M. 1, F. 2).....	3
M. 38, F. 56.....	94	Scholars (M. 41, F. 49).....	99
Communicants:		Catechisings.....	52
M. 33, F. 53.....	86	Library Books.....	50

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

Receipts.

Communion Alms.....	\$ 72.08	
Subscriptions.....	371.30	
Donations.....	1.00	
Offerings.....	123.00	
Parish Aid Societies.....	187.30	
Sunday School.....	85.81	\$840.49

Expenditures.

Parochial:		
Current expenses.....	\$145.02	
Repairs.....	11.50	
Debts.....	25.00	
Church Building.....	25.00	
Rectory building.....	40.00	
Rector's salary.....	371.30	
Sunday School.....	90.76	
Charity.....	12.00	
Mission work.....	1.19	
Other expenses.....	18.79	\$740.56
Diocesan:		
Council Fund.....	\$ 5.00	
Bishop's salary.....	12.00	
Diocesan Missions.....	20.00	
Mission work.....	14.30	
Aged and Infirm Clergy.....	7.43	
Diocesan Education.....	4.10	
Sheltering Arms.....	4.00	\$66.83
Extra Diocesan:		
Domestic Missions.....	\$ 16.51	
Foreign Missions.....	14.16	
Bible and Prayer Book Society.....	2.43	\$33.10
		\$840.49

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

In addition to the work in Willmar, I have held services throughout the year in Kerkhoven and New London, an account of which will be found in separate Reports. Formerly the services held in these places have been included with all other items in the Report of S. Luke's Parish, Willmar. The presenting of the work, in these two places, in separate Reports this year, will account for the rather unusual number of communicants lost from S. Luke's Parish, Willmar, by transfer, viz: 18.

I have also held services, occasionally in Spicer and Burbank, which are included in the Report of the Church at Willmar.

D. T. BOOTH, Missionary.

WINDOM. *Population 1,000. Cottonwood County.* THE GOOD SHEPHERD CHURCH. The Rev. C. S. WARE, Rector. (P. O. Luverne.) Mrs. F. C. COLLINS, Treasurer. Mrs. M. S. KING, S. S. Supt. Rector's salary, \$250. Value Church building, \$750; lots, \$200; total, \$950.

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Families.....	9	Holy Communion administered:	
Individuals.....	36	Pub. 4, Priv. 1.....	5
Baptisms:		Public services:	
Inf. 6, Ad. 1.....	7	Sundays 45, other days 4.....	49
Confirmed persons last report.....	25	Marriages.....	1
Present number:		Burials.....	2
M. 7, F. 18.....	25	Sunday School:	
Communicants:		Teachers (F.).....	4
Male 5, Female 14.....	19	Catechisings.....	8
Communicating during year:			
M. 4, F. 12.....	16		

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

Receipts.

Balance from last Report.....	\$ 48.23	
Communion Alms.....	14.25	
Subscriptions.....	200.00	
Donations.....	60.00	
Offerings.....	26.25	\$348.73

Expenditures.

Parochial:			
Current expenses.....	\$ 12.50		
Repairs.....	60.75		
Church Building.....	12.50		
Rector's salary.....	250.00	\$335.75	
Diocesan:			
Council Fund.....	\$ 1.50		
Bishop's salary.....	3.00		
Diocesan Missionary.....	5.00		
Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund.....	2.00	\$11.50	\$347.25

WINONA. *Population 18,264. Winona County. S. PAUL'S CHURCH.*
 The Rev. W. H. KNOWLTON, Rector. Mr. CHAS. HORTOR, Mr. L. D. FROST, Wardens. Mr. L. D. FROST, Treasurer. Mr. H. C. BOISSIER, Clerk Vestry. Rector's salary, \$1,500. Pews free. Sittings, 450. Value Church building, \$33,000; lots, \$10,000; total, \$43,000.

Families.....	120	Holy Communion administered:	
Baptisms:		Pub. 61, Priv. 3.....	64
Inf. 15, Ad. 1.....	16	Public services:	
Confirmations:		Sundays 140, other days 60.....	200
M. 4, F. 2.....	6	Marriages.....	4
Confirmed persons last report.....	154	Burials.....	6
Added.....	9	Sunday School:	
Lost.....	18	Teachers (M. 3, F. 12).....	15
Present number:		Officers (M.).....	5
M. 37, F. 108.....	145	Scholars (M. 54, F. 57).....	111 131
Communicating during year:		Catechisings.....	25
M. 33, F. 99.....	132	Library Books.....	300

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

Receipts.

Balance from last Report.....	\$1,000.00	
Communion Alms.....	76.50	
Sunday School.....	150.00	
Other sources.....	5,071.78	\$6,298.35

Expenditures.

Parochial:			
Current expenses.....	\$	1,100.00	
Debts.....		300.00	
Rector's salary.....		1,500.00	
Poor, Charitable work.....		206.35	
Other improvements.....		3,025.00	\$6,131.35
Diocesan:			
Council Fund.....	\$	20.00	
Bishop's salary.....		80.00	
Aged and Infirm Clergy.....		17.00	
Diocesan Education (Seabury).....		5.00	
Bishop Gilbert's Fund.....		27.00	\$149.00
Extra Diocesan:			
Domestic Missions.....	\$	9.00	
Foreign Missions.....		9.00	\$18.00
			\$6,298.35

WORTHINGTON. *Population 1,500. Nobles County. S. JOHN'S CHURCH.* The Rev. C. H. BEAULIEU, in charge. (P. O. St. James.) Mr. F. D. REED, Treasurer and Clerk Vestry. Mrs. ALBERT FIRTH, S. Supt. Rector's salary, \$240. Pews free. Sitzings, 90. Value Church building, \$600; lots, \$500; total, \$1,100. Indebtedness, \$25.

Families.....	16	Communicants:	
Individuals.....	9	M. 5, F. 10.....	15
Confirmations:		Holy Communion administered....	10
M. 1, F. 8.....	9	Public services (Sundays).....	48
Confirmed persons last report.....	24	Sunday School:	
Added.....	11	Teachers (M. 1, F. 5).....	6
Present number:		Scholars.....	35
M. 13, F. 19.....	32	Catechisings.....	8
		Library Books.....	129

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

Receipts.

Balance from last Report.....	\$	52.38	
Interest.....		1.89	
Subscriptions.....		161.00	
Donations.....		60.00	
Loan.....		25.00	
Offerings.....		87.34	
Parish Aid Societies.....		153.75	
Sunday School.....		35.53	\$576.90

Expenditures.

Parochial:		
Current expenses.....	\$	56.22
Improvements.....		149.71
Rector's salary.....		200.00
Mission work.....		200.00
Freight.....		15.89
Mechanics bill.....		5.85
Guild expenditures.....		148.97
		\$571.27

				\$571.27
Diocesan:				
Council Fund.....	\$	1.50		
Bishop's salary.....		3.00		
Diocesan Mission.....		2.50		
Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund.....		4.00	\$11.00	\$582.27

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

From having no records of matter prior to taking charge of this Mission, the above report is necessarily imperfect.

Since my assumption of duties here, July 13th, 1890, we have carpeted the Church, put in pews and slightly altered the chancel. We have received besides money donations as above, altar and lectern covers, altar linen, also prayer books and hymnals. The Mission is under pledge for \$200 per annum for salary, but have so far paid me at the rate of \$240. This may remain so, or the amount confined to the actual pledge, according to conditions as they arise.

INDIAN MISSIONS.

THE REV. JOSEPH A. GILFILLAN, ARCHDEACON.
White Earth, Becker County.

CASS LAKE. *Population 135. Beltrami County.* PRINCE OF PEACE CHURCH. Mr. WILLIAM DENLEY, Lay Reader and S. S. Supt. Rector's salary, \$365. Pews free. Sitzings, 50. Value Church building, \$300; Rectory, \$100; School building, \$700; total, \$1,100.

Families.....	14	Communicants:		
Individuals.....	39	M. 5, F. 11.....	16	
Baptisms (Ad.).....	3	Communicating during year:		
Confirmations (F.).....	2	M. 5, F. 11.....	16	
Confirmed persons last report.....	19	Holy Communion administered.....	7	
Added.....	2	Public services:		
Lost.....	1	Sundays 80, other days 10.....	90	
Present number:		Sunday School:		
M. 8, F. 12.....	20	Teachers.....	1	
		Scholars (M. 12, F. 13.....	25	26

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

Receipts.

Offerings.....	\$ 15.23	
Domestic and Foreign Missionary Society.....	365.00	
Woman's Auxiliary Box, for Rev. Mr. Coleman.....	100.00	
Friends for Christmas Tree.....	25.00	\$505.23

Expenditures.

Parochial:		
Rector's salary.....	\$365.00	
Box for Rev. Mr. Coleman.....	100.00	
Christmas Festival.....	25.00	\$490.00
Diocesan:		
Council Fund.....	\$ 1.00	
Bishop's salary.....	1.00	
Diocesan Missions.....	4.00	\$6.00
Extra Diocesan:		
Foreign Missions.....	\$ 6.20	
Bishop Graves work.....	3.03	\$9.23

LEECH LAKE. *Population 600. Cass County.* CHURCH OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD. The Rev. GEORGE SMITH, Rector. The Rev. JOSEPH WAKAZOO, Asst. Minister. RECTOR, S. S. Supt. Rector's salary, \$365. Asst. Minister's salary, \$152.10 Pews free. Sittings, 200. Value Church building, \$1,600; Rectories, (2) \$350; School building, \$300; total, \$2,250.

Families..... 45
 Individuals.....195
 Baptisms:
 Inf. 6, Ad. 2..... 8
 Confirmations:
 M. 7, F. 4..... 11
 Confirmed persons last report..... 85
 Added.....11
 Present number:
 M. 42, F. 54..... 96

Communicating during year:
 M. 30, F. 35..... 65
 Holy Communion administered 13
 Public services:
 Sundays 96, other days 35.....131
 Marriages..... 5
 Burials..... 3
 Sunday School:
 Teachers (M. 2, F. 3)..... 5
 Scholars (M. 40, F. 35)..... 75 80

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

Receipts.

Offerings.....	\$ 35.60	
Christmas Festival.....	50.00	
Domestic and Foreign Missionary Society.....	517.10	
Other offerings.....	85.00	\$687.70

Expenditures.

Parochial:			
Rector's salary.....	\$365.00		
Asst. Minister's salary.....	152.10		
Sunday School.....	50.00		
Charity.....	10.00		
Books for Clergy.....	75.00	\$652.10	
Diocesan:			
Council Fund.....	\$ 6.00		
Bishop's salary.....	10.00		
Diocesan Missionary.....	15.00	\$31.00	
Extra Diocesan:			
Bishop Graves.....	\$4.60	\$659.10	

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

I tell you what I have done in a year, I have had service twice every Sunday, again on Friday, and we keep the festivals. As I am able I strive to work. My earnest desire is Oh that the Lord may bless the work. That is all.

GEO. SMITH.

PINE POINT. *Population 350. Becker County.* BRECK MEMORIAL CHURCH. The Rev. JOSEPH WAKAZOO, Rector. RECTOR, S. S. Supt. Rector's salary, \$365. Pews free. Sittings, 80. Value of Rectory, \$250; School building, \$5,000; property, \$120; total, \$5,370.

Families..... 2
 Individuals..... 10
 Baptisms (Inf.)..... 1
 Present number Confirmed persons:
 M. 2, F. 2..... 4
 Communicants:
 M. 1, F. 2..... 3

Public services:
 Sundays 24, other days 1..... 25
 Sunday School:
 Teachers (M. 2, F. 2)..... 4
 Scholars (M. 37, F. 30).....67 71
 Catechising..... 72

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

Receipts.

Domestic and Foreign Missionary Society.....	\$212.94	
Christmas Festival for Sunday School.....	49.00	\$261.94

Expenditures.

Parochial:		
Rector's salary.....	\$212.94	
Sunday School.....	49.00	\$261.94

RT. REV. M. N. GILBERT:

My Dear Bishop: Another year is past since I have written you about work. I write you a little again this year, but work I have done may be found in the Report of Rev. Geo. Smith, in Leech Lake. Rev. Geo. Smith and I worked together in the field for five months, then I have removed from Leech Lake in November to Pine Point School, where I am now working. I hold two services on Sundays, again on Friday we assemble and also Sunday School on every Sunday.

Your Brother in Christ,

JOSEPH WAKAZOO.

RED LAKE AGENCY. *Population 700. Beltrami County.* S. JOHN IN THE WILDERNESS CHURCH. The Rev. FRANCIS WILLIS, Rector. The Rev. M. HART, Asst. Minister. Rector's salary, \$500. Asst. Minister's salary, \$365. Pews free. Sittings, 200. Value Church building, \$1,600; Rectories, \$850; total, \$2,450.

Families.....	37	Communicating during year:	
Individuals.....	110	M. 23, F. 31.....	54
Baptisms (Inf.).....	6	Holy Communion administered:	
Confirmations:		P.b. 12, Priv. 9.....	21
M. 2, F. 4.....	6	Public services:	
Confirmed persons last report.....	62	Sundays 99, other days 52.....	151
Added.....	8	Marriages.....	3
Lost.....	3	Burials.....	7
Present number:		Sunday school:	
M. 33, F. 34.....	67	Teachers (M.).....	2
		Scholars (M. 30, F. 22).....	52 54

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

Receipts.

Subscriptions.....	\$ 1.44	
Donations.....	615.00	
Offerings.....	39.63	
Sunday School.....	.39	
Parish Aid Societies.....	4.00	
Missionaries.....	1,225.04	\$1,885.50

Expenditures.

Parochial:		
Current expenses.....	\$ 13.00	
Debts.....	5.06	
Rectory building.....	600.00	
Church lamps.....	4.00	
Rectors' salaries.....	1,225.04	\$1,849.10
Diocesan:		
Council Fund.....	\$ 1.00	
Bishop's salary.....	4.00	
Diocesan Missionary.....	5.76	
Aged and Infirm Clergy.....	2.95	\$13.71
Extra Diocesan:		
Domestic and Foreign Missions.....	\$ 7.93	
Miscellaneous.....	14.76	\$22.69 \$1,885.50

RED LAKE. (Old Chief's Village.) *Population 120. Beltrami County.* S. ANTIPAS CHURCH. The Rev. FRANCIS WILLIS, Rector. The Rev. MARK HART, Asst. Minister. Pews free. Sittings, 75. Value Church building, \$400; Rectory, \$150; total, \$550.

Families.....	19	Present number:	
Individuals.....	66	M. 16, F. 28.....	44
Baptisms:		Communicants:	
Inf. 4, Ad. 2.....	6	M. 15, F. 27.....	42
Confirmations:		Communicating during year:	
M. 2, F. 4.....	6	M. 14, F. 23.....	37
Confirmed persons last report.....	50	Holy Communion administered....	11
Added.....	6	Public services:	
Lost.....	10	Sundays 50, other days 3.....	53
		Burials.....	4

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

Receipts.

Donations.....	\$ 12.29	
Offerings.....	20.83	\$33.12

Expenditures.

Parochial:			
Repairs.....	1	\$ 12.00	
Diocesan:			
Council Fund.....	\$ 1.00		
Bishop's salary.....	4.00		
Diocesan Missionary.....	8.00	\$13.00	
Extra Diocesan:			
Foreign Missions.....	\$ 2.96		
Miscellaneous.....	5.16	\$8.12	\$32.12

WILD RICE RIVER. Population 300. Norman County. CHURCH OF THE EPIPHANY. The Rev. GEORGE B. MORGAN, Rector. (P. O. White Earth.) Rector, S. S. Supt. Rector's salary, \$365. Pews free. Sittings, 200. Value Church building, \$1,700; School building, \$2,700; total, \$4,400.

Families.....	28	Holy Communion administered:	
Individuals.....	104	Pub. 6, Priv. 2.....	8
Baptisms (Inf.).....	3	Public services:	
Confirmed persons last report.....	48	Sundays 24, other days 2.....	26
Added.....	1	Burials.....	3
Lost.....	1	Sunday School:	
Present number:		Teachers (M. 2, F. 1).....	3
M. 17, F. 31.....	48	Scholars (M. 14, F. 14).....	28
Communicating during year:			31
M. 10, F. 20.....	30		

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

Receipts.

Donations.....	\$ 25.00	
Offerings.....	16.00	
Foreign and Domestic Missionary Society.....	365.00	
Box of Clergyman.....	40.00	\$466.00

Expenditures.**Parochial:**

Rector's salary.....	\$365.00		
Sunday School.....	25.00		
Box for Clergyman.....	60.00	\$450.00	

Diocesan:

Council Fund.....	\$ 2.00		
Bishop's salary.....	5.00		
Diocesan Missionary.....	9.00	\$16.00	\$466.00

WHITE EARTH. *Population 800. Becker County. S. COLUMBA CHURCH.* The Rev. CHARLES T. WRIGHT, in charge. The Rev. JOHN JOHNSON, Rector Emeritus. Rector's salary, \$365. Rector Emeritus salary, \$500. Pews free. Sittings, 200. Value Church building, \$3,000; Chapel, \$300; Two Rectories, \$4,700; Hospital buildings, \$5,500; other property, \$100; total, \$13,600.

Families.....	80
Individuals.....	271
Baptisms:	
Inf. 15, Ad. 4.....	19
Confirmations:	
M. 3, P. 5.....	8
Confirmed persons last report.....	139
Added.....	8
Lost.....	7
Present number:	
M. 60, P. 80.....	140

Communicating during year:	
M. 19, F. 44.....	63
Holy Communion administered:	
Pub. 13, Priv. 11.....	24
Public services:	
Sundays 58, other days 4.....	62
Marriages.....	2
Burials.....	6
Sunday School:	
Teachers (M. 1, F. 1.).....	2
Scholars (M. 17, F. 18).....	35

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.**Receipts.**

Donations.....	\$6,755.00	
Endowments.....	700.00	
Offerings.....	89.65	\$7,544.65

Expenditures.**Parochial:**

Sexton.....	\$ 30.00		
Building Church.....	3,000.00		
Building Rectory.....	1,300.00		
Rector's salary.....	365.00		
Rector Emeritus' salary.....	500.00		
Charity.....	60.00		
Archdeacon's salary.....	500.00		
Boxes for Rectors.....	400.00		
Rev. F. Smith's salary (Sick).....	365.00		
Lace School.....	240.00		
Christmas Tree.....	25.00		
Hospitals.....	700.00	\$7,485.00	

Diocesan:

Council Fund.....	\$ 5.00		
Bishop's salary.....	7.84		
Diocesan Missions.....	35.00		
Aged and Infirm Clergy.....	3.07	\$50.91	

Extra Diocesan:

Foreign Missions.....	\$ 2.74		
Jewish Missions.....	6.00	\$8.74	\$7,544.65

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:

WHITE EARTH MINN.

Another year is past since I wrote to you, I have not been able to do any work on account of ill health, I have assisted Rev. Mr. Wright in the Church as much as I can, and I hope Our Father in Heaven will spare my life to do His work in future, this is all, Dear Bishop. I am Your Indian Brother,

F. W. SMITH.

Dear Bishop: A little again I tell you. After the Council I was in White Earth last summer, before that my wife was at Red Lake. As well as I could I did here. Two adults were baptized and four infants, and a couple were married. While I was helping the elderly men here last Fall, on November 24th, my wife was reported to have died at Red Lake, but I was on my bed in White Earth, so sick was I. For five months and a little more I did no duty in the Church. I am sorry to-day that I have to say that: that I was unable to do what I should have done. Then May 1st, I removed to Wild Rice River, and I am extremely glad that I am again able to work a little. The teachers help me in the Sunday School, and I intend to help them in their work as well as I can. Respectfully Yours,

GEORGE B. MORGAN.

WHITE EARTH, MINN.,

June 1st, 1891.

SHELTERING ARMS.

SEVENTH ANNUAL REPORT.

Mrs. President and Ladies of the Board of Directors :

As we come together on this, the seventh anniversary of our incorporation, let our first record of work be an ascription of praise and thanksgiving to our Heavenly Father, for His loving kindness in preserving us an unbroken band of yoke fellows, for another year in the work of His vineyard, which above all others, had his Divine approval, the caring for the souls and bodies of little children, and the training of them for lives of future usefulness, thereby "Suffering them to come unto Him, forbidding them not."

Perhaps no year of our work has been so full of tangible results. Everywhere between the lines of its record, we may read the fulfillment of the Master's assurance, "Lo, I am with you alway," and thereby gather strength and renewed courage for future endeavor even unto the end.

The usefulness of our work was greatly hindered at the beginning of the year from inability to secure a proper person for the duties of superintendent and matron. It was not until September that we engaged for the place, Mrs. Thompson, a lady bringing good credentials, and from whose judicious management we have already experienced great improvement, and can anticipate for the future only the best results.

The sanitary condition of the Home has been greatly improved by thoroughly renovating the nursery and dormitories with paper, paint and kalsomine, and especially by connection with the city water supply, which hitherto we have been unable to make. We have had but little sickness during the entire year. Dr. Hall has continued his faithful, gratuitous attendance and we hereby return our sincere thanks.

To Mr. Regan, the children's friend, we would again express our heartfelt gratitude for free tickets to the Exposition to all old enough to attend, and for the excellent lunch and pony ride enjoyed by each child while there.

Religious services and Sunday school formerly held in the chapel, have been suspended because of its dilapidated condition, and the children in fine weather have been taken by the matron to the nearest church, for service. We pray earnestly for the day when our treasury will admit of suitable repairs in our own little sanctuary, so conveniently near.

Children old enough, have attended the nearest public school, where they have won a high record for deportment and scholarship.

During the past year we have had two deaths, both invalids from birth. We have given up for adoption, four bright, interesting girls, who have already proven a joy to lighten good Christian homes. Number of children in Home at last report, Dec. 1889, 36: entire number during year, 75: deaths, 2: adoptions, 4; present number in Home, 32: girls, 16; boys, 16; ages from four months to fifteen years. Nationalities—Irish, Scandinavian, French, German, English and American.

We would again express our thanks to Mr. E. S. Saunders, of St. Paul, for our winter's supply of coal.

To the kind friends in the diocese, who contributed their offerings at Thanksgiving in several of the smaller parishes, as the good Bishop requested, we return sincere thanks, with the assurance that "with such sacrifices God is well pleased."

The crowning glory of the year is the wiping out of our indebtedness on our Home, a sum of \$4,500 with interest. For our success we are indebted to Rev. Messrs. Wright, Millspaugh and especially to Rev. Mr. Wilkinson, who has been indefatigable in his efforts to secure this result. To those who have thus solicited and thus responded to solicitation we return our thanks, and commend to that God "who is not unrighteous that He will forget their works and labor that proceedeth from love, which love they have shown for His Name's sake."

Our monthly meetings for business have been well attended, and our beloved president, although residing in St. Paul, has not been once absent.

It has often required most judicious management to meet the expenses and emergencies of each month. Like much of the work for the Master, perplexities, anxieties, prayers and even tears, form a large part of the experience of which there can be no record. It has been wisely said "difficulties are the material out of which God often produces His best results." While we deplore lack of means to repair our chapel, to furnish more and larger sleeping rooms for domestics, a play room for the children, a fence to make our premises more private and secure, and alas, many, many things necessary to make our Home what a "Sheltering Arms" should be, as we enter the new year free of this debt let us go on our way singing "Hosanna," still doing what we can, leaving all in the hands of Him, who has said "Inasmuch as ye have done it unto one of the least of these, ye have done it unto Me."

Respectfully submitted,

A. B. MURRAY,

Recording Secretary.

S. LUKE'S HOSPITAL.

DULUTH.

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Superintendent of the Hospital and of the Training School
for Nurses.

Number of patients admitted from Oct. 18, 1881, to May 1, 1890.....	1826
Deaths.....	219
Number of patients admitted from May 1, 1890, to May 1, 1891.....	312
Deaths.....	37
Births.....	9
Surgical Operations.....	50

STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS.

Balance May 1, 1890.....	\$ 321.51
Private Patients.....	4,451.62
Donations.....	1,651.75
From Training School for Nurses.....	561.00
U. S. Marine Service.....	500.60
St. Louis County.....	68.10
Carlton County.....	47.28
Cook County.....	29.00
Interest Account.....	13.69
Deficit.....	293.51
	\$7,938.06

STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES.

Household expenses.....	\$2,721.81
Groceries.....	1,662.53
Sundries.....	1,199.51
Permanent Improvements.....	900.17
Meat.....	547.57
Drugs.....	475.72
Fuel.....	430.75
	\$7,938.06

Total number days care.....	7,154
Total number days free patients.....	2,838
Daily average number of Patients.....	19.6
Average cost of each Patient per day, exclusive of amount expended in per- manent Improvements.....	\$.98

S. BARNABAS' HOSPITAL.

MINNEAPOLIS.

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RT. REV. H. B. WHIPPLE, Visitor.

At the annual meeting of the Board of Trustees the following reports were submitted:

REPORT OF EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE.

To the Board of Trustees:

GENTLEMEN: During the past fiscal year, owing to the resignation of Mrs. Alice A. Pew, who served us faithfully for over six years as Superintendent and Matron, taking the Hospital when it was at a very low ebb and leaving it last November in a prosperous condition; although in making change of Matron we have had many unpleasant things to contend with, still we feel that Mrs. A. K. Harvey, our present Matron, has succeeded in establishing her staff of Nurses and help on a harmonious and efficient basis.

The present Intern, Dr. Boleyn, came to the Hospital last December and is working acceptably to both Matron and Physicians.

There are improvements which would aid the enlargement of the work for which the Hospital was intended. The need of a ward for contagious diseases is almost daily brought to our notice, while suitable rooms for lying-in patients are frequently called for.

Our present buildings and equipments are in a fair condition, quite equal to the means in hand for keeping them up.

Religious services have been held at the Hospital with about the same regularity as in former years.

C. M. HARDENBERGH,
JNO. C. RENO,
GEO. C. FARNHAM, } *Executive Committee.*

June 1st, 1891.

The Superintendent reported that there had been 416 patients cared for during the year, making a total of 8,195 days care.
389 were cured and 27 died.

**TREASURER'S REPORT—GENERAL FUND, FOR THE YEAR
ENDING JUNE 1st, 1891.**

RECEIPTS.

1890.	Balance on hand last report	\$ 5.37	
June 13,	Frank Essene on account.....	10.00	
13,	Mrs. A. A. Pew, Supt., contributions solicited for Ambulance.....	106.00	
Sept. 30,	Interest on Permanent Fund.....	43.00	
Nov. 17,	Hale, Thomas & Co.....	58.09	
1891.			
Jan. 1,	Transferred from Charity Fund.....	126.84	
Mar. 28,	Interest on Permanent Fund.....	43.00	
	From Supt. during the year for Board of Patients	10,161.48	\$10,553.78

DISBURSEMENTS.

Employees.....	\$ 2,720.10	
M. H. Sessions, Attorney,—Court Costs.....	15.49	
The Foot Carriage Co.,—Ambulance.....	325.00	
Treasurer's expenses.....	13.50	
Bookkeeper.....	200.00	
Sundry parties for supplies.....	7,022.69	
Balance—Cash on hand.....	257.00	\$10,553.78

PERMANENT FUND.

Amount on hand.....	\$1,960.00
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INVESTED AS FOLLOWS:

Mortgage Note, Robert Seiverson and Chas. Kroger.....	\$ 1,075.00	
Mortgage Note, Wilhelm Gillen.....	500.00	
Balance due on Longworth Note.....	35.00	
Certificates of Deposit.....	350.00	\$1,960.00

CHARITY FUND.

Balance on hand last report	\$ 683.05	
Received from Holy Trinity Church.....	32.50	
" " Gethsemane Church.....	98.00	
" " S. Mark's Church.....	18.50	
Interest.....	22.94	\$854.99

DISBURSED ACCOUNT OF CHARITY PATIENTS.

For S. Paul's Church.....	\$ 11.00	
" Gethsemane Church.....	247.00	
" S. Mark's Church.....	319.50	
" All Saints' Church.....	11.00	
" Holy Trinity Church.....	40.29	
Transferred to General Fund amount remaining unexpended on Jan. 1, 1891.....		
From S. Paul's Church.....	\$48.00	
" S. Mark's Church.....	33.93	
" Diocesan Church.....	5.33	
" Interest account.....	39.58	126.84
Balance on hand.....		99.36
		\$854.99

BUSINESS STATEMENT, FOR THE YEAR ENDING
JUNE 1st, 1891.
ACCOUNT CURRENT.

EARNINGS.

Hospital treatment.....	\$11,062.31	
Donations.....	8.00	
Interest.....	109.54	
Ambulance.....	22.00	\$11,201.85

EXPENDITURES.

Permanent Improvement.....	\$ 110.00	
Personal property.....	452.63	
Bookkeeper.....	200.00	
Gas.....	130.60	
Repairs.....	504.39	
Service.....	2,781.77	
Drugs and Medicine.....	724.27	
Surgical appliances.....	48.69	
Groceries.....	1,856.86	
Meat.....	980.86	
Milk.....	568.20	
Ice.....	84.42	
Insurance.....	45.00	
Fuel.....	1,083.69	
Expense.....	373.66	
House Furnishing.....	22.02	
Charity (Uncollectable accounts.).....	695.15	
Balance, (Profit.).....	539.64	\$11,201.85

Current Resources.....	\$ 2,166.59	
Current Liabilities.....	1,824.88	
Surplus.....		\$341.71

Very Respectfully,

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SUMMARY OF EPISCOPAL ADDRESSES.

	BISHOP.	ASSISTANT BISHOP.	TOTAL.
Sermons and Addresses.....	363	363
Baptisms (Inf. 17, Ad. 5).....	22	22
Confirmations.....	13	*853	901
Holy Communion Celebrated.....	57	57
Marriages	6	6
Burials	4	4
Lay Readers Licensed	56	56
Postulants Received.	12	12
Candidates for Holy Orders Rec'd.	6	6
Ordinations (D. 1, P. 5).....	6 .....(D. 1, P. 1)	2	8
Clergy Received	9	9
Clergy Transferred.....	8	8
Churches Consecrated.....	3	3
Corner Stones Laid.....	1	†3
Visitations	162	162
Rectories Built.....	2
Churches Completed.....	5
Missions Organized.....	9

* Besides these, Bishop Graves confirmed 24, and Bishop Walker confirmed 11, making the total 901.

† The Archdeacon laid two corner stones, making total 3.

The Diocesan was abroad about eight months during the Conciliar year.

SUMMARY OF STATISTICS.

JUNE 3-4, 1891.

Whole number of Parishes.....	78	
Whole number of Missions.....	88	166
Number of Parishes making Reports.....	70	
Number of Missions making Reports.....	64	134
Number of Churches and Chapels.....		*148
Number of Churches renting Pews.....		9
Number of Sitzings, as reported.....		21,469
Bishops.....		2
Priests.....	82	
Deacons.....	11	93
Lay Readers.....		57
Candidates for Holy Orders.....		16
Postulants.....		14
Families.....		6,429
Individuals.....		24,465
Baptisms (Inf. 862, Ad. 250).....		1,134
Confirmations (Bishop's report).....		901
Confirmed Persons (Communicants).....		10,422
Communicating during the year.....		8,312
Public Services.....		12,488
Holy Communion administered (services).....		2,177
Marriages.....		263
Churchings.....		18
Burials.....		437
Sunday School: Teachers.....	813	
Scholars.....	6,216	7,029
Church Schools.....		3
Theological Schools.....		1
Hospitals.....		3
VALUE CHURCH PROPERTY:		
Churches and Chapels.....	\$ 648,300.00	
Rectories, Lots, School buildings, etc.....	1,057,700.00	\$1,706,000.00
Indebtedness.....		93,339.45
Communion Alms.....		3,301.56
PAROCHIAL:		
Rector's salaries, Church building, current expenses and general Parochial work,	\$147,438.36	
DIOCESAN:		
Missions, Bishops' salaries, Council fund, Archdeacon's salary and general Diocesan work.....	\$12,085.96	
EXTRA DIOCESAN:		
Domestic and Foreign Missions and general Church work outside the Diocese.....	\$3,792.05	\$163,316.37
TOTAL OFFERINGS, as reported.....		175,064.92

*Taken from the eleventh U. S. Census. From this Census the Secretary also gathered the following data which is added here for future reference. Parishes and Missions, 171. Church edifices, 148. Seating capacity, 28,945. Value Churches and Chapels, \$931,100. Confirmed persons, 11,042. Clergy, 96. Bishops, 2. This enumeration was made in January, 1890, by the Secretary.

STATE OF THE CHURCH.

Parishes and Missions Reporting, 134.

Churches with Rented Pews, 9.

SUMMARY OF ANNUAL REPORTS, 1881 to 1891.

	1881	1886	1889	1890	1891
Bishops.....	1	1	2	2	2
Priests.....	69	68	77	74	82
Deacons.....	12	10	12	15	11
Families.....	3,463	4,249	5,985	5,801	6,429
Individuals.....	14,991	17,108	21,375	21,798	24,465
Baptisms.....					
Infants.....	639	806	1,112	846	862
Adults.....	180	819	422	342	250
Total.....		1,015	1,581	1,276	1,134
Confirmations.....	426	*672	41,125	4986	4901
Communicants.....	5,064	6,832	9,415	9,904	10,422
Communicating during year.....	2,801	3,923	7,325	7,104	8,312
Marriages.....	256	277	292	281	263
Burials.....	438	366	458	353	437
Public Services.....	9,431	8,937	13,363	13,399	12,488
Holy Communion.....	1,044	1,307	2,017	2,022	2,177
Sunday School Teachers.....	458	644	786	779	813
Sunday School Scholars.....	4,420	5,393	7,111	6,044	6,216
Church Schools.....	2	3	3	4	3
Theological Schools.....	1	1	1	1	1
Hospitals.....	1	3	3	3	3
Value Church Property.....	\$410,496.05	\$670,645.00†	\$1,408,635.00	\$1,356,900.00	\$1,706,000.00
Indebtedness.....	18,076.00	72,461.50	78,825.32	93,550.26	93,339.45
Communion Alms.....	2,033.91	3,064.60	3,598.77	4,448.84	3,301.56
Parochial.....	77,038.28	114,455.59	106,970.79	167,613.30	147,438.36
Diocesan.....	7,534.91	16,396.38	12,941.13	16,609.52	12,085.96
Extra Diocesan.....	733.07	4,947.57	4,815.59	6,639.19	3,792.05
Total Offerings reported.....	87,360.17	135,799.74	147,694.71	203,571.05	175,064.92

* As per Parochial Report. † Church Buildings and Rectories only. "a," Bishop's Report.

STANDING RULES OF ORDER.

I. No motion shall be debated, or shall be considered as before the Council, unless seconded, and, if required, reduced to writing.

II. When a question is under consideration, no motion shall be received unless to lay it upon the table; to postpone it to a certain time; to postpone it indefinitely; to commit it; to amend it; or to divide it. And motions for any of these purposes shall have precedence in the order named.

III. The motion to lay upon the table, and to adjourn, shall always be in order, and shall be put without debate.

IV. A majority of each order of those who have been present at any time in the Council, shall be necessary to constitute a quorum; and no questions shall be considered as finally decided on which a quorum fails to vote.

V. The Council shall vote by orders whenever any two members shall require it.

VI. All Clergymen of the Protestant Episcopal Church, and of Churches in full communion with the same; candidates for Holy Orders in this Diocese; and the Vestry of the Church in which the Council is held, shall be admitted to the sittings of the Council, and their names entered on the Journal on reporting themselves to the Secretary.

ORDER OF PROCEDURE.

I. FIRST DAY.

1. The Secretary, under the direction of the Bishop, or in case of his absence, disability, or of a vacancy in the Episcopate, under the direction of the Standing Committee, shall call the names of the clergy entitled to seats.

2. The Secretary shall call the Parishes entitled to representation, when the Lay Delegates shall present their certificates, which shall be examined by a committee consisting of the Secretary and two members appointed by the chair. Irregular and defective certificates, and certificates and documents relating to contested seats, shall be temporarily laid aside. The names of the Lay Delegates, duly appointed, shall then be called; after which the certificates and documents laid aside shall be referred to the Standing Committee on Privileges.

3. A constitutional quorum being present, the President shall declare the Council organized for business, which shall proceed in the following order:

4. The Annual Address of the Bishop, unless he should prefer another time for its delivery, if so, it shall at any time be in order.

5. Reading the rules of order.

6. Election of a Secretary and Treasurer.

7. The announcement by the President of the following

STANDING COMMITTEES.

1. On the Organization and Incorporation of Parishes and their Admission into union with the Council—one clergymen and two laymen.

2. On Finance—to whom shall be referred the accounts of the Treasurers of the different funds—one clergyman and two laymen.

3. On Privilege—to whom shall be referred any doubtful or disputed claims to a seat in the Council—two clergyman and two laymen.

4. On Legislation—to whom shall be referred all proposed alterations and amendments of the Constitution and Canons—two clergymen and two laymen.

5. On the State of the Church—to whom shall be referred the subject of Missions, Education, Charities and other work of the Church, and Diocesan Statistics—two clergymen and three laymen.

6. On Unfinished Business.
7. On Assessments.

8. The receiving and referring, when necessary, of reports, other than those of special committees, which may have been handed to the Secretary.

9. The receiving and referring of applications of Parishes for admission into union with the Council.

10. Miscellaneous Business.

II. SECOND DAY.

1. Morning prayer.
2. Calling the roll.
3. Reading the minutes.
4. Report of Committees on Certificates of Lay Delegates not present before.
5. Reports of Standing Committees of the Council.
6. Report of the Standing Committee of the Diocese.
7. Report of the Secretary when business has been committed to him.
8. Report of Select Committees.
9. Report of Treasurer of Missions.
10. Election of Deputies and Supplementary Deputies to the General Convention.
11. Miscellaneous Business.

III. EACH SUBSEQUENT DAY.

1. Morning prayer.
2. Calling the roll.
3. Report of Committees on Certificates of Lay Delegates.
4. Calling the names of members not present before.
5. Reports of Standing Committees of the Council.
6. Miscellaneous Business.

IV. If the prescribed order of business on any day shall not have been gone through with, the first business on the succeeding day shall be the matters which had not been reached on the previous day, and in the order prescribed for that day. This rule shall not apply to miscellaneous business.

V. If the President *ex-officio* is not present at the opening of the Council, the Secretary shall call the Council to order, when the senior presbyter present, being entitled to a seat, shall take the chair; and in such case, immediately after the organization of the Council, a President shall be elected by ballot from among the clergy.

VI. Before the rising of the Council, the minutes of the last day's meeting shall be read and approved.

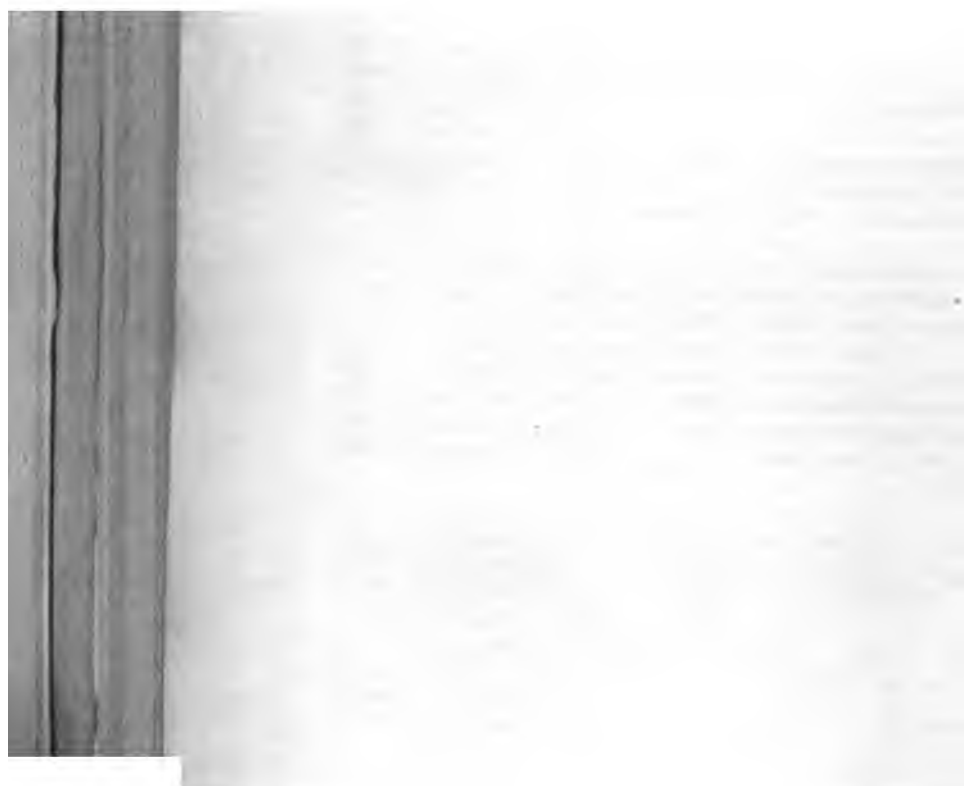
VII. This order of business may be suspended at any time by the vote of two-thirds of the members present.

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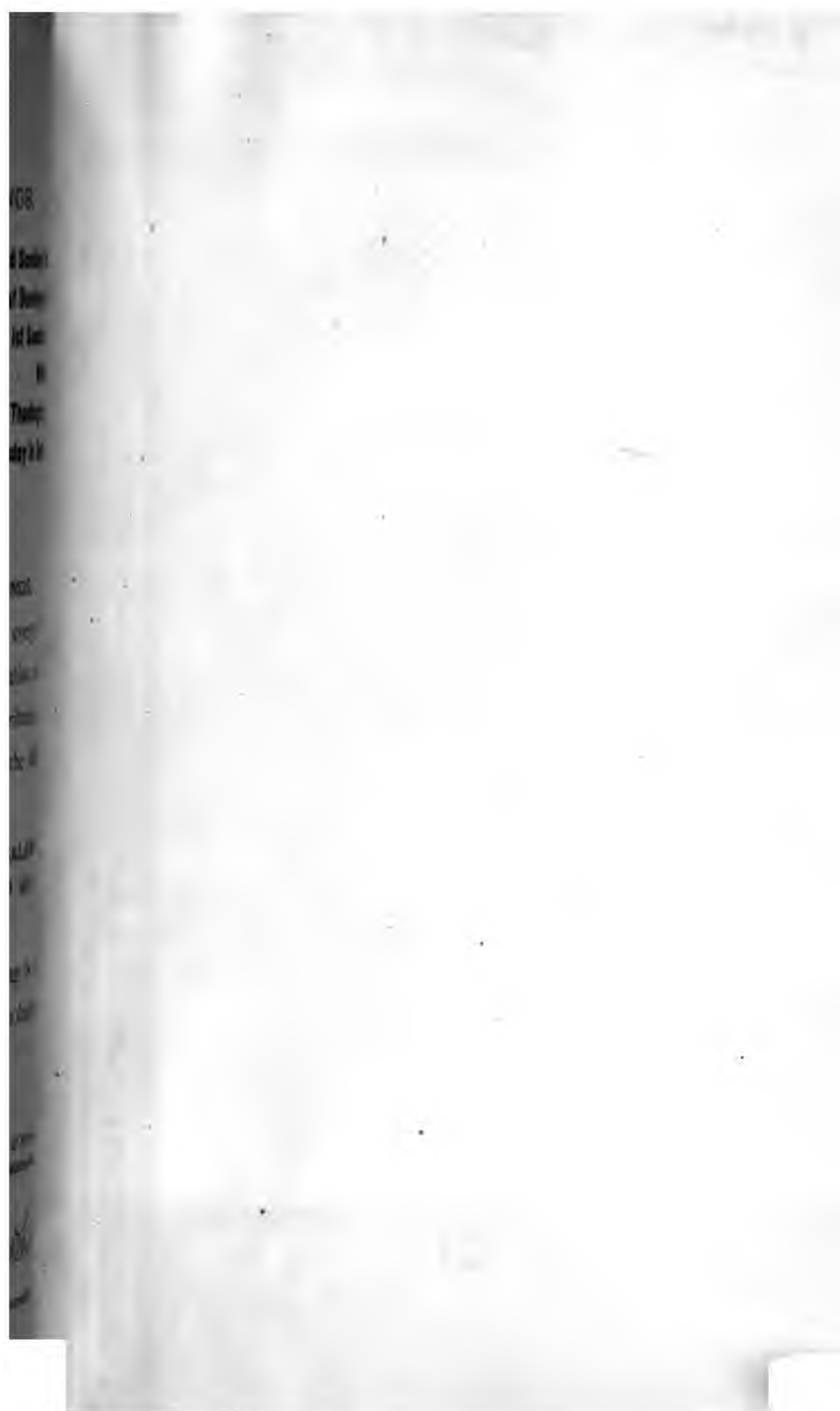
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